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### Keeping diversity at the top of the agenda

### Day one - Wednesday 1 December

08.00

Registration and coffee

LP invitation only breakfast session

08.45

**PEI Welcome** 

08:50

Chairperson's opening remarks

Laurie Mahon, Vice-Chair, US Investment Banking, Global Investment Banking, CIBC Capital Markets

### 09:00

### Keynote Speech: Building a career as a dealmaker in private equity

Cheryl Potter spent two decades at Permira leading the Global Consumer Team and the London office. She also served on the firm's Executive Committee and the Compensation and Partnership Committee. Whilst the number of women in private markets has grown since Cheryl joined Permira in 1999, there is still a long way to go with only 10% of women working in Senior Investment roles. Investment teams still look overwhelmingly male and private equity still struggles to retain talented women. This keynote speech will consider how PE can get more women onto their investment teams (and crucially retain them), what Level 20 is doing to help & learnings from a career spent in the deal team

Cheryl Potter, Chair, Level 20

### 09:20

### LP Allocations to private markets in a changed economy

- How well have investments performed compared to other strategies since March 2019?
- Views on the future of fundraising after the changes caused of the past 18 months
- How are LPs supporting emerging managers and are they concerned about the flight to familiarity?
- To what extent are LPs making investment decisions based on diversity?

Moderator: Natalie Breen, Global Head of Strategic Growth, Sanne Group

Teia Merring, Investment Director – Private Equity, USS

Denise Le Gal, Chair, Brunel Pension Partnership

Sarah Farrell, Head of Private Equity Europe and Asia, Allstate Investments



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Sunaina Sinha, Managing Partner, Cebile Capital

#### 10:00

How industry leaders are walking the talk on diversity

- Examples of the benefits of diverse teams in fundraising
- How are firms recruiting and retaining diverse candidates?
- Changes to working practices since covid-19, returning to the office and the impact on women
- Advice for those making their way in private markets

Moderator: Aranpreet Randhawa, Partner, Proskauer

Deborah Zurkow, Global Head of Investments, AllianzGI

Benoit Durteste, Chief Investment Officer and Chief Executive Officer, ICG

Emma Watford, Partner, Bridgepoint

Phil Peters, Global Head of Client Solutions Group, Macquarie Asset Management

10:45 Coffee & Networking

Speed networking for virtual attendees

### 11:30

### The continued rise of impact investing in alternatives

- To what extent are impact strategies within mega funds integrated with ESG?
- Balancing outcome with fiduciary responsibility
- How are managers in impact differentiating themselves in their investment approach?
- Are impact strategies allowing funds to broaden their investor base?

Moderator: Senior representative, Kirkland & Ellis

Rikke Kjær Nielsen, Partner, EQT

Vivian Ngan, Investment Director, Bridgepoint

Joanna Reiss, Partner and Co-lead of Impact, Private Equity, Apollo Global Management

### 12:10

### How has economic disruption impacted appetite for co-investments?

- Differences across asset classes and lessons learnt: private equity vs real estate or infrastructure?
- To what extent have co-investments been used to help companies through a crisis?
- Opportunities created by the past year
- The blurring lines between secondaries and co-investments



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Floortje Brouwers, Senior Vice President, GIC Private Markets Jackie Peradotto, Principal, HarbourVest Partners Karin Hyland, Senior Investment Director, Abrdn

12:45 Lunch

Infrastructure
Investor

Women in
Infrastructure Forum
2021

13:45
Are we entering a
'roaring twenties' for
infrastructure?
Moderator: Amy Mahon,
Partner, Simpson
Thacher & Bartlett
Gwenola Chambon, CEO
– Founding Partner,
Vauban Infrastructure
Tara Davies, Partner,
Global Head of Core
Infrastructure, and CoHead of European

Infrastructure, KKR

Private Equity International Women in Private Equity Forum 2021

13:45
How well positioned is
Private Equity to turn the
crisis into an opportunity?
Moderator: Alex Farmer,
Partner, Kirkland & Ellis
Sofia Hasni Ahuja,
Managing Director EQT
Nadia Meier-Kirner,
Partner, Triton Partners

PERE
Women in Real
Estate Forum
2021

13:45
Real estate demand postpandemic: finding
opportunities a dislocated
market
Joanne McNamara, EVP
Europe and Asia, Oxford
Properties
Sabina Kalyan, Global
Head of Real Assets
Research, CBRE Global
Investors

Private Debt Investor

Women in Private

Debt Forum

2021

13:40 How has private debt fared in comparison with other investment strategies in the past few months? Moderator: Harriet West, Associate, Proskauer **Kirsten Bode,** Co-Head of European Private Debt Fund, Muzinich and Co Natalia Tsitoura, Managing Director, Head of European Private Debt, **Apollo Management** International Sonia Rocher, Head of Private Debt Research and Execution, BlackRock

14:25
Asset Management: How managers have adapted capabilities to manage through disruption Irina Frolova, Head Asset Management Infrastructure, PGGM

Investor perspectives on
PE as we enter a new cycle
Moderator: Rebecca
Villarreal, Partner,
Proskauer
Lorna Robertson, Head of
Funds, Connection Capital
Joana Rocha Scaff, Head of
Europe Private Equity,
Neuberger Berman

Where are opportunities in a fiercely competitive logistics market?
Martina Malone,
Managing Director, Global Head of Capital Raising,
Prologis
Sylvia Slaughter, Senior
Director - Fund
Management, GLP

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What role can private credit providers play in helping companies integrate ESG and sustainability?
Sabrina Fox, CEO, ELFA Adriana Oller, Founder & Partner, Resilience
Partners
Senior representative,
Bridgepoint



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	Mirja Lehmler-Brown, Managing Director, Hayfin Olivia Kebble, Investment Professional, Moonfare	<b>Gila Cohen</b> , Managing Director of Real Estate and Private Equity, <b>MUFG</b>	Kristina Matthews, Managing Director, Head of Investor Relations & ESG, Brightwood Capital Advisors Lucie Mixeras, Associate Director, IFM Investors
15:00 Digital infrastructure: finding value in an ultra- competitive market Kriti Madan, Vice President, Northleaf Capital Partners	15:00 Outlining the commercial value of ESG integration in PE Alison Hampton, Founder, Alma Verde Advisors Shami Nissan, Head of Responsible Investment, Actis Laura O'Brian, Investment Director – Private Equity, Cambridge Associates	The future of offices in a post-pandemic world Nisha Raghavan, Chief Financial Officer, EQT Bronny Wilson, Regional Head UK and Ireland, Equiem Vanessa Muscara, Head of Research & Strategy, Europa Capital Roujin Mansour, Senior Investment Analyst, AustralianSuper	15:00 Distressed & special situations: how is it performing as we move along the credit cycle? Daniela Jönsson, Principal, Ares Management

### 15:40 Coffee & networking

Virtual speed networking

16:00	16:00	16:00	16:00
Defining social	Why growth equity and	Why investors are	View of the world: how
infrastructure and where	venture are growing	flooding into life sciences	different regions are
private capital fits into	rapidly in Europe and	Moderator: <b>Andrea</b>	prospering and why Asia-
the ecosystem	worldwide	Carpenter, Director,	Pacific is in the spotlight
Annette Bannister, Head	Saachi Oza, Senior	Women Talk Real Estate	
of European	Investment Associate,	Anne Gales, Partner,	
Infrastructure and Project	Bregal Milestone	Threadmark	
Finance, Metlife	Lisya Bahar Manoah,		
<b>Investment Management</b>	Partner, Catalyst Fund		
Julia Schiffer, Senior	Maggie Vo, Managing		
Portfolio Manager,	General Partner and Chief		
Mercer	Investment Officer, Fuel		
	Venture Capital		
	Shannee Braun, Vice		
	President, <b>EQT Growth</b>		



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Opportunities in the	How technological	Traditional vs alternative	Exploring the potential of
<b>Energy Transition as the</b>	innovations can	lenders: what are their	private debt secondaries
world aims for net-zero	democratise PE investing?	intentions for the real	Alesia Dawidowicz,
Patricia Rodrigues,	Carine Schneider,	estate market post-	Managing Director,
Member of Investment	President, <b>Astrella</b>	pandemic?	Private Debt and Hedge
Committee, GLIL	Sabina Haq, Chief	Natalie Howard, Head of	Funds, <b>StepStone Group</b>
Infrastructure	Compliance Officer &	Real Estate Debt,	
Ruth Murray, Associate	Senior Legal Counsel, Siris	Schroders	
Director, Gresham House	Capital Partners	Beatrice Dupont, Partner,	
Albena Vassileva,		ARA Venn	
Executive Director, IFM		Daljit Sandhu, COO &	
Investors		Founder, <b>Précis Capital</b>	
		Partners	
17:10	17:10	17:10	17:10
Sustainable value	Emerging ManagersL what	How sustainability	Why is interest in asset-
creation: How ESG has	it akes to raise a first-time	considerations have	backed lending
moved from a cost	fund	moved beyond just the	increasing?
centre to a value driver	Michelle Jacobi, Managing	environment in real estate	Sophia Damianou,
in infrastructure	Director <b>, Gatewood</b>	Gilda Perez-Alvarado,	Managing Director,
	Capital Partners	Global CEO, JLL Hotels &	Business Development
	Natalia Sigrist, Partner -	Hospitality	(EMEA), Northleaf Capital
	Private Equity, Unigestion	Christina Djambazca,	Partners
	<b>Rajaa Mekouar</b> , Founder	Analyst, Real Estate;	
	and CEO, Calista Direct	Product Lead - Transition	
	Investors	Risk, <b>GRESB</b>	
	Michelle Khong, Co-	Sadie Malim, Head of	
	Founder and Partner,	Special Projects & Legal,	
	Opera Investment	Moorfield	
	Partners		

17:45

Sponsorship opportunity: Cocktail reception

Virtual cocktail hour taking place for remote attendees

Day two: Thursday 2 December

08:00-09:00

**Invitation only think-tanks** 

These sessions will allow women to speak freely about the issues impacting their office and asset class. It is a closed



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door, open conversation where attendees can benchmark ideas and share best practices to gain solutions for common concerns.

- Infrastructure (invitation and LP/GP only)
- Private Equity
- Private Debt
- Real Estate led by Gila Cohen, Managing Director of Real Estate and Private Equity, MUFG
- Virtual speed networking breakfast

### 09:10

### Measuring the 'S' in ESG

- Why do we care about S
- Micro measurement: The GOOD FINANCE framework: Why was there a need for this piece of work? What obstacles are preventing progress?
- Macro measurement: The importance of addressing the S & G: Growth and Governance Hub at TII
- Making the research useful and relevant for private markets

Dr. Grace Lordan, Associate Professor/Founding Director of The Inclusion Initiative, London School of Economics

### 09:50

### Highlights of the PEI LP Insight findings

The PEI Investor Research and Analytics team surveyed over 100 LPs to capture investor sentiment on asset allocation, relationships with GPs, and performance predictions. The study also features insight on gender diversity and inclusion. Investors range from established players with diverse fund portfolios, to those planning to make their first alternatives commitments in 2021

### 10:00

### Will fundraising ever be the same again?

- Learnings from working remotely: will it make fundraising more efficient in the long-term?
- Stories of completing due diligence remotely
- How to build new LP relationships without travelling the world
- Tips for emerging managers

Moderator: Emily Brown, Partner, Ropes & Gray

Daria Litvinova, Head of Investor Relations, Vauban Infrastructure

#### 10:40

### Secondaries market update

- To what extent are GP led deals driving growth of the market?



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- Are managers looking to opportunities in Asia?
- Comparing performance and growth of secondaries in different asset classes
- Implementing ESG in secondaries

Laura Shen, Partner & Co-Founder, Headway Capital Partners
Sophia Damianou, Managing Director, Business Development (EMEA), Northleaf Capital Partners

### 11:15

Coffee & speed networking for virtual and in person attendees

#### 11:45

How talent experts are helping to change their organisations

- The importance of getting the buy-in of senior management
- What innovations have participants brought into their companies and portfolio investments?
- Recruiting and retaining diverse talent
- Stories of success and failure within current and previous position

Sue Brown, Managing Director, Real Estate Balance
Matt J Baird, Managing Director, Operations & Strategy, London, Omers PE

### 12:15-13:15

### Network building in private markets

The room will be split up into 8 roundtables each led by an expert moderator. Delegates will have the opportunity to join two tables each for 30 minutes with the aim to meet likeminded people and discuss a topic of interest;

- Maria Perez Corral (Rubicon Partners) Fundraising in a changed world
- Anne Clarke (ABSTRACT) Attracting Sponsors & Mentors'
- Overcoming unconscious bias
- Kendall Langford (Patron Capital Advisers) An intro to the world's first gender-lens property fund
- ESG across private markets
- Making yourself indispensable to the firm
- Aspiring to a NED position
- Renumeration
- Evie Mulberry (Astia Fund) A career in venture
- Marie Measures (Sanne Group) TOPIC TBC

#### 13:15

**Close of conference**