

Impact Investor Summit Asia

Thursday, 23 October | Marina Bay Sands Expo and Convention Centre, Singapore

09:10

Chair's opening remarks

09:15

Plenary #1: The state of impact in Asia: fund landscape, key markets and allocator appetite

- How are geopolitical and macro trends converging, and what does it mean for the impact market?
- How do Asian LPs view local and global impact fund opportunities?
- Does the concept of impact investing have traction in Asia markets; and which issues are considered most important?
- What are the key trends in impact in the region (e.g. Indian IPO market, Japanese LPs)?
- What is the depth of the impact investment ecosystems, in terms of funds, companies and LP interest?
- How should impact-orientated investors navigate the current 'vibeshift' (post-liberal, anti-globalist etc)?

Eliza Foo, Director, Impact Investing, **Temasek**

Deepa Hingorani, Partner, Planetary Health Investments, **Novo Holdings Asia**

Ann-Marie Wun, Head of Sustainable & Impact Client Solutions (APAC), **Goldman Sachs Asset & Wealth Management**

RessponsAbility, Speaker to be announced

10:00

Plenary #2: Investing in the AI revolution through an impact lens

- How can investors direct funding to help manage societal and economic disruption brought on by AI?

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- What is the opportunity set within AI safety and assurance, deepfake detection, cybersecurity etc?
- What are the risks of inaction on safety considerations in AI?
- What will be the value of human labour in the AI age; what will be the resulting social implications?

Moderated by **Johannes Lenhard**, Co-founder and CEO, **VentureESG**

Fernanda Lima, Partner, **LeapFrog Investments**

Rosalind Bazany, Partner, Head of ESG and Impact, **Antler**

Paul Fehlinger, Director of Policy, Governance Innovation & Impact, **Project Liberty**

10:45

Keynote to be announced

11:15

Coffee & Networking

11:45

Plenary #3 - How to invest in climate adaptation via private markets

- As climate change becomes more palpable, is it time for a heavy pivot to adaptation (away from mitigation)?
- Is climate adaptation largely an infrastructure investment play?
- What are some of the best examples of climate adaptation solutions around the world?
- What are climate resilience investors going after in terms of asset selection?

Natasha Garcha, Senior Director, **Impact Investment Exchange (IIX)**

Tai Lin, Managing Partner, **Proterra Investment Partners Asia**

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Mahesh Joshi, Head of Asia Private Equity Investment, **BlueOrchard**

Rebekah Woo, Managing Director - Private Markets and Funds, **Farro Capital**

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Plenary #4 - Nature investing in APAC: a deep dive into investable assets

- What are the investment opportunities that have deep impact in protecting biodiversity?
- What are the fundamentals driving viability of natural capital as investments?
- How are managers active in the market deploying their capital?
- Is the term 'natural capital' being abused?

Johnny Brom, Founder and Chief Investment Officer, **SAIL Investments**

Mirova, Speaker to be announced

13:15

Lunch

14:15

Plenary #5 - Energy system transformation and just transition: investing in Impact and PE opportunities in Asia

- What are the most prominent private market opportunities in Asia's energy transition?
- How are geopolitics and escalating energy security considerations influencing the investment opportunity set?
- Which aspect of the energy transition is underfunded in the region?
- How do the different markets range in terms of their appeal to capital?

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Azelli Aris, Climate investing lead, **KWAP**

Silky Raheja, Impact Director, **ABC Impact**

Leslie Zambelli, SEEAA Senior Investment Director, **Schneider Electric**

Mirova, Speaker to be announced

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Plenary #6 - Social impact across Asia: deep dive into issues and investable solutions

- Can impact investing address the root cause of social issues?
- What are the key social issues amenable to impact solutions across different markets?
- What are the most transformative models of effective social impact case studies around the world?
- How are different markets addressing issues such as inequality, financial inclusion and the aging society?

Diana Watson, Head, Sustainability and Impact Investment, **Tsao Family Office**

Vikas Arora, Chief Impact Investing Officer, **AVPN**

Yash Mishra, Head of Impact Finance and Sustainability, **The Alliance to End Plastic Waste**

Sanjay Sehgal, Managing Director and Chief Investment Officer, **WWB Asset Management**

Prem Prabhakar, Managing Director & CEO, **SBI Ventures**

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Networking break

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Plenary #7 - How to create a good enough impact strategy

- What are the pillars to a lean, but credible, impact strategy?

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- How can managers look to ensure that impact is a source of value, rather than bureaucracy?
- What are the differing considerations when handling an impact portfolio company?
- How are the concepts of intentionality and additionality, double materiality being applied practically?

Anubhuti Gupta, Senior Principal, **Mercer Investment Solutions Singapore**

Ellen Martin, Chief Impact Officer, **Circulate Capital**

Carina Tai, Manager, ESG & Impact, **Quadria Capital**

17:00

End of conference