



## Virtual Seminar between FSI and ESE

# "Green Finance: Challenges and implications for prudential supervision"

## Session 1: Climate risks and financial authorities' responses

Jointly organised by the European Supervisor Education Initiative (ESE) and the Financial Stability Institute (FSI) of the Bank for International Settlements (BIS)

**Videoconference, 24 February 2021**

**Basel time (CET) 15:00–16:30**

Videoconference details will be sent after registration

### Description

Climate and environment related risks are increasingly recognised as a major and growing source of financial risks.

The purpose of the first presentation, delivered by James (Jae) Edmonds, is to present and discuss these risks and how their effects can impact the economy of countries in general, and of banking institutions in particular.

The second presentation, delivered by Olga Wittchen and Marius Kokert, focuses on the financial authorities' responses and, in particular, presents an overview of the ongoing regulatory and supervisory activities in the European Union and worldwide, including in international fora.

### Agenda

#### **Wednesday 24 February**

- 15:00 James (Jae) Edmonds, *Joint Global Change Research Institute, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory scientist*
- 15:30 Olga Wittchen and Marius Kokert, *Supervisory Policy Experts on Sustainable Finance, Deutsche Bundesbank*
- 16:00 Q&A session – all participants  
Moderator: Jean-Philippe Svoronos, *Senior Advisor, Financial Stability Institute, Bank for International Settlements*
- 16:30 End of session



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## **Seminar format**

The virtual seminar will be held using WebEx Events. Each speaker will deliver a 30 minutes presentation. The moderator will subsequently ask the presenters questions. Participants are requested to address their questions to the moderator through the WebEx chat function.

The virtual seminar will not be recorded, and participants will be asked to not record it either. Chatham house rules will apply. Participation will be by invitation only. There will be no post-seminar online feedback survey and no certificates of attendance will be delivered.