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 ПРОГРАММА ОРГАНИЗАЦИИ ОБЪЕДИНЕННЫХ НАЦИЙ ПО ОКРУЖАЮЩЕЙ СРЕДЕ

Finance Initiative

Innovative financing for sustainability

Sustainability and CSR in the Banking and Insurance Sector

Agenda

18.1.2007, Athens

Time	Topic	Speaker
9.30-10.00	Registration	
10.00-10.15	Welcome address: Sustainability and CSR for banks and insurances	Paul Clements-Hunt, Head, UNEP Finance Initiative
10.15-10.20	Signing ceremony for Alpha Bank	Eleftheria Patakaki, Head of CSR, Alpha Bank; Paul Clements-Hunt, Head, UNEP Finance Initiative
10.20-10.30	Welcoming Remarks	Yiannis Econocomou, Consumer General Secretary, Ministry of Development
10.30 - 10.45	CSR: nice to have or must have?	Maria Alexiou, Secretary of the board, CSR Hellas / CSR Manager, TITAN Group
10.45 - 11.15	Survey results: What is the current situation on sustainability issues in financial institutions in Greece	Regina Kessler, Project Manager Central and Eastern Europe, UNEP FI
11.15-11.45	Coffee break	
11.45-12.45	Discussion on survey results: Which are the barriers to the implementation of sustainable finance and what needs to be done next	Discussant: Stella Koviaka, Senior Advisor, Emporiki Bank/ Co-Chair UNEP FI Central and Eastern European Task Force Moderator: Paul Clements-Hunt, Head, UNEP Finance Initiative
12.45-13.00	Green Guide for Banks and Insurances: how-to implement sustainability in 10 simple steps	Fotis Kourmouzis, Environmental Scientist, Special Secretary of the Board, Union of Environmental Scientists of Greece / SD Sustainable Development
13.00-14.00	Lunch Break	
14.00-14.20	Case study: Green financial products	Dimitris Starogiannis, Environmental Manager, Eurobank EFG
14.20-14.40	Case study: Environmental risk in credit scoring	Stella Koviaka, Senior Advisor, Emporiki Bank/ Co-Chair UNEP FI Central and Eastern European Task Force

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14.40-15.00	Case study: Environmental liability issues affecting the Banking and Insurance Sector	Costas Tsolakidis, Environment Advisor, Interamerican Group
15.00-15.15	Coffee break	
15.15-15.45	Sustainability and CSR reporting: the international framework and trends (GRI)	Sean Gilbert, Technical Director, Global Reporting Initiative
15.45-16.00	Sustainability reporting assessment: A case study for the Greek financial sector	Konstantinos Evangelinos, Centre for Environmental Policy and Strategic Environmental Management, University of the Aegean
16.00-16.15	European and Hellenic Business Awards for the Environment	Konstantinos Aravosis, President, Association of Environmental Protection Companies (PASEPPE) / Professor, NTUA
16.15-16.30	Closing Remarks	Paul Clements-Hunt, Head, UNEP Finance Initiative

Venue:

King George Palace Hotel
Ballroom II
Sintagma central Athens square