

London, 19-21 March 2018

# Bringing together the global green bonds community







## How to get to a \$1 Trillion p.a. Market

#### **Climate Bonds Annual Conference 2018**

International market actors, leaders, policymakers gather to discuss and debate how to scale the global green bond market from billions to trillions.

**Day 1:** China Green Bonds Investor Forum Champions workshop (nomination required)

Day 2: Main conference
Day 3: Specialist roundtables

#### **3rd Annual Green Bond Pioneer Awards Ceremony**

For leaders in green bond market development.

**Reserve your place now!** We have 550 seats available, but our 2017 conference was over-subscribed, so register now.

Meet bond investors, issuers and decision-makers. You will have the opportunity to connect, network and collaborate around an agenda of big ideas in green finance and investment.

Register NOW at https://cbi18.climatebonds.net/

# **Three-day Program How to get to a \$1 Trillion p.a. Market**

## Climate Bonds

#### **Monday 19 March**

Venue: London Stock Exchange, City of London

#### 9.00-13.00

#### **China Green Bonds Investor Forum**

14 potential Chinese green bond issuers meet green bond investors. Restricted audience; please apply.



- Dr Ma Jun, Secretary-General of China's Green Finance Committee
- Dr Ma Xianfeng, Vice-Chair, China Securities Regulatory Commission
- Representative from Principles of Responsible Investment, representing USD 70 trillion of AUM
- Prospective green bond issuers, such as ICBC, Industrial Bank of China, Huizhou Bank, Shanghai-Pudong Development Bank, Goldwind, Bank of China
- Sir Roger Gifford, City of London Green Finance Initiative
- Sean Kidney, CEO, Climate Bonds Initiative

#### 14.00-18.00

## **Green Bond Champions Workshop**

This a closed door workshop for individuals working within the financial sector. It will involve sharing experience of achieving organisational change, with coaching from existing green bond practitioners. English language only.

Would-be participants have to apply to attend, briefly explaining how they are working to grow the green bonds market. No charge for this workshop.

#### 15.00-18.00

# Roundtable for regulators on developing green bonds

Co-hosted with IFC's Sustainable Banking Network, this is closed door event.

#### 6.00-8.00PM

### **Climate Bond Partners Reception**

Networking reception for Climate Bond Partners and Champions, complete with an open discussion on how to rapidly grow the green bonds market.

#### **CONFERENCE FEES**

Standard: £795

Climate Bonds Partners: £495 NGO: £295

FREE for Emerging Market government officials and other selected emerging market participants
FREE places for students studying green finance

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#### **Tuesday 20 March**

Venue: 155 Bishopsgate, next to Liverpool St. Station

All day, Registration from 7.30, Start 8.30 sharp

#### **Main Conference**

# Annual Conference

#### **The Big Plenaries**

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- Investor expectations for 2018
- What the public sector needs to do this year
- The move towards global harmonisation: HLEG for Sustainable Finance, Green Definitions and the SDGs
- Big Predictions for the coming year

#### A Cornucopia of Parallel Sessions on the Day

- Tales from 2017's Happy Treasurers: Sharing the experience of Green Bond Issuance
- Green Sovereigns: how-to, prospects
- Emerging markets green bond development
- "Greening" China's Belt & Road Initiative
- Beyond mitigation: how green bonds are being used for resilience and adaptation bonds
- The missing link: US Corporate Green Bonds
- Opportunities with Aggregation: Sovereign funds, infrastructure debt funds, ABS, covered bonds
- The rise of green loans
- Achieving a Just Transition
- Newsbreak: green munis pricing
- A plan for Green City bonds

#### **Evening**

# **3rd Annual Green Bond Pioneer Awards**

Green Bond Awards 2018

Refreshments and networking

#### Wednesday 21 March

## **Specialist Roundtables**

Please confirm participation for the open sessions when registering. (Various locations in the City of London - TBC).

#### 8:30-11:00 Sessions:

- Green Finance Centres Roundtable, co-hosted with UNEP Inquiry
- Currency hedging for emerging markets, led by TCX
- Training: How to issue a green bond; How to verify

#### 12:00-14:30 Sessions:

- The Paris 1.5C target What it means for green bonds
- Roundtable on Aggregation Solutions in Emerging Markets
- Climate Bonds assurance roundtable

#### 15:30-18:00 Sessions:

- The amazing Climate Bond Standards Programme
- Roundtable on climate risk for fund managers
- London Meeting: European Green Securities Steering Committee, co-led by European Covered Bonds Council