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## **Sustainability in Banking** *A Sound Business Approach*

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**Tekfen Tower Conference Hall \***

*The event aims to sensitize senior managers in banks on the value of incorporating sustainability in the business operations and culture of their banks, through peer finance institutions experience-sharing.*

<b>Agenda</b>	
<b>13:30-14:00</b>	<p><b>Welcome &amp; Opening remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Dr. Ekrem Keskin</i>, Secretary General, The Banks Association of Turkey</li><li>• <i>Hülya Kurt</i>, Chair, Sustainability Working Group of the Banks Association of Turkey and Head, Engineering Analysis Department, Industrial Development Bank of Turkey (TSKB)</li><li>• <i>Harry Papageorgiou</i>, Chair, European Task Force, United Nations Environment Programme Finance Initiative (UNEP FI) and Head, Group Environment and Quality Division, Eurobank</li></ul>
<b>14:00-14:45</b>	<p><b>Sustainable Banking - International Best Practices From The Perspective of International Development Financial Institutions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Anne Maria Cronin</i>, Principal Environmental Advisor, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)</li><li>• <i>Müjgan Oladi</i>, Environmental Specialist, International Finance Cooperation (IFC)</li></ul> <p>➤ What is the current understanding of environmental and social issues by the banking sector internationally?</p> <p>➤ Environmental and social risks - consequences and opportunities</p> <p>➤ Sustainability requirements of international development financial institutions</p> <p>➤ Environmental and social practices in banks worldwide</p>
<b>14:45-15:00</b>	<p>- Coffee break -</p>
<b>15:00-16:00</b>	<p><b>Sustainable Banking – Best Practices From Peer Institutions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Denise Hills</i>, Sustainability Superintendent, Banco Itaú</li><li>• <i>Robert Tacon</i>, Special Advisor to UNEP FI and Founder, Boundes Sustainability Ltd. / Former Head of Risk Reporting, Standard Chartered Bank and UNEP FI Co-Chair</li></ul> <p>➤ Why and how peer banks embarked on the sustainability journey?</p> <p>➤ How is sustainability implemented in peer institutions?</p>
<b>16:00-17:00</b>	<p><b>Round Table Discussion Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Moderator: <i>Hülya Kurt</i>, Sustainability Working Group of the Banks Association of Turkey and Head, Engineering Analysis Department, TSKB</li></ul> <p>➤ Global trends in sustainable banking</p> <p>➤ The status of sustainable banking in Turkey</p> <p>➤ How do banks fulfil their commitments?</p> <p>➤ Q&amp;A from Turkish banks</p> <p>➤ Conclusions</p>

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