



## ASSISI & ROME ROUNDTABLE PARTICIPANT BIOGRAPHIES

### **Mr Ridwansyah Yusuf Achmad,**

#### ***West Java Development Acceleration Team***

Ridwansyah Yusuf Achmad is the Advisor on International Relations to the Governor of the Province of West Java and Chairs the West Java Development Acceleration Team’s Executive Board on Innovative Financing and Strategic Partnerships. Yusuf is also part of the West Java PPP (Public Private Partnership) Node, an entity established by Governor Ridwan Kamil as the first sub-National PPP unit in Indonesia . Besides PPP, Yusuf is also involved in the Province’s Municipal Bond process, the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Forum and holds other investor related responsibilities. West Java currently has an ambitious EUR 80.000,000,000 infrastructure development program, most of which the Province plans to fund from non-government budget. Yusuf trained as an urban planner at Institut Teknologi Bandung and has earned a Master’s degree in Governance, Policy and Political Economy from Erasmus University Rotterdam.



### **Ms Pavina Adunratanasee,**

#### ***Founder and CEO, Reno Power***

Pavina Adunratanasee’s work has been focused at the intersection of clean energy financing and technology innovation. In her role as ‘Smart Solutions Manager’ at Iberdrola, a leading global renewable energy producer, Pavina leads the commercialization of clean technologies focused on distributed energy resources (DER), energy storage, and electric vehicle (EV) to drive the ‘New Energy Economy’. Prior to this, Pavina worked in utility-scale renewables financing with Neoen Australia and Siemens Financial Services covering the Asia-Pacific region covering wind and battery storage projects in the APAC region. Pavina’s climate journey started as a graduate student in New York where her research was focused on the intersection of sustainable development, policy design, and capital mobilization. Pavina holds a Master of Public Administration (MPA) degree from Columbia University (SIPA) specializing in ‘Global Energy Policy’. Her other recent achievements include being selected by the Global Wind Energy Council (GWEC) to participate in its flagship global leadership program. Additionally, She is a ‘Climate Tech Fellow’ at Ondeck and a ‘Climate Leadership Corp’ member at the Climate Resiliency Project.



### **Anulika Ajufo**

#### ***Chair of UEL, Founder of the Sequoia Platform and Venture Partner Europe, Middle East and Africa, Sagana***

Anulika manages a portfolio of investments across EMEA and chairs the Board of Governors at University of East London.

Anulika has extensive investment experience and believes in investing for good. Having worked at some of the leading Financial Institutions- Lehman Brothers and Goldman Sachs in Investment Banking, and Private Equity with The Carlyle Group and Soros Fund, Anulika has developed an impressive investment track record spanning sectors, stages, and geographies across direct and indirect investments.

She has led the development of greenfield impact investment structures in emerging markets. She has developed inclusive investment strategies for development finance institutions (DFIs), corporations and foundations; of note she co-led the design and implementation of George Soros’ \$500 million commitment to programs and companies.

She has most recently been named Young Global Leader by the World Economic Forum.

Anulika has a Master’s (MEng) in Medical Engineering from Queen Mary University of London and an MSc in Law and Finance from the University of Oxford.



### **Sr. Helen Alford OP**

**Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Pontifical University of St. Thomas, Rome, Italy**

Sr. Helen Alford OP is a religious sister of the Dominican Sisters of Saint Catherine of Siena. Sr. Alford graduated in manufacturing engineering from the University of Cambridge, where she was also awarded a PhD. She has served as consultant to the Pontifical Council for Justice and Peace. She is currently vice rector of the Pontifical University of Saint Thomas Aquinas in Rome. She is the author of numerous publications on management theory and corporate social responsibility. Sr. Helen is a consultant to the Dicastery for the Promotion of Integral Human Development in the Vatican as well as an ordinary member of the Pontifical Academy of Social Sciences. She was confirmed as the Angelicum's Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences in 2021 and assists with many projects, including the new joint initiative with the Gregorian University, "Safeguarding: Mission and Commitment of the Church."



### **Fr. Paolo Benanti**

**Extraordinary Professor, Faculty of Theology, Department of Moral Theology, Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome**

Fr. Paolo Benanti is a Franciscan of the Third Order Regular - TOR - and deals with ethics, bioethics and ethics of technologies. In particular, his studies focus on innovation management: internet and the impact of the Digital Age, biotechnologies for human improvement and biosecurity, neuroscience and neurotechnology. At the Pontifical Gregorian University he obtained a licentiate in 2008 and a doctorate in moral theology in 2012. The doctoral dissertation entitled "The Cyborg. Body and corporeality in the posthuman era" won the Belarmino Prize - Vedovato.



Since 2008 he has been a lecturer at the Pontifical Gregorian University, the Theological Institute of Assisi and the Pontifical Leonian College in Anagni. In addition to the institutional courses of sexual morality and bioethics, he deals with neuroethics, technology ethics, artificial and posthuman intelligence. He was part of the Artificial Intelligence Task Force to assist the Agency for Digital Italy. He is a corresponding member of the Pontifical Academy for Life with a particular mandate for the world of artificial intelligences. At the end of 2018 he was selected by the Ministry of Economic Development as a member of the group of thirty experts who at national level have the task of developing the national strategy on artificial intelligence and the national strategy on technologies based on shared ledgers and blockchain.

### **Dr. Claudio Mario Betti**

**Director, Australian Catholic University, Rome, Italy**

Dr. Betti has held the position of Director of the Australian Catholic University Campus in Rome since 2015. Prior to this he was the Visiting Professor for the Master in Conflict Resolution and Peace Management at the Pontificia Facoltà Teologica San Bonaventura - Europa 2000, between 2005 and 2019. Dr Betti was also adjunct professor of International Relations and Conflict Resolution at the IES University in Rome between 2011-2015.

Dr. Betti has significant experience advising the Ministry of Health on international issues as well as advising the Minister of Integration and International Cooperation. He was advisor to the Board of the Fetzer Institute in Michigan and coordinator for 6 advisory groups of the Institute coordinating and leading scholars, politicians and practitioners of various disciplines between 2009-2013. Prior to this he was President of the Foundation for Assistance to Minors. Dr Betti is regularly invited as an international speaker and holds a PhD and a Post-Doctoral Degree in Contemporary History as well as a Master Degree in Italian Language & Literature.

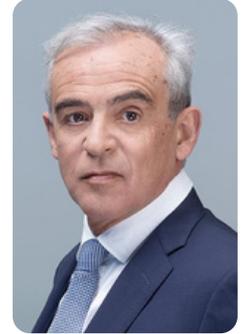


## Mr Pascal Blanqué (TBC)

### Chairman, The Amundi Institute

Pascal Blanqué has been Chairman of the Amundi Institute since February 2022. Previous to that, he was Group Chief Investment Officer and Head of the investment management platforms since 2005. He was also Global Head of Institutional Business and Third Party Distributors from 2010 to 2017. Pascal joined the Crédit Agricole group in 2000 as Chief Economist. Prior to joining Crédit Agricole, Pascal was Deputy Director of Economic Research at Paribas (1997-2000) following four years in the strategic asset allocation department of Paribas Asset Management in London (1992-1996). He began his career in institutional and private wealth management at Paribas in 1991.

As an economist and historian, Pascal is the author of several contributions. His research interests and his academic work focus on monetary issues, the functioning of financial markets and economic philosophy. He is a member of various think tanks such as the "Société d'Economie politique" and the 300 Club, as well as the MSCI Advisory Council and Bretton Woods Committee. Pascal was awarded European CIO of the Year 2013, 2018 and 2021 by Funds Europe Magazine and received the Institutional Investor Manager Lifetime Achievement Award in 2016. His book 10 weeks into Covid 19 - Psyche, Money, Narratives – an interpretation of the crisis was awarded the Turgot Financial Economy prize in 2022. Pascal studied at the Ecole Normale Supérieure. He is a graduate of Institut d'Etudes Politiques and holds a PhD in Finance from Paris-Dauphine University.



## Mr Dennis Bracy

### Chairman and CEO, Avatar Dimension; former CEO of US-China Clean Energy Council'

Chief Executive Officer, US-China Clean Energy Forum Chairman and CEO, Avatar Dimension Chairman and CEO, Avatar Studios Dennis Bracy counts himself fortunate to hold several fascinating jobs simultaneously: spearheading the team organizing the US-China Clean Energy Forum, heading Avatar Studios, a media production company in the US and leading a new company, Avatar Dimension, which makes holograms in its new studio outside Washington, DC. Combining a long-time commitment to strengthening US-China relations and a passion for finding solutions to global energy and environmental issues, Bracy has led the US team for the US-China Clean Energy Forum ([www.cleanenergyforum.org](http://www.cleanenergyforum.org)) since the inception of the organization in 2007.

Over the past 20 years, he has served as a key advisor to Senators, Governors and Members of Congress and is considered a leading strategist on political and public affairs issues. As Chairman and CEO of Avatar Dimension, he leads a team making holograms for use in entertainment, training and heritage preservation. Avatar Dimension's new studio is one of only two Microsoft-licensed studios in the US. As Chairman of Avatar Studios ([www.avatar-studios.com](http://www.avatar-studios.com)), he heads a company that produces television programs, videos and websites for clients around the world. In the early 1990s, Bracy led the team that developed the first prime-time television co-produced by foreigners in China and he continues to produce several documentaries and videos in China every year. His previous professional positions include president of Hill & Knowlton Technology, vice president of Kaiser Aluminium & Chemical Corporation, and press secretary for the Watergate trials.



## Mr Tony Burdon

### CEO, Make My Money Matter

Tony Burdon is the CEO of Make My Money Matter, a campaign to give people more voice and choice around how their money is invested and to ensure it is invested sustainably and responsibly. He has worked in international development for most of his life, spending over fifteen years living and working in Africa and Asia.

His first job was as a VSO volunteer water engineer working for the Government of Malawi. He worked for ten years in Oxfam, first as a humanitarian engineer, working in war and drought affected countries,



then leading Oxfam's work in Uganda and the humanitarian response to the Rwandan genocide, and finally as a policy advisor working on international financial institutions and debt relief, including representing Oxfam on the Board of Jubilee 2000, the successful debt relief campaign.

He then joined the UK civil service, working first in Treasury's International Poverty Reduction Team, and in the Commission for Africa, before moving to the Department for International Development. He led DFID's economic work in Nepal and Nigeria, and then as a senior civil servant led the Economic Growth, Private Sector and International Financial Institutions Departments. A considerable part of that time was concentrated on the mobilisation of private sector investment into developing countries, with a focus on impact, tackling the climate emergency, and achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals. It was during this time that Tony worked on early ideas around the Make My Money Matter campaign, leaving the civil service to head up the campaign at the start of 2020.

## **Ms Shiva Lynn Burgos**

### **Contemporary Artist, Founder of The Mariwai Project**

Shiva Lynn Burgos is a contemporary artist and photographer from New York currently living and working between Paris, London and Papua New Guinea. Her diverse contemporary, conceptual and collaborative practice is positioned within the unifying concepts of evolution, competition, natural and social selection. Burgos' works encompass photography, film, 360 Virtual Reality, sculpture, installation, painting, drawing, tapestry and performance as well as an ongoing passion for experimental and digital image making.

Shiva Lynn Burgos is the first international contemporary artist to work in Mariwai, a small Kwoma village located on the Upper Sepik River, Papua New Guinea. She has returned annually following her first trip there in 2013 and has created The Mariwai Project, an arts project and cultural exchange with the indigenous artists to include philanthropic support for art, culture, health, education and sustainable development in the region.

Burgos integrates field-collected and found objects with contemporary materials as a resource for examining value systems in relation to currency, spirituality and custom. The artist bridges her knowledge of this living culture with authorities in the field of anthropology, museum collections, government agencies and art market experts who define the value systems for tribal and indigenous art in order to recognize these communities and cultures within the greater international consciousness and due position within contemporary art. The work is currently on view in the permanent collections around the world – visit <https://shivalynn.com/> for more details.



## **Ms Kate Burke**

### **Managing Consultant, Pragma Partners**

Kate Burke is a social researcher and design strategist with a background in science communication and the arts. Kate is currently a Managing Consultant at Pragma Partners and was previously Head of Research & Design at a software engineering and design company 12thLevel. Kate is a research strategist who loves to find points of connection and common ground in peoples' stories and innovate for positive change.

As a science communicator, Kate has appeared as a regular on ABC radio, helped to shape the Young Rural Scientist of the Year Award, and worked as a freelance science journalist with a focus on regional issues. She has also worked as a community consultant and is a professional musician and music producer.



## **Rev. Heather Cetrangolo**

### **Director, The Francis Project**

Heather has a heart for global peacebuilding and Church renewal. With a background in legal practice and teaching, Heather has been serving as an Anglican priest for twelve years in a range of parish and chaplaincy roles and currently serves as Chaplain to The Anglican Diocesan Centre in Melbourne, Australia. Heather is drawn to reenergising contexts where ministries are tired and run down and to facilitating dialogue between cultures, faith traditions and across denominations.

She is currently studying her PhD in Franciscan pedagogy and is the Founding Director of a School for Church renewal in the Franciscan tradition called The Francis Project. Heather is married to Adam, who is also ordained, and together they are the proud parents of Mary, who is eight.



## **Ms Caroline Cheong**

### **KSI Strategic Institute for Asia Pacific**

Caroline is currently the Executive Director, Research & Programs as well as the Chief Operating Officer of the Kingsley Strategic Institute (KSI). An innovative professional with more than 30 years of progressive experience in diverse business environments. Extensive work in Administration, Communications, Events & Projects Management and Information Technology. She joined the Kingsley Strategic Institute as one of the pioneer staff in August 2018 after she left ASLI. She has considerable experience in strategic events having been the project director for several major international events held locally and overseas.

She has also served as Research Analyst in the Institute of Strategic Analysis and Policy Research (INSAP); General Manager of Asia Business Forum Sdn Bhd; Senior Manager, Special Projects & Team Leader/Project Coordinator for the 3rd Global Knowledge Conference 2007 in the Global Knowledge Partners (GKP) Secretariat. She has also spent more than 6 years in UM Holdings Sdn Bhd, the wholly-owned commercial and investment arm of the University of Malaya.

Her interest in healthcare issues arose when she was the Chief of Staff to the former Minister of Health Malaysia. She also had considerable experience dealing with SMEs when she was assisting the Chairman of the MCA SME council and also IT industry experience when she was with the Global Knowledge Partnership. Caroline holds a Masters' degree in Economics from the University of Malaya.



## **Dr. Mark Cutifani**

### **Chairman, Global Advisory Council, Global Foundation, Former CEO, Anglo-American**

FREng CEng FIMMM FAusIMM DBA (Hon) DoL (Hon) BE (Mining–Hons), was appointed Chief Executive of Anglo American Plc on 3 April 2013. He stepped down as Chief Executive at Anglo American's AGM in April 2022, and currently acts as special adviser to the new Chief Executive. He has more than 45 years of broad experience of projects, operations, marketing, business development and finance.

Mark has considerable experience in mining, having been associated with the industry since 1976 and has a practical working knowledge of most of the commodities produced and sold across the globe. He has had line experience and responsibility for mining and industrial businesses across six continents. Prior to joining Anglo American, he held the position of Chief Executive Officer at AngloGold Ashanti based in South Africa, and before that he was the Chief Operating Officer for Inco and then Vale's global Nickel business, based in Canada. Prior to his Vale role he held senior executive positions with the Normandy Group, Sons of Gwalia, Western Mining Corporation, Kalgoorlie Consolidated Gold Mines and CRA [Rio Tinto]. Mark was until recently also the Chairman of De Beers Group of Companies and a non-Executive Director of Anglo American Platinum Limited. Mark continues as a non-executive director of Total SA. Mark is a mining engineer by training with several published papers and presentations.



**Ms Sandrine Dixson-Declève (TBC)**  
**Co-President of the Club of Rome**

Sandrine Dixson-Declève is an international and European climate, energy, sustainable development, sustainable finance, complex systems thought leader. She is currently the Co-President of the Club of Rome and divides her time between lecturing, facilitating difficult conversations and advisory work. She currently Chairs the European Commission, Expert Group on Economic and Societal Impact of Research & Innovation (ESIR) and sits on the European Commission’s Sustainable Finance Platform. She also sits on several Boards & Advisory Boards including EDP, BMW, UCB, Climate KIC, UCL Bartlett School of Environment Energy & Resources, IEEP, Laudes Foundation and is a Senior Associate and faculty member of the Cambridge Institute for Sustainability Leadership (CISL). In addition, she is an Ambassador, for the Energy Transition Commission (ETC) and the Well Being Alliance (WeAll). In 2017 Sandrine co-founded the Women Enablers Change Agent Network (WECAN).



Until recently, Sandrine was on the European Commission’s Sustainable Finance Taxonomy Expert Group, Assembly Member, Climate Mitigation & Adaptation Mission (European Commission, DGR&I). She was Chief Partnership Officer for UNSEforAll, and Director of the Prince of Wales’ Climate Leaders Group and the European Office of CISL.

**Dr. Dino Patti Djalal**  
**Founder, Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia**

Dino Patti Djalal was born in Belgrade, Yugoslavia on 10th September 1965. He earned his Bachelor's Degree in Political Science from Carleton University (Ottawa, Canada); a Masters Degree in Political Science from Simon Fraser University (Vancouver, Canada), and a Phd in International Relations from the London School of Economics and Political Science (London, UK).



In 2004, Dino was appointed Special Staff of the President for International Affairs. In that capacity, Dino assumed many roles: Presidential spokesperson, foreign policy adviser to the President, speech writer.

From 2010 to 2013, Dino served as Indonesia's ambassador to the United States. In 2012, Dr. Dino won the prestigious "Marketeer of the Year", the same award that was won by President Joko Widodo. In June 2014, Dino was appointed Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs, until October that year. In 2015, he has founded the Foreign Policy Community of Indonesia.

**Mr Chris Flynn**  
**Partner, White & Case**

Chris is a partner at White Case in Sydney where he co-heads the firm’s Asia Pacific energy and power practices. He is a trusted strategic and international legal advisor to government and private clients in energy, energy security and public international law. He has advised in these areas in over 55 countries. Chris works internationally with executive levels of government and corporations across multiple government portfolios and business sectors.



Chris is one only 3 lawyers in Asia listed as a Global Elite Thought Leader in energy in Who’s Who Legal. He is ranked as a leading lawyer in his fields all major legal ranking journals. Pro bono, Chris led the international legal team that helped to secure the freedom of Australian journalist, Peter Greste, from incarceration in Egypt. He also provided support to counsel assisting to resist the capital punishment of Chan and Sukumaran in Indonesia. He currently acts for Bernard Collaery in the proceedings The Queen v Collaery.

Chris has guest lectured at the University of Cambridge and the University of St Andrews, and has worked as a sessional lecturer at the University of Western Australia. His views on energy security and international law have also been sought by the BBC World Service, Reuters, Bloomberg, Fairfax and News Corporation. He holds a Master of Letters (International Relations) from the University of St Andrews as a Chevening Scholar, a Master of Laws (International Law) from the University of Sydney and Bachelors degrees in Law (with Honours) and Commerce from Griffith University. He was also an Ambassadorial Scholar to the University of Salamanca. Chris is fluent in Spanish.

He is a member of the Legal Advisory Task Force to the Energy Charter Treaty in Brussels.

## Charlotte Forder

### Associate Director - Communications, Wessex Academy Health Science Network

Charlotte is the Associate Director - Communications for Wessex Academic Health Science Network. She specialises in healthcare communications and joined Wessex AHSN at its inception from predecessor Wessex HIEC (Healthcare Innovation and Education Cluster), where she brought integrated marketing and stakeholder management expertise to healthcare quality improvement programmes.

Charlotte has over twenty years' experience in the communications and marketing sector, including programme dissemination within STEM outreach at the University of Southampton, national Content Manager for NHS Direct Online, and corporate communications consultancy.



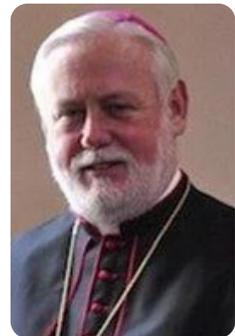
## H.E. Archbishop Paul R. Gallagher

### Secretary for Relations with States, The Holy See

Born in Liverpool, UK in 1954. Ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of Liverpool in 1977. Having gained a doctorate in Canon Law, he entered the diplomatic service of the Holy See in 1984, serving in the Apostolic Nunciatures in Tanzania (1984-1988), Uruguay (1988-1991), the Philippines (1991-1995) and subsequently as an official of the Section for Relations with States of the Secretariat of State (1995-2000).

He was appointed Special Envoy and Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the Council of Europe at Strasburg in 2000.

On 22 January 2004, he was appointed titular Archbishop of Hodelm and Apostolic Nuncio to Burundi and later that year he was ordained a bishop. After 5 years of service as Apostolic Nuncio in Burundi, he was appointed Apostolic Nuncio to Guatemala in 2009. On 11 December 2012, he was appointed Apostolic Nuncio to Australia. He was appointed to the post of Secretary for Relations with States on 8 November 2014.



## Professor Dr. Enrico Giovannini

### Ministry of Sustainable Infrastructures & Mobility in the Government of Italy

Appointed Minister on 13 February 2021. Economist, statistician and academic full professor (on leave) of economic statistics at the University of Rome "Tor Vergata", where he taught Statistics and Analysis and Policies for Sustainable Development. Chief Statistician of the OECD from 2001 to August 2009. President of ISTAT from August 2009 to April 2013. Minister of Labour and Social Policies from 2013 to 2014. He is the co-founder of the Italian Alliance for Sustainable Development (ASviS), a network of more than 290 subjects of Italian civil society, of which he was spokesperson until 13 February 2021. Until January 2021 he was President of the European Statistical Governance Advisory Board, member of the Executive Board of the Club of Rome, of the Global Happiness Council, Chairman of the Committee for the Report on the Economy Not Observed and Tax Evasion of the Ministry of Economy and Finance and member of the Scientific Committee of the Parliamentary Budget Office. From May 2020 he is responsible for the Futura Network project.



## Mr Gerbrand Haverkamp

### Executive Director, World Benchmarking Alliance

Gerbrand is responsible for the direction and daily operations of the World Benchmarking Alliance. He believes that society won't progress unless companies align their business with societal interest. All of us should have a say on how we want companies to shape our lives and the world around us. Based on these societal expectations we can rightly credit companies that lead, while holding others accountable, encouraging both to do better. Gerbrand originally founded and led Index Initiative, one of WBA's founding partners, where he led the global consultation on the WBA. Prior to this Gerbrand worked for the Dutch Government in the areas of inclusive business, sustainable agricultural supply chains and food security.



## **Ms Noor Al Hmoud**

### **Impact Management, Partnerships & Growth, Jordan**

Noor has a professional background in development, business growth, and impact. After obtaining degrees in technology, marketing, and impact of media degrees from LSE in the UK and AUB in Lebanon, Noor worked across government, quasi-government, strategic advisory firms and private businesses. She acquired considerable experience in international positioning, public affairs and government relations having led internal teams, designed positioning programs, and advised C-suite. In development, she worked within national and sectoral subjects and networks. Her work included position messaging, advocacy, stakeholder mapping and project management on the national and global front.

Noor's experience in business growth ranged across the spectrum, from design and launch to growth management. She worked on market access, acquisition, revenue and growth in a variety of industries including telecom, BPO, technology and entrepreneurship. Noor is wired as a programmer and systems builder. At heart, she is moved by any mission created for positive social impact and measurable outcomes. Noor has spent the last two decades between Dubai, London, DC, Beijing, Beirut, Baghdad and Amman.



## **Sr. Adele Howard RSM OAM**

### **Advisor to Ecology Sector, Dicastery for Promotion of Integral Human Development**

Adele is a member of the Sisters of Mercy. Inspired by Pope Francis and his vision expressed in *Laudato Si' – On Care for Our Common Home*, Adele works to develop clearer understandings of the crisis of climate change and our need to reverse the damage of global warming, responding to both the 'cries of earth and the cries of the poorest.'

Adele has worked for many years with Indigenous friends and colleagues to promote 'voice' for Indigenous Australians. In recent years Adele has developed and led reflection processes on integral ecology in *Laudato Si'* and has produced web-based resources on these themes.

Adele is the Coordinator of a Theology Project in the Oceania Region which is directed from the Vatican Dicastery (DPIHD), to gather the concerns and hopes of people from the 'existential peripheries' of the region for reflection and action. She is also a recent member of the Ecology Sector of the Vatican Dicastery for the Promotion of Integral Human Development, advising in relation to the implementation of the *Laudato Si'* Goals and the *Laudato Si'* Action Platform.

Adele is a member of the Australian Advisory Council for the Global Foundation. She is an experienced Educator with qualifications in both Theology and Media Arts, as well as Education. Adele is an Honorary Fellow of Australian Catholic University, in the Faculty of Theology and Philosophy.



## **Mr Steve Howard**

### **Secretary General, The Global Foundation**

As founding Secretary General of the non-profit Global Foundation since 1998, Steve Howard has led the necessary global push for the adoption of 'co-operative globalisation', a holistic and long-term strategy to enable a sustainable global common good.

Much of Steve's work with the Global Foundation has involved aligning leaders from the private sector, civil society, academia, faiths and institutions, and sometimes from governments, from across the world, in defining and striving for a shared global vision, backed up by concrete actions.

Many world leaders, including Pope Francis and his most senior officials at the Vatican, have personally participated in and endorsed this and related initiatives. Through this collaborative and low-key approach, Steve and the Global Foundation have helped to shape global affairs with practical outcomes.

Prior to the Global Foundation, he led the successful renaissance strategy for Melbourne, Australia in the early 1990's, including a national strategy to enable private sector investment in public infrastructure, which has since been adopted as investment model, worldwide.



## **Mr Jeyakumar Janakaraj**

### **CEO, Adani Global Singapore & AdaniConneX**

Jeyakumar Janakaraj is the Country Head of the Adani Singapore. Fondly known as JJ, he is a veteran leader who has successfully built and managed large-scale infrastructure projects and businesses spanning wide geographical locations from India, Africa to Australia for over two decades. A firm believer in harnessing phenomenal growth through harmonising a multicultural workforce, some of JJ's notable achievements include leveraging on technology and people empowerment in accelerating project timelines as well as delivering innovative concepts to optimise operations.

Through his expert guidance, JJ has led companies through significant expansion, growth and financial performance. JJ has been awarded the Gold Medal by the Indian Institute of Metals for his significant contribution to the non-ferrous metallurgical industry and the DEMAG Gold medal for innovative leadership by the Indian Institute of Metals. In 2009, JJ was listed in the prestigious International Who's Who of Professionals.

Before taking the helm at Adani Singapore, JJ was the CEO and Country Head of Adani Group in Australia in 2013. Prior to that, he carved an 18-year career holding various senior-level management roles with Sterlite Industries since 1995. He also sits on the Accenture Global Mining Executive Council. JJ holds a Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering from PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore.



## **Ms Laura Jones**

### **Community Worker, Wales**

Laura Jones is a yoga teacher and community worker based in Wales, UK. She is Carmarthenshire born and bred, a Welsh speaker with a BA in History and History of Art. She has a wide range of employment experience, having worked in education, IT, finance, marketing and administration in London and Sydney.

She has finally found her calling as a yoga teacher. Witnessing first-hand the stress and pressures of school life, the qualification-culture, the expectations placed upon students by themselves and others in society to become what is typically perceived as "successful", has developed her mission in yoga. Laura has now gained more than 15 years experience of yoga practice including specialization in yoga for teenagers, as well as expanding her focus on women's health and wellbeing in menopause. Since returning to Carmarthenshire, Laura has become involved in community initiatives aimed at the sustainable social and economic recovery of rural towns across the county.



## **H.E. Mochamad Ridwan Kamil**

### **Governor of West Java, Indonesia**

Mochamad Ridwan Kamil, ST. MUD (Born in Bandung, October 4th, 1971); is a Mayor of Bandung for 2013-2018. His background is an architect, lecturer, and social activist.

He graduated from Architecture Engineering of Bandung Institute of Technology (ITB) and achieved Master Degree from University of California, Berkeley. After finishing his master program, he began his professional career in several firms in The United States of America and has built more than fifty (50) projects of architecture and urban design in America, Middle East and Asia.

Through his own firm, he has nationally and internationally won more than 20 competitions and awards.



## **Mr Pascal Lamy**

### **President, Paris Peace Forum & Former Director General of the World Trade Organisation**

Pascal Lamy (pascallamy.eu) is the President of the Paris Peace Forum and of the European branch of the Brunswick Group. He coordinates the Jacques Delors Institutes (Paris, Berlin, Brussels).

He is also President or member of various boards with a global, european or french vocation (European Starfish Mission (ocean), Mo Ibrahim Foundation, European Climate Foundation, IFPRI, PECC, CERRE, TMEA, Antarctica 2020, Transparency International, Alpbach Forum, Beijing Forum, World Trade Forum, WEF, Global Risks, Europaeum, Collegium international, Musiciens du Louvre, Institut Mendes-France, Colbert Foundation, etc.).

He is an affiliated professor at the China Europe International Business School CEIBS (Shanghai) and at HEC (Paris). From 2005 to 2013, Pascal Lamy served two consecutive terms as Director General of the World Trade Organization (WTO). He was previously Trade Commissioner (1999-2004), Director General of Crédit Lyonnais (1994-1999), Chief of Staff of the President of the European Commission, Jacques Delors and his G7 Sherpa (1985-1994), Deputy Chief of Staff of the French Prime Minister (1983-1985) and to the French Minister of the Economy and Finance (1981-1983). Last publication "Strange new world" (Odile Jacob 2020), "Où va le monde?" (Odile Jacob 2018).



## **Ms Sylvie Lemmet**

### **Ambassador for the Environment, Ministry for Europe & Foreign Affairs, Government of France**

Mrs Sylvie Lemmet is since July 2021, the French Ambassador to Environment, and in her capacity, leads the French interministerial teams, and assists the government, in international negotiations related to this major issue.

A senior member of the French supreme audit court ("conseiller maître à la Cour des Comptes"), Mrs Lemmet is a graduate from HEC, Sciences-Po, ENA and holds a master in public administration from the Harvard Kennedy School. After a first part of her career in the private sector, she became the director of an NGO operating in refugee camps in Thailand, before being appointed chief financial officer of Medecins Sans Frontières. Since 1996, her career focused on environment, at the World Bank, then as the head of the division in charge of the "brown agenda" at UNEP, and then at the head of the international and european department of the French ministry for environment, a capacity in which she was a key member or the task force in charge of the Paris Agreement, during which she ran the Agenda for Action. She then joined back the Cour des Comptes and the French ministry of finance for a mission dedicated to the French covid "plan de relance".

She is a board member of the Grameen Credit Agricole foundation and is part of numerous think-tanks and international platforms dedicated to climate change and environment.



## **The Hon. Jeannie Lopes**

### **Ambassador United Kingdom, Advance**

Jeannie Lopes grew up in Tasmania and was educated in NSW and the USA before coming to London in 1990 where she worked for the BBC, later joining a number of not-for-profit boards. She remained involved in business and education through the years when her children were young and mixes her commitments as UK Ambassador for Advance with head-hunting for non-executive directors, for investment companies and asset managers. She also serves on the Australian Advisory Board of the Global Foundation.



## **Mr John McCarthy AO**

### **Senior Advisor to Asialink, Former Australian Ambassador to India, Indonesia, Japan and United States & Member of the Australian Advisory Council of the Global Foundation**

John McCarthy AO is a former Australian career diplomat. He joined the then Department of External Affairs in 1968.

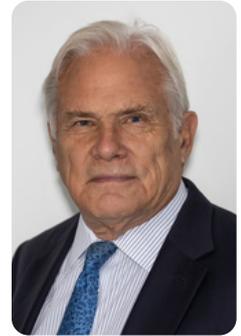
McCarthy's posts include Ambassador to Vietnam, Mexico, Thailand, The United States, Indonesia and Japan and High Commissioner to India.

His assignments in the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) in Australia included Chief of Staff to the then Foreign Minister, Andrew Peacock, Chief Legal Officer and Deputy Secretary.

Born in Washington DC in 1942, McCarthy has an MA and LLB from Cambridge University and was called to the London bar at the Middle Temple in 1965. He was a barrister in London from 1965 to 1966 and worked for the New York law firm of Shearman and Sterling from 1966-1967. Since leaving DFAT in 2009, McCarthy has been: National President of the Australian Institute of International Affairs; Chair of the Australian Australia-India Council; Co-convenor of the Australian-Indonesia dialogue; and Chair of the Advisory Board of the Griffith Asia Institute.

After 2009, McCarthy has also had a number of assignments from the Minister of Foreign Affairs and has been involved in the private sector, including as senior adviser to Mitsubishi Materials Corporation, Tokyo, since 2011.

McCarthy is a senior adviser to Asialink. McCarthy is an Officer of the Order of Australia (1999). He has Honorary Doctorates from Murdoch and Griffith Universities.



## **Friar Marco Moroni**

### **General Custody of the Sacred Convent of San Francesco Frati Minori Conventual, Assisi**

Friar Minor Conventual, of the Italian Province of Sant'Antonio di Padova. After obtaining a master's degree at the "Alessandro Manzoni" Teaching Institute in Varese and winning the master's competition, he worked as an elementary teacher from 1986 to 1991 in various schools in the Province of Varese and was ordained a priest on September 18, 1999.

He obtained a Baccalaureate in Theology at the Theological Institute of Sant'Antonio Dottore in Padua and later specializations in Theology of Consecrated Life at the Claretianum Institute (aggregated to the Pontifical Lateran University) and in Theological Anthropology at the Pontifical Teresianum University of Rome.

After his studies in Rome he lived in the communities of the Convent of Sant'Antonio Dottore of Padua (2001-2003), of the San Francesco Convent of Treviso (2003-2013), of the Sacred Convent of Assisi (2013-2017), of the San Francesco Convent of Bologna (2017-2020). On 29 June 2020 he was elected by the Minister General OFMConv, fra Carlos Alberto Trovarelli, Custos General of the General Custody of the Sacred Convent of Assisi, to which he moved on 1 September 2020, in view of the beginning of the mandate, initially foreseen. for the month of February 2021.



## **Ms Pauliina Murphy**

### **Engagement Director, World Benchmarking Alliance**

Pauliina leads the WBA's advocacy and outreach strategy for the WBA and its benchmarks, building and strengthening relationships with diverse stakeholders, including investors, civil society and governments, working to ensure that the Alliance is inclusive and relevant globally. Pauliina joined the WBA from Aviva, a global insurance company and asset manager, where she was Head of International Government Engagement. At Aviva, Pauliina drove forward international policy development and advocacy campaigns on sustainable finance and trade and investment, working closely with multi-lateral institutions such as the UN, G7 and G20. Pauliina ran the company's global stakeholder and political engagement strategy, to change the rules at the highest level so that capital is deployed to drive sustainable growth.



## **Professor Dermot Nestor**

### **Executive Dean of Theology & Philosophy, Australian Catholic University**

Dermot Nestor is the current Head of School for Theology at ACU and is based at the Strathfield Campus. He joined the Faculty of Theology & Philosophy in July of 2011 from the School of Religions & Theology, Trinity College Dublin where he completed his B.A (Hons) and where he received his PhD. This dissertation, on the theme of Israelite ethnic identity, was conducted under the supervision of Prof. A.D.H. Mayes and was supported through a prestigious Government of Ireland Postgraduate Fellowship. In addition to teaching at Trinity College, he has also taught at several other institutes including Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, and St. Patrick's College, Dublin. He has served as an elected member of the Royal Irish Academy's Classical and Near Eastern Studies Committee, as well as several international scholarly communities based at Trinity College Dublin.



## **Dr. Giuseppe Parigi**

### **Deputy Director General for Human Resources, Communications & Information, Bank of Italy**

Born in Sarnico (BG) on 20 August 1960, Dr. Parigi graduated with honours in Economics in 1983 at the University of Bergamo. He continued his studies, taking an M.A. in Economics at Warwick University (UK). He joined the Bank of Italy in 1985 to work in the Banking and Financial Supervision Area in the Financial Statements' Analysis Office. In 1987, he passed the competitive exam for managers to work in the Economic Research Department, where he was assigned to the Econometric Research Office.

After a period as a visiting student at Oxford University, in 1992 he began work in the Economic Outlook Analysis Office, becoming its Head in 1994. In 2000 he moved on to manage the Real Economy Sector of the Economic Research Department.

In 2007 he was appointed Head of the Economic Outlook Analysis Division of the Economic Outlook and Monetary Policy Department. In 2009 he became Deputy Head of the Economic Analysis and International Relations Department and in 2014 he became the Head of the International Relations Directorate, now International Relations and Economics Directorate, within the Directorate General for Economics, Statistics and Research.

On 4 May 2020 he was appointed Deputy Director General for Human Resources, Communications and Information. He has taught at several universities in Italy and published essays and articles on econometric modelling and economic forecasting; he is a member of various committees and working groups at leading international organizations.



## **H.E. Ambassador Chiara Porro**

### **Australian Ambassador to the Holy See**

Chiara Porro is a career diplomat who joined Australia's Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) in 2009. She has held a range of positions in Canberra, including most recently as Director, Ministerial and Executive Liaison Section, Executive Branch. She was seconded as an Adviser to the International Division of the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet (2016-17), and has worked in DFAT's Budget Branch (2015-16) and Africa Branch (2014).

Overseas, Ms Porro has served as Deputy Consul-General in Noumea, New Caledonia (2018-2020), on a short-term mission to West Africa (2016), and as Second Secretary in New Delhi, India (2011-2014). Ms Porro holds a Master of International Relations and Diplomacy from the University of Leiden, the Netherlands and a Bachelor of Arts in Politics, Philosophy and Economics from the University of York, United Kingdom. She speaks Italian and French.

Ms Porro assumed her position as Australian Ambassador to the Holy See on 27 July 2020. Ms Porro is married and has two children.



## **Prof. Ing. Stefania Proietti Ph.D.**

### **Mayor of Assisi & President of the Province of Perugia, Italy**

Stefania Proietti was first elected Mayor of Assisi, Italy, in June 2016 and was re-elected in October 2021.

She has a distinguished academic and corporate background, with a doctorate in mechanical engineering and is renowned globally for her work on climate action and carbon markets, at academic, political and business levels.

Mayor Proietti participated in the Foundation's 2018 Rome Roundtable and has invited the Foundation to partner with her for the presentation of the 'Economy of Francesco' global conference, featuring Pope Francis and 3,000 young entrepreneurs, to be held in Assisi from 26-28 March 2020.

In addition, she will host the Global Foundation's Assisi Roundtable on 21st & 22nd May.



## **Mr Marc Reverdin (TBC)**

### **Director, Brunswick Group London**

Marc is a Director in Brunswick's London office. He brings a unique mix of expertise on global challenges, geopolitics and public affairs and advises clients on a wide range of business-critical issues. He leads the partnership between Brunswick and the Paris Peace Forum.

A career diplomat in the French Foreign Service since 2011, Marc Reverdin specialized in European affairs and was Political Counsellor at the French Embassy in Rome from 2014 to 2016. He then joined Pascal Lamy, former Director general of the World Trade Organisation, as Diplomatic Adviser.

In 2018, he helped to create the Paris Peace Forum, an initiative of French President Emmanuel Macron, and held the position of Secretary General till he joined Brunswick in 2022. In this new institution dedicated to global governance, he played a central role in the organisation of the annual event involving dozens of heads of state and thousands of participants from around the world.

He also serves as Secretary General to the France-Pacific Territories Committee of the Pacific Economic Cooperation Council (PECC), a Singapore-based international organisation which promotes the development of Asia-Pacific economies and makes regular recommendations to the APEC forum.

He holds degrees in philosophy, musicology, public administration and international relations and teaches international and European issues at Sciences Po Strasbourg.





**Mr Chris Riley**

**Pro Vice-Chancellor, Global and Education Pathways, Australian Catholic University**

Chris Riley is the Pro Vice-Chancellor, Global and Education Pathways at Australian Catholic University (ACU). He joined Australian Catholic University in October 2010. Chris has institutional responsibility for developing and implementing ACU's Global and Education Pathways Strategies and programs. Responsibilities include Equity Pathways, Student Transition programs, domestic and international pathway programs, Student Veterans Support programs, international partnerships, student exchange and international mobility programs, international student recruitment, admission and support, and ACU College the university's vocational education and training operation.



Chris represents ACU on Universities Australia's Deputy Vice Chancellor International Committee and was a member of the Committee's Executive from 2016-2020. He was Chair of the NSW Deputy Vice-Chancellors International Committee from 2017 - 2019. He is also a member of the International Education Association of Australia (IEAA) and the European Association for International Education (EAIE). Prior to joining ACU, he held a number of senior positions with the University of Sydney, including Deputy Director, International and General Manager of the Faculty of Economics and Business.

**Mr Jean-Michel Severino**

**Manager of Investisseurs et Partenaires, Company Director & Former CEO of the French International Development Agency**

Chairman of the Supervisory Board of "Investisseurs & Partenaires" (I&P), Inspector General of Finance, member of the Academy of Technologies, Jean-Michel Severino has since 2010 focused mainly on "impact investment", societal investments and Africa after a career dedicated to development finance.



He was previously Director of Development at the French Ministry of Cooperation, Vice-President for East Asia at the World Bank, and Director General of the French Development Agency (AFD) from 2001 to 2010. He is a lead director of the board of Danone, a chairman of its governance committee, as well as a director of Orange and Michelin. He chairs Veolia's "critical friends committee". He has been a member of the boards of directors of EIB and Ecobank International, as well as of several corporate foundations (Carrefour, Sanofi, Alstom, Avril).

Mr. Severino publishes regularly in the French and international press. His latest book, "Entrepreneante Afrique", co-written with Jérémy Hajdenberg, and published by Odile Jacob, is dedicated to the revolution of African entrepreneurship. He is a Senior Fellow of the Foundation for International Development Studies and Research (FERDI). He was also a senior fellow of the German Marshall Fund, an advisor to the European Commissioner for Development, and a member of the French Foreign Affairs Council.

**Sr. Alessandra Smerilli**

**Secretary of the Dicastery for promoting Integral Human Development**

Sister Alessandra Smerilli works at the Pontifical Faculty of Educational Sciences Auxilium as an extraordinary professor of political economy and statistics, and also as a member of the University's board of directors. She also teaches economics, ethics and finance at the Faculty of Philosophy of the Salesian Pontifical University and in the master's program in civil and non-profit economics at the University of Milan-Bicocca. She is a member of the Scientific and Organizational committees of the Social Weeks of Italian Catholics, and since 2013 the Secretary of this initiative.



In 2019, Pope Francis appointed Sr. Smerilli as a councilor of the Vatican City State. Soon after that, on 24 May 2019, the same pontiff also appointed her consultant to the general secretariat of the Synod of Bishops. Since 2020, she has coordinated the Economic Task Force of the Vatican COVID-19 Commission, an institution created by Pope Francis to express the Church's concern in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic and to propose answers to the socio-economic challenges of the future.

In May 2020 she was awarded the Order of the Star of Italy for her "academic achievements and commitment to the ethical principles in business and finance". On 24 March 2021, Pope Francis appointed her the Undersecretary for the Faith and Development Sector of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development of the Roman Curia. On 23 April 2022 Sr. Smerilli became the Secretary for the Dicastery.

## **Bishop Domenico Sorrentino (TBC)**

### **Archbishop of Foligno & Bishop of Assisi-Nocera Umbra Gualdo Tadino, Italy**

Bishop Domenico Sorrentino was ordained a Catholic priest for the Diocese of Nola in 1972, having studied at the Roman ecclesiastical universities as a pupil of the Almo Collegio Capranica. Sorrentino then obtained a doctorate in theology from the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome and a doctorate in political science from the University of Rome La Sapienza.

After a number of appointments in his home diocese, he was appointed to diocesan responsibilities for catechetics. He was also involved in the establishment of a library centred on the figure of the church father, Paulinus of Nola. Sorrentino also became a teacher in the Institute of Religious Science at Nola and in the theological faculty at Naples. In 1992 he obtained a position in the Secretariat of State in Rome. He was appointed on 17 February 2001 to the rank of Archbishop and the post of Prelate of Pompeii.

Sorrentino was appointed to the post of Secretary of the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments, on 2 August 2003. His most recent came on 19 November 2005, when he was appointed Bishop of Assisi, keeping the personal title of archbishop.

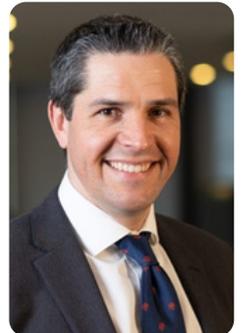


## **Mr Tom Tayler**

### **Senior Manager, Sustainable Finance Centre for Excellence, Aviva Investors**

Tom Tayler is a Senior Manager in the Sustainable Finance Centre for Excellence. His work focusses on market reform and sharing expertise and best practice on sustainable finance through the Aviva Investors ESG Academy. Tom supports Aviva Investors work regarding sustainable finance with a particular focus on market and regulatory reform, including contributing to the work of the COP26 High Level Climate Champions, the EU High-Level Expert Group on Sustainable Finance, the UK Green Market Taskforce, the UN-convened Net Zero Asset Owners' Alliance, and the UN Global Investors for Sustainable Development.

Tom has also worked with policymakers on key reforms including the EU Sustainable Finance Action Plan, the DWP reform of pension trustees' fiduciary duty, and the IOSCO Sustainable Finance Network. He is a member of the reference group for the UN PRI/UNEP Legal Framework for Impact project and is a qualified solicitor, holding an MA (Oxon) in Jurisprudence from the Queen's College Oxford. He has worked at Aviva Investors for 6 years, and previously worked at Allen & Overy LLP, the Department of the Treasury Solicitor, Beachcroft LLP and the University of Law.



## **Ms Amber Terranova**

### **Education Director, Magnum Photos**

Amber Terranova is an experienced visual content and education director based in New York City. She is currently a BFA faculty member at The School of Visual Arts, a faculty member at the International Center of Photography and the Education Director with Magnum Photos.

Amber has extensive marketing, photo directing, commissioning and consultancy experience for multiple major brands and publications around the world. She has worked as a photo editor at New York, Outside, Photo District News, The New Yorker and People. In 2013 Amber was the interim Director at the Bilder Nordic School of Photography in Oslo, Norway.

Amber is committed to photography education and to helping photographers realize their creative and career potential. She has taught photography workshops in the US, Europe, Asia and has been a guest lecturer at several institutions. In addition, she has judged a number of international photo competitions. Amber is an advisory council board member for CENTER, a non-profit that honors, supports, and provides opportunities to gifted and committed photographers.



**Dr. Debora Tonelli**

**Research Fellow, Georgetown Representative in Rome**

Dr. Debora Tonelli is the Georgetown University representative in Rome and Research Fellow at the Berkley Center for Religion Peace and World Affairs. permanent researcher at the Center for Religious Studies at the Fondazione Bruno Kessler in Trento. She also serves as a lecturer at Gregorian University and Pontifical Atheneum S. Anselmo. Tonelli's research and teaching address the interaction between politics and religion, particularly in the context of interreligious dialogue and religious violence.



**Ms Wendy Tyrrell**

**Executive Director, Development Partner Institute**

Wendy Tyrrell is Executive Director and a member of the Board of the Development Partner Institute. She has worked in sustainability, ESG, and responsible sourcing for 25+ years across mining and international development. Wendy has held senior roles in BHP and Orica and led a niche consulting firm that works internationally on sustainability. Wendy has held prior Board roles including AVI (an international development company), Transparency International Australia and the global Extractives Industry Transparency Initiative. Until recently Wendy was Chair of a start-up technology company, which is reimagining uses and management of water through better access to understanding its qualities.



Wendy has developed her passion working across different geographical and cultural contexts, seeing first-hand that bringing diverse stakeholders together can spark new ideas and ways of thinking and working, to positively contribute to the sustainable development of countries and regions. Wendy is a Graduate and member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors. She holds a Masters' degree in International Relations and a Bachelor of Applied Science.

**Dr. Sally Uren OBE**

**CEO, Forum for the Future**

Sally oversees Forum for the Future's mission to accelerate transformation to a just and regenerative future. This involves working with global businesses such as HSBC and Walgreens Boots Alliance, as well as a wide range of other non-profit, membership and philanthropic organisations.

This work takes the form of both one to one partnerships and multi-stakeholder collaborations, all designed to address complex challenges in systems as diverse as from food to apparel. Sally has recently contributed to Forum's 'Business Transformation Compass' - a guide to just and regenerative business, as well as co-authored 'Driving Co-Benefits for Climate and Health', private sector guidance for developing integrated climate and health strategies.



Sally is a regular speaker at international conferences and has had articles published in a wide variety of media outlets. She is an independent advisor on Advisory Boards for several global businesses including Kimberly Clark and Burberry and also Co-Chair of the Independent Advisory Group for Travalyst, the global travel and tourism collaboration led by the Duke of Sussex.

**Dr. Marc Uzan**

**Founder & Executive Director at Reinventing Bretton Woods Committee**

Marc Uzan is the Executive Director and founder of the Reinventing Bretton Woods Committee, a non-profit organization established in 1994 that is internationally recognized for its work addressing issues related to the international financial architecture. Since January 2022 he has also joined the Center for European Policy Network FREIBURG | BERLIN | PARIS | ROMA as the director of the Paris offices of this think tank.



He has edited several books on international finance including most recently "Bretton Woods: The Next 70 Years" (2015) and "The Ten Years After" (2018, available on Amazon) a compilation of essays on the implications of the great financial Crisis. Mr. Uzan has authored academic papers on the new

architecture for the international financial system and has written extensively about economics and finance in the popular press.

Mr. Uzan holds a Master Degree in International Economics and Finance from the Université de Paris IX Dauphine. He has been a visiting scholar at the Department of Economics of the University of California, Berkeley and a visiting fellow at Harvard University.

## **Ambassador Daniele Verga**

### **Diplomatic Adviser to the Grand Chancellor of the Sovereign Order of Malta**

Daniele Verga graduated from the Liceo Scientifico Amedeo Avogadro in Rome. After graduating in Political Science at the University of Rome “La Sapienza”, he entered a diplomatic career in 1974. At the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Rome he held the positions of Head of the Press and Information Service, Head of the Middle East, Mediterranean and Gulf Office, Deputy Director General for the countries of sub-Saharan Africa, Coordinator for Minorities and Exiles. From 2008 to 2010 he served as Special Envoy of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for the Arctic.

Abroad he served as First Secretary at the Embassy of Italy in Belgrade, Consul of Italy in Bastia (Corsica, France), First Counsellor at the Permanent Representation to the United Nations Organization (UN) in Geneva (Switzerland), Vice-Ambassador at the Embassy of Italy in Ankara (Turkey). Ambassador of Italy in Ljubljana (Slovenia). In May 2011 he founded the “Associazione Nazionale Diplomatici a r. – Costantino Nigra” of which he is Vice President and Executive Secretary.



## **Professor Frank Van Gansbeke**

### **Founder & Managing Partner of Goosecreek Ventures LLC & Professor at Middlebury College**

Frank acquired more than 30 years of global Senior Executive experience within the Corporate Finance and Capital Markets fields at Fortis and BNPP. At Middlebury College (US), Frank taught as Professor of the Practice “Capital Markets”, “Investment Management” and “Introduction to Finance”. As Executive Scholar in Residence, Frank will teach “Sustainable Finance”, “Responsible Investments” and “Carbonomics.”

He mentors at their entrepreneurial program and acts as faculty advisor to RISE, a student led investment organization. In 2019, Frank was awarded the “student advisor award.” Frank mentors at Techstars, a VC firm and board advises (early stage) companies and NGOs on the nexus of Sustainable Development and Fintech.

In 2020, Frank co-established the Sustainable Finance Unconference series, a quarterly platform where prominent Sustainable Finance peers present their recent contributions in the space. At COP26 in 2021, Frank co-founded “Beyond Bretton Woods”, a think tank platform reviewing the international financial architecture and fostering the foundations for a fair, nature-centric, and regenerative financial system. Frank is a regular contributor to Forbes online.



## **Ms Anne Walsh**

### **Online Communications Consultant, Faith-based organisations**

Following many years in secondary school education, Anne began a career in online communication creating award-winning digital resources which were used locally and internationally to communicate, educate and inspire.

Since 2012 she has been a consultant in online communications to organisations who do “work that matters”.



## **Ms Louise Watson**

### **Chairman, The Global Foundation**

Louise has been a member of the Board of the Global Foundation since 2017. She has over 25 years' experience as a strategic adviser to companies and Government. Louise has long-standing and trusted relationships with Australia's corporate leaders, influencers, investors, market operatives, and the media.

In 2002, Louise established Symbol Strategic Communications, recognised as one of Australia's leading corporate advisory firms in communications and investor relations. Louise advises leaders and companies on seminal events and issues, significant transactions and transformation projects, and during times of corporate change.

Louise has two decades of diverse Board experience and is currently also a Non-Executive Director of the Brandenburg Foundation. Previously, Louise was a Non-Executive Director of CARE Australia; an Advisory Board Member of Grant Samuel and Associates; a Non-Executive Director of the Odyssey House McGrath Foundation and a Committee member of the Prime Minister's Supermarket to Asia Council Communications Working Group.



## **Dr. Steve Waygood**

### **Chief Responsible Investment Officer, Aviva Investors**

Steve has always been fascinated by the power of money to change the world. He has worked for Aviva Investors for the last 15 years where he founded its Global Responsible Investment team as well as its Sustainable Finance Centre for Excellence, which seeks to transform capital markets so that they become more sustainable. He also co-founded the Corporate Human Rights Benchmark, the World Benchmarking Alliance, and the UN Sustainable Stock Exchange Initiative.

Steve started his career at WWF-UK in 1995, where he worked on its own ethical and environmental investment policy. He has subsequently advised the UK Government, the European Commission, the Financial Stability Board and the UN on the creation of sustainable capital markets.

Steve was appointed to the European Commission High-Level Expert Group on Sustainable Finance, and the UK Green Finance Taskforce, and is also a member of the Financial Stability Board Taskforce on Climate Related Financial Disclosure (TCFD). He was highlighted by the Financial Times in 2018 as being one of the warriors of climate change among Money Managers.

His work became a case study in the Harvard Business School MBA in 2012. Steve has received the Leadership in Sustainability award from the Corporation of London and the British Chamber of Commerce.



## **Prof. Bing Xiang**

### **Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business**

Prof. Xiang Bing is the Founding Dean and Professor of China Business and Globalization at Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business (CKGSB). CKGSB is China's first faculty-governed, independent and private business school with headquarters in Beijing, campuses in Shanghai and Shenzhen and representative offices in Hong Kong, London and New York.

He has served as an independent board member of a number of companies (including three Fortune Global 500 companies) listed in Hong Kong, Mainland China and the United States. He is a member of the International Advisory Council of Fundação Dom Cabral (FDC), a member of the Global Advisory Board of Yonsei School of Business in Korea, a member of the Advisory Board of



Asia House in London and a Counselor for One Young World Summit in Dublin. He has also served as a member of the Board of Trustees for United Way Worldwide (US) from 2011-2017.

Prof. Xiang is a leading authority on China business. His research interests include the reform of state-owned enterprises, innovation and the role of the private sector and economic disruption in China. His insights on the innovations in China, globalization of Chinese companies, China's development models, global implications of China's transformation, social innovation, economic disruption, China-US relations, global trade and investment systems and global governance have been widely acclaimed.

Prof. Xiang was named the "China Philanthropist of the Year" in 2018 and 2020 by China Philanthropy Times. He was awarded the "Vanguard for Social Responsibilities" in 2020 by Southern Weekly. Prof. Xiang received his Ph.D. in Business Administration from the University of Alberta in Canada, and his bachelor's degree in Engineering from Xi'an Jiaotong University in China.

## **Tans Sri Dr. Michael Yeoh**

### **President, KSI Strategic Institute for Asia Pacific**

Michael Yeoh is a Business, think tank and thought leader with over 35 years of senior corporate management, consulting and boardroom experience. Currently he is President, KSI Strategic Institute for Asia Pacific, an independent non-profit Think Tank. He was previously CEO of the Asian Strategy & Leadership Institute. He is also Deputy Chairman of the Economic Club of Kuala Lumpur and a Director of the Malaysia China Business Council and the British Malaysia Chamber of Commerce and General Committee member of the Malaysian International Chamber of Commerce and Industry. He was appointed to the United Nations ESCAP Executive Council for Sustainable Business and has served as Malaysia's Representative ( Ambassador rank) to the Asean High Level Task Force on Connectivity, Commissioner in the Royal Commission of Police, Member of the Malaysia Competition Commission, member Advisory Board of the Malaysian Anti Corruption Commission and Commissioner in the Human Rights Commission (SUHAKAM).



Michael sits on the Board of Directors of MUI Properties (Property Development), Pan Malaysia Corporation (Investment and Food), and Kashtec Holdings (Fintech and e-Commerce) and is a Trustee of the OSK Foundation and Yayasan Wesley. He was a Former Director of Star Media Group, the National Heart Institute and Sunway University. He has authored 5 books and have spoken at forums organized by the World Economic Forum, Confederation of Indian Industry, Centre for China and Globalization, the Asia Society, the China Development Institute, World Policy Conference and Oxford and Cambridge Universities. He holds a degree in Economics from Monash University and Doctor of Laws (honoris causa) from the University of Nottingham.

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