CONFERENCE

14th Annual European Post Trade Virtual Conference

18 October 2021 / Virtual (BST)

Day 1 - Monday, 18 October 2021

08:30 / Registration Opens

09:00 - 09:15

Welcome and opening remarks

Speaker



Daisy McAndrew
Journalist and Presenter

09:15 - 09:45

Keynote Address - Building for the securities industry's digital phase

Digital securities have created an inflection point for the industry and post-trade operations need to modernise their processes. How can the industry and regulators work together to ensure that future markets are not only more flexible and efficient, but remain secure, transparent, and characterised by integrity?

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PANEL DISCUSSION

09:45 - 11:40

DLT and Digital Assets: Has the train now left the station?

OVERVIEW

- What is the business case for the use of DLT in settlement processes?
- What does custody of digital assets look like?
- How to ensure safety, efficiency and legal certainty in a decentralised environment?

Moderator



Robert Scott
Head of Market Infrastructure, Participants & Services, Commerzbank

Speakers



Elisabeth Noble
Senior Policy Advisor, European Banking Authority



Nadine Teychenne
Director, Head of Digital Assets, Securities Services, Citi



Philipp Sandner
Head of the Frankfurt School Blockchain Center (FSBC), Frankfurt School of Finance & Management



Valeria Zafar
Director for EMEA Business Development, Digital Asset

10:45 / Speed Networking – Hosted on Meetaway

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FIRESIDE CHAT

11:05 - 11:30

Post Trade and the Pandemic: The impact of Covid-19 on work environment

OVERVIEW

- Lookback at the impact of Covid-19 on capital markets and post-trade processing.
- What lessons have we learned? Are we better prepared for the next pandemic?
- How are firms overcoming the challenges of the new working environment?
- What will the “new normal” look like? How are team leaders adapting their approach?

Moderator



Alan Cameron
Head of Advisory FIC Client Line, BNP Paribas

Speakers



Archie Stebbings
Partner, Oliver Wyman



Maurice Evlyn-Bufton
CEO, Armstrong Wolfe

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Assessing the changing landscape for clearing of Euro-denominated products

OVERVIEW

- How will the clearing landscape change in the short- and long-term?
- What will be the consequences if equivalence is not maintained?
- How can relocation be managed to minimise the risks to market participants?

Moderator



Jim Brunsden
Senior Vice President – Financial Services Practice, FleishmanHillard

Speakers



Fiona van Echelpoel
Deputy Director General, European Central Bank

Julien Jardelot
Head of Europe, Government Relations & Regulatory Strategy, LSEG



Klaus Löber
Chair of the CCP Supervisory Committee (CCP SC), European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA)



Koen Holdtgrefe
Co-Head Government and Regulatory Affairs, Deutsche Bank



Philip Simons
Global Head of Sales, Fixed Income Derivatives Funding & Financing, Eurex

12:45 / SWIFT's 'Smarter Securities' Strategy – increased transparency for greater efficiency

13:00 - 13:05

Closing Remarks

Speaker



Daisy McAndrew
Journalist and Presenter

Day 2 - Tuesday, 19 October 2021

12:00 / Registration opens

12:30 - 12:50

Welcome address

12:35 - 12:50

Opening remarks

12:50 - 13:20

Fireside chat: A central bank view on Wholesale CBDC

Moderator



Peter Tomlinson
Manager, Post Trade and Prime Services, AFME

Speaker



Nathalie Aufauvre
Director General, Financial Stability and Operations, Banque de France

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13:20 - 14:00

Fireside Chat: the CSDR Review in focus

Moderator



Alex Dockx
Executive Director, Head of Securities Services Industry Development, J.P. Morgan

Speaker



Jennifer Robertson
Acting Head of Unit, European Commission

14:00 / ***Return to work Anxiety? How to help yourself and your people build resilience and thrive – without doing a PhD and over 20 years of research.***

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14:30 - 15:30

CSDR Settlement Discipline: What Next?

OVERVIEW

- Assuming that some or all of the measures go live in February 2022, what are the key outstanding challenges for implementation?
- What can we expect from the legislative proposal in Q4?
- How will the new rules change existing ways of working?

Moderator

Pablo Portugal
Managing Director at Association for Financial Markets in Europe, AFME

Speakers



Charifa El Otmani
Head of Capital Markets Strategy (Interim), Swift



Daniel Carpenter
Head of Regulation, Meritsoft (a Cognizant company)



James Cunningham
European Regulatory and Market Initiatives, BNY Mellon



Jesús Benito
Head Iberclear-BME, SIX



Matt Johnson
Director, Digital Platform Management & Industry Relations, Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation (DTCC)

15:30 / Networking break

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Digitalisation of Post Trade Processes

OVERVIEW

- Where has Covid-19 exposed operational inefficiencies in legacy back-office processes?
- What are the barriers to automation/digitalisation? Are there regulatory constraints or is it simply market practice?
- How can the industry and regulators collaborate to build a more digital, modern post trade environment?
- How can market participants communicate more effectively and efficiently?
- What benefits does automation bring (efficiency, operational resilience, improved settlement rates etc)

Moderator



Sonia Paston-Bedingfeld
Executive Director – Post Trade & Custody Strategy, Network Management, UBS

Speakers



Capital Markets Ecosystem Lead, R3



Goncalo Lima
Capital Markets Ecosystem Lead, R3



Marcello Topa
Director, Head of Market Policy and Strategy, Citi



Sam Riley
Member of the CHAG Executive Board, Clearstream Holding AG and



Stephan Hänseler
Head SIX SIS, SIX

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T+1 Settlement: The Case For and Against in Europe

OVERVIEW

- If the US market moves to T+1 settlement, what is the impact on Europe?
- Should Europe follow suit? What are the challenges?
- Do the benefits outweigh the costs?

Moderator



Peter Tomlinson
Manager, Post Trade and Prime Services, AFME

Speakers



Pierre Davoust
Head of Central Securities Depositories, Euronext CSDs



Robert Cavallo
Executive Director, Settlement and Asset Servicing Strategy, Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation (DTCC)



Sachin Mohindra
Executive Director, Goldman Sachs



Terri Van Praagh
Chief Operating Officer, Global Fund Services UK, Northern Trust

17:20 / Closing remarks

17:30 / Close of conference