

# EIOPA'S 9TH SUSTAINABLE FINANCE CONFERENCE

## AGENDA

**DATE: 28 April 2026**

**TIME: 09:40 – 13:15h CEST**

**Format: Online**

Time	Topic
<b>09:40-09:45</b>	<b>Welcome and introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Carlos Guiné</b>, Head of Horizontal Unit Sustainability, EIOPA</li> </ul>
<b>09:45-10:00</b>	<b>Opening address</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Petra Hielkema</b>, Chairperson, EIOPA</li> </ul>
<b>10:00-10:15</b>	<b>Keynote speech: The European Plan for Climate Resilience (<i>pre-recorded</i>)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Wopke Hoekstra</b>, European Commissioner for Climate, Net Zero and Clean Growth</li> </ul>
<b>10:15-10:45</b>	<b>What are the benefits of a European Approach to Natural Catastrophe Risk Management?</b> Moderator: <b>Bernhard Mayr</b> , Financial Sector Principal, European Stability Mechanism (ESM) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Patrick Hoedjes</b>, Head of Policy and Supervisory Convergence Department, EIOPA</li> <li>➤ <b>Rolf Strauch</b>, Chief Economist and Management Board Member, European Stability Mechanism (ESM)</li> </ul>
<b>10:45-11:05</b>	<b>Prudential treatment of adaptation measures in Solvency II Nat Cat risk module</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Marie Scholer</b>, Senior Expert Sustainable Finance, EIOPA</li> </ul>
<b>11:05-11:20</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>11:20-12:35</b>	<b>Panel discussion Innovating Sustainability: The role of technology in a greener future</b> Moderator: <b>Valérie Mariatte-Wood</b> , Head of the Consumer Protection Department, EIOPA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Fiammetta Diani</b>, Head of Market, Downstream and Innovation, European Union Agency for the Space Programme (EUSPA)</li> <li>➤ <b>Laurent Feuilleaubois</b>, Co-founder &amp; CEO, Mitigate</li> <li>➤ <b>Paul Fox</b>, Senior Research and Advocacy Officer, Finance Watch</li> <li>➤ <b>Teija Korpioho</b>, Chief Advisor to the Head of Department, Financial Supervisory Authority (FIN-FSA)</li> </ul>
<b>12:35-13:05</b>	<b>Ensuring consumers' understand what they are covered for</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>Marco Traversa</b>, Conduct of Business Oversight Team Leader, EIOPA</li> </ul>
<b>13:05-13:15</b>	<b>Concluding remarks</b>