

PensionsEurope Annual Conference

Good Future for Funded Pensions

25 April 2024 (10:00 – 17:20)

AG Campus (17 Rue du Pont Neuf, 1000 Brussels)

9:30 – 10:00	Registration and welcome coffee
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Welcome Addresses	
10:00 – 10:10	Welcome address 1 Jerry Moriarty – Chair, PensionsEurope
10:10 – 10:15	Presentation of the report “Road to DC : understanding the shift” prepared by the PensionsEurope Standing Committee Future of Pensions Francois Barker – Head of Pensions, Eversheds Sutherland
10:15 – 10:20	Welcome address 2 Jan De Smet – Chair, PensioPlus

Keynote Addresses

10:20 – 10:50	Keynote speech 1 Steven Janssen – General Director, Sigedis
10:50 – 11:20	Keynote speech 2 Bridging Pension Gaps: Paving the Way for Sustainable Retirement in Europe Petra Hielkema – Chairperson, EIOPA

IORPs in Action: Charting a Course to Sustainable Horizons

11:20 – 11:40	Keynote speech Martin Špolc – Head of Unit, Sustainable Finance, DG FISMA, European Commission
11:40 – 12:25	Panel discussion <u>Moderator:</u> Matthies Verstegen – Head of Brussels Office, Pensioenfederatie <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Claudia Kruse – Managing Director Global Responsible Investment & Governance, APG Asset Management- Martin Špolc – Head of Unit, Sustainable Finance, DG FISMA, European Commission- Wim Vermeir – Chief Investment Officer, AG Insurance & Ageas

12:25 – 13:25	Lunch break
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Capitalising on Growth: Private Equity and Venture Capital in Pension Funds' Portfolios

13:25 – 13:55	<p>Keynote speech</p> <p>Uli Grabenwarter – Director - Equity Investments, European Investment Fund</p>
13:55 – 14:40	<p>Panel discussion</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Liam Kennedy – Editorial Director, IPE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Michael Brehm – Founding Partner, Redstone- Jan De Smet – CEO, Pensioenfonds Metaal OFP and Chair, PensioPlus- Diane Griffioen – Head of Private Equity, PGGM- Dr. Kai Wallbaum – Managing Director, Head of Asset-Life Business, Allianz Global Investors

14:40 – 15:10	Coffee break
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EU's Next Chapter: Priorities for the Incoming European Commission and Parliament

15:10 – 16:10	<p>Panel discussion</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Matti Leppälä – CEO/ Secretary General, PensionsEurope</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Eric Bergamin – Partner (Pensions), Eversheds Sutherland- Nicolò Brignoli – Member of Cabinet of Executive Vice-President Valdis Dombrovskis, European Commission- Steven Janssen – General Director, Sigedis- Hansjoerg Muellerleile – CEO, MetallRente GmbH
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Pathways for Funded Pensions in Europe

16:10 – 16:30	Keynote speech What will the Future bring: The Transformative Power of Large Language AI Models for the Pensions & Insurance Industry Dejan Malesic – Senior Manager, International Clients, Prevet
16:30 – 16:45	Keynote speech Presentation of the study supporting the monitoring of care credits in occupational pension schemes, funded by DG EMPL Dr. Barbara Janta – Principal Consultant, Risk & Policy Analysts Ltd
16:45 – 17:15	Keynote speech Regulatory Directions: The Legislative Pathway for Funded Pensions in Europe Yves Stevens – Professor, University Leuven
17:15 – 17:20	Closing Jerry Moriarty – Chair, PensionsEurope