



# PensionsEurope Annual Conference 2025

## The Way to Better Pensions

10 April 2025

National Bank of Romania,  
8 Doamnei Street, Bucharest

**9:30 – 10:00 | Registration**

### Opening Remarks

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**10:00 – 10:10 | Welcome address**

- **Mugur Isărescu** – Governor, National Bank of Romania

**10:10 – 10:20 | Welcome address**

- **Radu Crăciun** – Chairperson, Romanian Pension Funds' Association (APAPR)

**10:20 – 10:25 | Welcome address**

- **Klaus Stieffermann** – Interim Chairperson, PensionsEurope and Secretary General, aba

**10:25 – 10:35 | Keynote speech**

- **Csaba Nagy** – Chairperson CEEC Forum, PensionsEurope

**10:35 – 10:50 | Keynote speech**

- **Dan Armeanu** – Vice-President and Head of the Private Pension Division, Romanian Financial Supervisory Authority

## Session 1 – Making Pensions Pay Off

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**10:50 – 11:10** | Keynote speech

- **Jessica Mosher** – Policy Analyst, Private Pensions, OECD

**11:10 – 11:30** | Keynote speech

- **Carine Pilot-Osborn** – Pensions Team Leader, EIOPA

**11:30 – 11:45** | Presentation of the PensionsEurope report “Decumulation in Focus: Understanding the Payout Phase”

- **Francois Barker** – Senior Pensions Partner, Eversheds Sutherland

**11:45 – 12:45** | Panel discussion

*Moderator: **Matthies Verstegen** – Head of Brussels Office, Pensioenfederatie*

- **Michael Jones** – Pensions Partner, Head of DC Pensions, Eversheds Sutherland
- **Jessica Mosher** – Policy Analyst, Private Pensions, OECD
- **Carine Pilot-Osborn** – Pensions Team Leader, EIOPA
- **Gerke Witteveen** – Board member, APAPR and CEO NN Romania Pensions

**12:45 – 13:45** | **Lunch break**

## Session 2 – Building Bridges: Pensions and The Savings and Investments Union

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**13:45– 14:05** | Keynote speech

- **Tilman Lueder** – Head of Unit Insurance and Pensions, DG FISMA, European Commission

**14:05 – 15:05** | Panel discussion

*Moderator: **Liam Kennedy** – Editorial Director, IPE*

- **Gregory Miroux** – Director of Employee Savings and Retirement, AFG
- **Tilman Lueder** – Head of Unit Insurance and Pensions, DG FISMA, European Commission

- **Beate Petry** – Head of Pensions & other Benefits, BASF
- **Marius Ratiu** – Board member, APAPR and CEO, Carpathia Pensions
- **Jacques Van Dijken** – Vice-Chairperson, PensionsEurope and CEO, Stichting Pensioenfonds Medisch Specialisten

## 15:05 – 15:35 | Coffee Break

## Session 3 – The Potential of Infrastructure as an Asset Class

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### 15:35 – 15:55 | Keynote speech

- **Christian Roy** – Head of Central & Eastern Europe, Amber Infrastructure Limited

### 15:55 – 16:55 | Panel discussion

Moderator: **Matti Leppälä** – CEO/ Secretary General, PensionsEurope

- **Tadas Gudaitis** – CEO, Swedbank Asset Management, Lithuania
- **Alina Nacu** – Chief Investment Officer, Allianz-Tiriac Pensii Private
- **Christian Roy** – Head of Central & Eastern Europe, Amber Infrastructure Limited
- **Robert Szatkowski** – Senior Portfolio Manager, APG Asset Management
- **Stefan Tzalov** – Head of Unit, Institutional Relationships, Nordics, Baltics & CEE, European Investment Fund

## Session 4 – What does AI bring to Investing

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### 16:55 – 17:25 | Keynote speech

- **Tom van den Bos** – AI Programme Manager, PGGM

## Closing Remarks

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### 17:25 – 17:35 | Closing remarks

- **Jacques Van Dijken** – Vice-Chairperson, PensionsEurope and CEO, Stichting Pensioenfonds Medisch Specialisten