

Impact Investment and Government: Moving from Small Scale to Large Scale

Meeting of the Social Impact Investment Taskforce established under the UK's presidency of the G8

With participation of the Italian Advisory Board and Working Groups

Tuesday 28th October 2014 | Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Rome

AGENDA

Sala delle Conferenze Internazionali

08:30 – 09:00 **Arrival and coffee**

09:00 – 09:25 **Welcome and Introductory Remarks: Catalysing a Global Impact Investment Market**

09:00 – 09:05 Welcome from **Amb. Michele Valensise**, Secretary General of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

09:05 – 09:25 **Sir Ronald Cohen**, Chair, Social Impact Investment Taskforce established under the UK's presidency of the G8

09:25 – 10:15 **OPEN SESSION 1: The Social Impact Investment Agenda**

Chair: **Mario Calderini** – Politecnico di Milano and Member of the SIIT

09:25 – 09:40 **Giovanna Melandri** - "Conclusions from the Italian Advisory Board Report", Chairwoman of Italian Advisory Board to SIIT

09:40 – 10:00 **Graziano Delrio** - Undersecretary of State and Secretary of the Council of Ministers, Italian Government

10:00 – 10:15 Key note speech: "The US Agenda" **Matt Bannick** - Managing Partner of the Omidyar Network

10:15 – 10:45 **Coffee Break**

10:45 – 12:40 **OPEN SESSION 2 - An Ecosystem for Social Impact Investment: Players and Tools**

Chair: **Giovanna Melandri** – President of Human Foundation – Chairwoman of Italian Advisory Board to SIIT

10:45 – 11:15 The role of social entrepreneurs: **Stefano Granata** – President of CGM, **Carlo Borgomeo** – President of Fondazione con il Sud, **Alessandro Mele** – CEO of Cometa.

11:15 – 12:15 The role of public and private investors: **Franco Bassanini** - President of Cassa Depositi e Prestiti, **Domenico Arcuri** –Chief Executive Officer of Invitalia, **Sergio Gatti** – General Manager of Federcasse, **Hugues Sibille** – Vice President of Crédit Coopératif, **Mario Baccini** - President of Ente Nazionale per il Microcredito.

12:15 – 12:40 Q&A with the Taskforce and the Italian Advisory Board members

12:40 – 13:45 **DISCUSSION: European perspective on impact investment**

Chair: **Mario La Torre** – Università La Sapienza and Member of the SIIT

12:40 – 13:00 Key note speech: **Giuliano Poletti** - Minister of Labour and Social Policies, Italian Government

13:00 – 13:30 **Amaryllis Verhoeven** "The Social Business Initiative"- Deputy Head of Unit, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission

Ulrich Grabenwarter - "EIF: Initiatives in Social Impact Investing" - Equity Director, European Investment Fund

Brigitte Mohn – "Impact Investment in Germany" - Executive Board member of Bertelsmann Foundation

13:30 – 13:45 Q&A with the Taskforce and the Italian Advisory Board members

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13:45 – 14:30 *Light Buffet Lunch*

14:30 – 16:30 **OPEN SESSION 3 - Social Impact Investment in the G7 and G20 market**

Chair: **Armando Varricchio** – Diplomatic Adviser to the Italian Prime Minister and G7/G20 Sherpa

14:30 – 14:50 Two Italian Case Studies: Impact Investment for Development
Marco Santori – President of Etimos Foundation, **Elena Casolari** – President of Opes Impact Fund.

14:50 – 15:30 Round table with representatives/experts of G7, G20 countries
David J. Lane - U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations Agencies in Rome, **Ertharin Cousin** - Director of WFP, **Vito Cistulli** – Senior Policy Officer, Social Protection Division FAO, **Nomatemba Tambo** - Ambassador of the Republic of South Africa in Italy, **Doug Trappett** - Deputy Head of Mission Australian Embassy in Italy, **Martina Nibbeling-Wriessnig** - Deputy Head of Mission German Embassy in Italy.

15:30 – 16.00 **Lapo Pistelli**, Italian Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs: remarks and recommendations.

16:00 – 16:30 Q&A with the Taskforce and the Italian Advisory Board members

16:30 – 17:00 *Coffee Break*

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17:00 – 17:30 **CLOSED SESSION:** **OECD Report - Karen Wilson**

17:30 – 18:30 **CLOSED SESSION:** **SII Taskforce members**

Evening Activity for all Meeting Participants:

18:30 – 20:00 **Visit to Maxxi National Museum of XXI Century Arts, Via Guido Reni 4A, Rome**

Closed Session Reserved for SII Taskforce members

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- 08:30 – 08:50** **Arrival and Registration**
- 08:50 – 09:00** **Welcome and Organisation of the Day**
Sir Ronald Cohen
- 09:00 – 09:30** **“The Role of Government in Social Impact Investing” - Rt. Hon. Iain Duncan-Smith MP,**
Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, UK Government
- 09:30 – 09:45** **“Social Impact Bond for La Buona Scuola” – Stefania Giannini,** Minister of Education,
University and Research, Italian Government
- 09:45 – 11:15** **Taskforce Working Groups and National Advisory Boards**
Update by Taskforce Working Groups (with the participation of Cliff Prior, Tris Lumley and Rita Perakis) and National Advisory Boards and discussion of the way forward
- 11:15 – 11:30** ***Coffee Break***
- 11:30 – 13:30** **CLOSED SESSION: The Role of the Taskforce to 31st July 2015**
- 13:30** ***Light Buffet Lunch***