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## 2021 OECD-ASIA ROUNDTABLE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

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## □ The OECD-Asia Roundtable on Corporate Governance

Under the auspices of the OECD Corporate Governance Committee and with support from the Japanese Government, the Roundtable serves as a regional forum for exchanging experiences and advancing the reform agenda on corporate governance while promoting awareness and use of the [G20/OECD Principles of Corporate Governance](#). As a forum for policy dialogue, the Roundtable aims at enhancing economic efficiency, sustainable growth and financial stability by improving corporate governance policies and supporting good corporate practices in the region.

Objectives of the Roundtable are:

- Providing analytical work and comparative research on corporate governance and corporate finance issues,
- Organising annual dialogues and technical seminars to discuss developments and share country experiences,
- Providing policy options to improve capital market financing and corporate governance frameworks,
- Reaching consensus on priority recommendations and future issues to be analysed.

This Roundtable is putting special emphasis on the impact of the Covid-19 crisis on corporate governance practices and capital markets as well as recent reforms of legal and regulatory frameworks for corporate governance. This dialogue will also provide input to the upcoming review of the G20/OECD Principles, which was endorsed at the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Governors' Meeting in July 2021 and will be led by the OECD Corporate Governance Committee.

### □ Registration

Registration is mandatory in order to receive the link to the event and your personal login details. Once registered, participants will receive the meeting documentation in electronic format. For more information please contact: Ms. Ana Gonzalez ([ana.gonzalez@oecd.org](mailto:ana.gonzalez@oecd.org)).

### □ Content

The meeting will be held virtually using the Zoom platform on 21 October. A second edition of the Roundtable is planned in January 2022.

This first virtual event will start with a presentation of the main findings of the recent OECD publication: *"The Future of Corporate Governance in Capital Markets Following the Covid-19 Crisis"* and the 2021 edition of the *"OECD Corporate Governance Factbook"*. This will be followed by a session that discusses emerging corporate governance issues and reforms in Asian jurisdictions.

The second virtual event, scheduled in January 2022 (date tbc), will be devoted to discuss two OECD reports on "the impact of the Covid-19 crisis for Asian companies' access to finance and corporate governance practices" and "company groups in Asia".

### □ Acknowledgement

Since its establishment in 1999, the OECD-Asia Roundtable on Corporate Governance has been organised with the support of the Government of Japan. The Government of Japan also provides financial support to the OECD's country-specific work in Asia.

## □ Background documents

The report “The Future of Corporate Governance in Capital Markets Following the COVID-19 Crisis” provides an evidence-based overview of developments in capital markets globally leading up to the Covid-19 crisis. It then documents the impact of the crisis on the use of capital markets and the introduction of temporary corporate governance measures. Although the structural effects of the crisis on capital markets and its interplay with corporate governance remain to be fully understood, the report presents trends that can be used to shape policies that will support the recovery and formulates key policy messages that will guide the review of the G20/OECD Principles of Corporate Governance.



Find the report [here](#)



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The 2021 edition of the OECD Corporate Governance Factbook, offers a comprehensive account of how the G20/OECD Principles of Corporate Governance are implemented around the world. With comparative information across 50 jurisdictions including all OECD, G20 and Financial Stability Board members, the Factbook supports informed policy-making by providing up-to-date information on the ways in which different countries translate the G20/OECD Principles' recommendations into their national legal and regulatory frameworks. It will be an important reference for the review of the Principles.

## AGENDA 08:40 – 11:00 (CET) – 21 October 2021

**08:15 – 08:40**      **Registration and log-in**

**08:40 – 09:00**      **Welcome and opening remarks**

Ms. Mathilde Mesnard, Acting Director, Directorate for Financial and Enterprises Affairs, OECD

Mr. Hoesen, Member of OJK's Board of Commissioners, Chief Executive of Capital Market Supervisor, Financial Services Authority of Indonesia (OJK), Indonesia

**09:00 – 09:30**      **OECD Presentation: The Future of Corporate Governance in Capital Markets Following the Covid-19 Crisis**

**Background**      [The Future of Corporate Governance in Capital Markets Following the Covid-19 Crisis](#), released in June 2021, presents trends that can be used to shape policies that will support the recovery and formulates key policy messages that will guide the upcoming review of the *G20/OECD Principles of Corporate Governance*. The report emphasises that the road to recovery will require well-functioning capital markets that can allocate substantial financial resources for long-term investments. The presentation will be supported by the information provided in the [OECD Corporate Governance Factbook 2021](#) on the institutional, legal and regulatory frameworks for corporate governance across 50 jurisdictions.

**Presenter**      Mr. Serdar Çelik, Acting Head of Division, Corporate Governance and Corporate Finance Division, OECD

**Commentator**      Mr. John Plender, Senior Editorial Columnist, Financial Times

**09:30 – 10:50**      **Panel discussion: Emerging corporate governance issues and recent reforms in selected Asian jurisdictions**

**Background**      Panellists will discuss emerging trends in corporate governance in Asia following the Covid-19 crisis, presenting key reforms undertaken by their jurisdictions. Discussion will be guided towards key themes relevant to the upcoming review of the *G20/OECD Principles of Corporate Governance*, including ESG risk management, digitalisation as well as recent reforms of corporate governance frameworks.

**Moderator**      Ms. Marie-Estelle Rey, Senior Policy Analyst, Corporate Governance and Corporate Finance Division, OECD

**Panel discussants**      Interactive discussion based on thematic questions to be asked to panellists.

- Mr Osamu Hamada, Director for Corporate Governance Reform, Financial Services Agency of Japan
- Ms. Bi Xiaoying, Deputy Director-General of Department of Listed Company Supervision, China Securities Regulatory Commission
- Mr. Michael Tang, Head of Listing Policy & Product Admission, Singapore Exchange Regulation
- Mr. Sean Hughes, Commissioner, Australian Securities and Investments Commission

**10:50 – 11:00**      **Closing remarks**

Mr. Toshiyuki Miyoshi, Deputy Commissioner for International Affairs, Financial Services Agency, Japan

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