



# KangaNews-Westpac New Zealand Sustainable Finance Summit 2022

10 November Westpac Britomart **Auckland**

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## TURNING COMMITMENT INTO ACTION

8.30am **REGISTRATION OPENS**

9.05am **MIHI WHAKATAU AND WELCOME**

9.15am **OPENING REMARKS**

**Catherine McGrath**  
Chief Executive  
**Westpac**

## THE DRIVERS FOR ACTION

9.20am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

**The Hon. Grant Robertson**  
Minister of Finance  
**Government of New Zealand**

9.45am **FIRESIDE CHAT**

### Sustainability and access to global capital

- The big picture: global ESG expectations and New Zealand as a capital importer.
- What's optimal and what's possible: global leader or fast follower?
- ESG credibility and access to – and cost of – capital.

### Interviewees

**Kim Martin**  
Head of New Zealand Debt Management  
**The Treasury**

**Karina Witty**  
Project Lead, Sovereign Green Bond Project  
New Zealand Debt Management  
**The Treasury**

### Interviewer

**Laurence Davison**  
Head of Content  
**KangaNews**

10.10am **BREAK**

10.40am **PANEL DISCUSSION**

### Governance – a progress report

- Climate risk and TCFD reporting: are companies and boards leading or following?
- Shareholder activism and stakeholder engagement.
- ESGC: do boards understand Te Ao Māori worldview integration?

### Panellists

**John Duncan**  
Director  
**Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities**

**David Gibson**  
Independent Director  
**Goodman and Freightways**

**Hannah Hamling**  
Director  
**Mercury**

**Bella Takiari-Brame**  
Chair  
**The Lines Company and Te Nehenehenui Trust**

**Reuben Tucker**  
General Manager, Institutional and Business Banking  
**Westpac**

### Moderator

**Bridget Coates**  
Chair  
**Toitū Tahu: Centre for Sustainable Finance**

11.25am **PANEL DISCUSSION**

### A broader understanding of demand: is capital driving corporate change fast enough?

- Evolution of investor expectations so far and into the future.
- The role of other stakeholders including customers, employees, youth and Pasifika.
- Treasury and CFOs: ESG driver or ESG taker?

### Panellists

**Sarah Bolger**  
Chief Client Officer  
**Kantar**

**Natalia Fareti**  
Youth Representative  
**INFINZ**

**Simon Pannett**  
Director and Senior Credit Analyst  
**Harbour Asset Management**

**Mike Roan**  
Chief Financial Officer  
**Meridian Energy**

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**Joanna Silver**  
Head of Sustainable Finance  
Westpac

#### Interviewer

**Samantha Swiss**  
Chief Executive  
KangaNews

12.10pm **Q&A**

#### The regulatory drivers

- TCFD reporting implementation: what we know and what is still up for discussion?
- Top requirements for reporting entities.
- Integrating reporting requirements and sustainable debt.

#### Presenters

**Luke Ford**  
Partner  
Chapman Tripp

**Nicola Swan**  
Partner  
Chapman Tripp

1.45pm **PANEL DISCUSSION**

#### The future of NZ's sustainable bond market: growth or steady flow?

- Use of proceeds, sustainability-linked or both?
- Sector diversification and bringing borrowers to the term market from loans.
- Investor alignment – a particular challenge for SLBs?

#### Panellists

**Steve Ballard**  
Group Treasurer  
Christchurch City Holdings

**Fergus McDonald**  
Head of Bonds and Currency  
Nikko Asset Management

**Chante Mueller**  
Head of Investor Relations and Assistant Treasurer  
Spark

**Simon Till**  
Director, Capital Markets  
Fonterra Co-operative Group

**Marayka Ward**  
Director, LMG Sustainable Investments  
QIC

#### Moderator

**Fiona Doddrell**  
Director, Debt Capital Markets and Syndicate  
Westpac

12.30pm **LUNCH**

IS THE MARKET DRIVING ACTION FAST ENOUGH?

1.20pm **FIRESIDE CHAT**

#### Real examples of how to integrate emissions reduction into your business

#### Interviewee

**Jeff Smit**  
Director and General Manager, Strategy  
DETA

#### Interviewer

**Laurence Davison**  
Head of Content  
KangaNews

1.30pm **VIDEO LINK Q&A**

#### Global investor update

- Divestment versus engagement and how to fund the transition.
- Ambition: ensuring best practice in ESG-aligned product.
- Data and measurement challenges.

#### Interviewee

**Yo Takatsuki**  
Executive Director, Sustainable Investing  
and Global Head of Investment Stewardship  
J.P. Morgan Asset Management

2.30pm **PANEL DISCUSSION**

#### Sustainability-linked and other sustainable loans: where treasury and the sustainability teams meet

- Product evolution and lender expectations.
- Aligning debt with reporting requirements and other sustainable finance instruments.
- Should all loans be SLLs?

#### Panellists

**Kate Archer**  
Director, Sustainable Finance  
Westpac

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Deputy Chief Financial Officer  
**Metlifecare**

**Steve McJorow**  
Chief Financial Officer  
**Pāmu**

**Bhaveer Shah**  
Vice President, ESG and Climate Research  
**MSCI**

**Claire Waghorn**  
Sustainable Transition Leader  
**Christchurch International Airport**

**Moderator**  
**Jane Innes-Jones**  
Director, Head of Syndications and Agency  
**Westpac**

**Mike Fuge**  
Chief Executive  
**Contact Energy**

**Mavis Mullins**  
Chair  
**Environmental Protection Agency**

**Frances Sweetman**  
Head of Sustainable Investment  
**Milford Asset Management**

**Belinda van Eyndhoven**  
Head of Sustainability  
**Westpac**

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**Laurence Davison**  
Head of Content  
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**Joanna Silver**  
Head of Sustainable Finance  
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3.15pm **BREAK**

TIME FOR ACTION: WHAT CAN WE EXPECT?

3.40pm **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

**Nicola Willis**  
Deputy Leader  
**National Party**

5.10pm **OFFICIAL CLOSING - WHAKA-KAPINGA**

5.15pm **CLOSE**

4.05pm **PRESENTATION**  
**Interpreting the Climate Leaders Coalition  
commitment statement**

**Jolie Hodson**  
Convenor  
**Climate Leaders Coalition**

4.20pm **PANEL DISCUSSION**  
**Fast forward to action:  
decisive climate action in 2023, not 2043**  
• Paris Agreement timeline running out: who has to  
move fast, and who has to move really fast?  
• Transition through the iwi lens.  
• What can we expect from business and investors  
to accelerate action?

**Panellists**  
**Rod Carr**  
Chair  
**Climate Change Commission**

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