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09.30 – 17.00 hrs

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Tuesday, 04 November 2025

09.30 – 15.15 hrs

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Roundtable



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Dr Carmine Di Noia is the Director for Financial and Enterprise Affairs at the OECD.

Previously, he was Commissioner of the Italian Securities and Exchange Commission (CONSOB) from 2016. He was also alternate member of the Board of IOSCO and the Board of Supervisor at the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA), chair of the Committee of Economic and Markets Analysis (CEMA) and of the Post-Trading Standing Committee at ESMA, and vice chair of the Corporate Governance Committee at OECD.

He had been Deputy Director General at Assonime, member of the board of the Italian Stock Exchange, chairman of the Policy Committee of European Issuers and head of the technical secretariat of the Italian Corporate Governance Committee.

He was a member of various working groups at the European Commission: European Securities Market Expert Group (ESME), Clearing and Settlement Advisory Monitoring Expert Group (CESAME); Forum Group on Auditors Liability, Securities Expert Group on FSAP.

He is a Full Professor of Financial Markets and Banking at the Business School of Luiss University in Rome.

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Carl Magnus Magnusson is an Economist in the Financial Economics team within the Capital Markets and Financial Institutions Division at the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD).

Previously, he worked in investment banking and financial due diligence. His research interests include sovereign debt, corporate finance, financial crises and political economy.

Carl Magnus holds an MSc in Economic History from the University of Oxford and has pursued MA studies in International Economic Policy at Sciences Po Paris. He earned his BSc in Business & Economics with a specialisation in Economics and Finance from the Stockholm School of Economics.

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Oliver Garrett-Jones

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Oliver Garrett-Jones is an Analyst and Programme Manager in the OECD's Financial Markets Unit

he leads numerous initiatives on behalf of the OECD Committee on Financial Markets including regional capital markets co-operation with Africa, work with the OECD's accession countries. Previously, the Organisation's blockchain policy programme.

Prior to this, Oliver held a range of roles in economic diplomacy and on international business and finance issues at the OECD and in the Australian Government, including as Counsellor to the OECD's Director for Financial and Enterprise Affairs, at the Australian Treasury's representative office to Europe, and in the Australian Government's G20 Policy Task Force.

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Iota Kaousar Nassr is a Senior Policy Analyst at the Capital Markets and Financial Institutions Division of the OECD, where she leads the analysis around Digital Finance for the OECD Committee on Financial Markets.

Some of her recent work includes analysis of Artificial Intelligence (AI) Regulation in Finance; AI and GenAI implications for financial markets; asset tokenisation and DLT-based finance; CBDCs; DeFi and crypto-assets; open banking/ open finance; and country studies of national FinTech ecosystems.

Prior to that, she worked on issues related to financial markets, SME financing, insurance intermediation and the accession reviews of new countries to the OECD for the Committee on Financial Markets and the Insurance and Private Pensions Committee.

Prior to joining the OECD, Iota was an Investment Banker, working for the M&A desks of Merrill Lynch and Citigroup in London. She holds an MBA from ESSEC Grande École and an MSc in Accounting and Finance from Athens University of Economics and Business.