



Financial Reporting Council



FRC's Call to Action: Embedding Sustainability in Audit and Accounting Education

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FRC's Call to Action: Embedding Sustainability in Audit and Accounting Education - A forum for professional accountancy bodies, academics and training providers. Co-organised by FRC and BAFA. Hosted by AMBS.

Objective

To provide an opportunity for FRC, professional accountancy bodies, academics and training providers to engage in meaningful discussion and debate about sustainability. Inspiring meaningful change in audit and accounting education.

Time	Session	Presenter
9.30 -10.00	Registration	
10.00 -10.05	Welcome	Nicola Campbell FRC Head of Qualifications and Learning Prof. Stewart Smyth BAFA President, University College Cork
10.05-11.00	Keynote speaker	Mark Babington FRC Executive Director Regulatory Standards
	Today is different	Prof. Jan Bebbington University of Lancaster
	Q&A	
11.00 -11.30	Mid-morning coffee	
11.30-12.15	Sustainability Reporting in accounting education	Dr Nick Rowbottom University of Birmingham Prof Richard Barker Member - International Sustainability Standards Board
	Q&A	
12.15 - 1.00	In Conversation Knowledge, skills and techniques. What we need to do? Share, collaborate and innovate. Q&A	Nicola Campbell FRC Head of Qualifications and Learning Jennifer Rose University of Manchester Greg Owens, Vice Chair IFAC International Education Panel & Director BDO

1.00 - 2.00	Lunch	
2.00 - 2.45	In Conversation Risk, Audit, Sustainability Reporting & Assurance Q&A	Josephine Jackson FRC Director of International Audit Policy & Assurance Prof. Chris Humphrey University of Manchester
2.45-3.30	Innovation and new approaches Q&A	Prof. Ian Thomson University of Dundee Dr Shona Russell University of St Andrews
3.30 – 4.00	Afternoon coffee	
4.00 - 4.45	Professional Body Panel	Prof. Ken McPhail (moderator) University of Manchester ICAEW, ACCA, ICAS, ICAI, CIPFA, AIA
4.45 - 5.00	Closing comments	Prof. Stewart Smyth BAFA President, University College Cork Nicola Campbell FRC Head of Qualifications and Learning
5.00	End	



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