



Sponsor

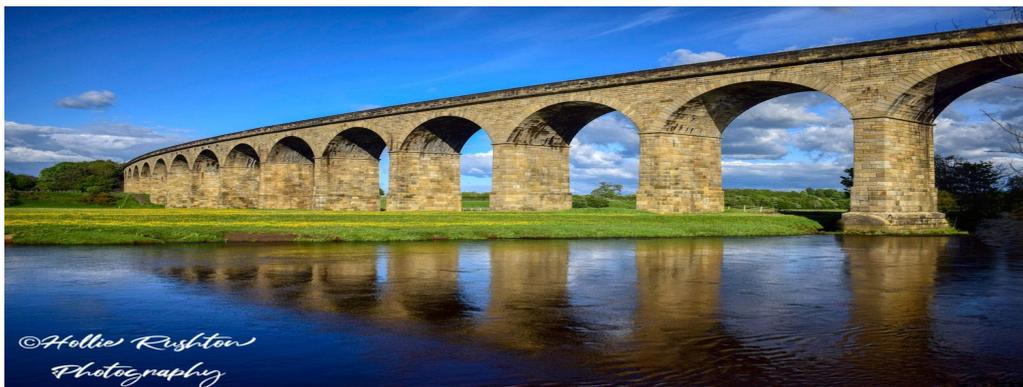


Impact Investing Adopters Forum – asset owner only event with George Graham, South Yorkshire Pensions Authority

Their journey embedding environmental and social impact in their investments

Monday 31 January 2022 at 09:30-11:00 GMT

[Click Here to Register](#)



Event description

We are delighted to invite you to our Q1 asset owner event. This is a Chatham House peer-to-peer discussion for asset owners such as pension funds and those involved in the governance of assets.

Understanding your environmental and social impact via the investments you make as a pension fund can be challenging. Where do you start? What measures do you use? How do you ensure your third-party advisers and investment managers align with your objectives? These are just some of the questions and considerations for a pension fund looking to view their impact alongside risk and return when making investment decisions.

George Graham, Director from South Yorkshire Pensions Authority, winner of our Impact Investing Award, will be joined by Laure Villepelet from Tikehau Capital in a fireside chat to talk about the pension fund's adoption of the Impact Investing Principles for Pensions, how they are embedding impact in their investment decisions and what's next for the fund. This will be followed by roundtable discussion with an opportunity for delegates to ask questions, share experiences and challenges that they face.



Sponsor



Objective: to promote discussion, understanding and adoption of the Impact Investing Principles for Pensions as a good governance framework.

Outcome: delegates will be able to take the Impact Investing Principles for Pensions and examples of solutions back to their trustee boards for consideration in their own funds.

Suitable for: anyone involved in the governance of assets and pension funds such as trustees of corporate defined benefit plans, trustees of corporate defined contribution plans; master trusts; LGPS pensions managers and committee members, and in-house pension teams. Please note that this is an asset-owner only event, it is not suitable for asset managers or consultants.

Registration

Please sign up for this event [here](#). Delegates will be sent dial-in details after registering.

If you are not already a member, you will also be invited to register as an [Impact Investing Adopters Forum Member](#) and [Pensions for Purpose Affiliate](#). Membership is free and you will receive regular updates about Impact Investing Adopters Forum activities.

Speaker biographies

[George Graham, South Yorkshire Pensions Authority](#)



George joined the South Yorkshire Pensions Authority as Fund Director in February 2018 and as Head of Paid Service is responsible for the management of all aspects of the Authority's activity.

Previously he was Managing Director of LPP's pension administration business, having led the Lancashire County Pension Fund prior to the transfer of its staff to LPP as part of the creation of the joint venture with the London Pension Fund Authority. A fellow of CIPFA George's previous career in local government finance involved roles as Deputy County Treasurer at Lancashire County Council, Director of Resources at Rossendale BC and Director of Finance at Chorley BC preceded by roles at Northamptonshire CC and Oxfordshire CC where he did his CIPFA training.



Sponsor



Laure Villepelet, Tikehau Capital



Laure joined Tikehau Capital in 2017 to promote and accelerate ESG initiatives across alternative asset classes (private debt, real assets, private equity and capital markets strategies). Laure drives the creation, implementation and reporting of the Group's practices regarding ESG integration, engagement and impact (with a focus on climate change, healthcare, innovation and inclusion).

Previously, Laure was sustainable development manager for L'Oréal France and coordinated projects from recycling initiatives to clean transports. She started her career with PWC valuations in NYC and London and worked as financial analyst in Singapore. Laure has a master's degree in science from Sciences Po Bordeaux and is a CFA® charter holder.

The Impact Investing Adopters Forum

The [Impact Investing Adopters Forum](#) is a member forum of pension funds, investment consultants and fiduciary managers at the forefront of sustainable finance. Adopters have committed to the Impact Investing Institute's [Impact Investing Principles](#) – and advancing the impact investing agenda. The Forum is run by [Pensions for Purpose](#) in partnership with the [Impact Investing Institute](#) to advance the principles, share best practice and encourage more pension funds to invest with a positive social and environmental impact. The Forum is sponsored by [Tikehau Capital](#).

Pensions for Purpose

Pensions for Purpose exists as a bridge between asset managers, pension funds and their professional advisers, to encourage the flow of capital towards impact investment. Our aim is to empower pension funds to seek positive impact opportunities and mitigate negative impact risks.

For more information, please email charlotte.oleary@pensionsforpurpose.com.