

TBLI CONFERENCE™ ASIA 2009

Location

Pacific Convention Plaza Yokohama & InterContinental Yokohama The Grand*****, Yokohama, Japan

Dates

27 & 28 May 2009

Description

The largest annual global networking and learning event on Sustainable Responsible Investment of Europe and Asia - for the first time in Japan! Official conference language English - Japanese-English simultaneous translation provided.

May 27, 2009

07:30 - 09:00

Pacifico Conference Rooms

[Registration](#)

Pacific Convention Plaza Yokohama

09:00 - 09:10

Pacifico Conference Hall

[Welcome](#)

_____ (Chairman)

Founder and Chief Executive Officer - TBLI Conference B.V./TBLI Consulting B.V. -

Opening

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09:10 - 09:10

Pacifico Conference Hall

[Opening Keynote](#)

_____ (Keynote Speaker) ★

H.E. The Mayor of Yokohama - City of Yokohama -

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09:10 - 09:50

Pacifico Conference Hall

[Keynote](#)

[Eric Martinot](#) (Keynote Speaker)

Senior Research Director - Institute for Sustainable Energy Policies (ISEP) - Japan

4th REN21 Renewables Global Status Report (May 2009): Energy Transformation Continues Despite Economic Slowdown

[Read more.](#)

10:00 - 11:15

Pacifico Conference Hall

[TBLI Roundtable - Asset Management and ESG](#)

The PRI aim to help investors integrate consideration of environmental, social and governance (ESG) issues into investment decision-making and ownership practices, and thereby improve long-term return... [Read more.](#)

_____ (Moderator)

Founder and Chief Executive Officer - TBLI Conference B.V./TBLI Consulting B.V. -

[David G. Creighton](#) (Speaker 1)

President and Chief Executive Officer - Cordiant Capital Inc. - Canada

[Masahiro Kato](#) (Speaker 2)

Senior Manager - Mitsubishi UFJ Trust and Banking Co. - Japan

[Ewoud Goudswaard](#) (Speaker 3)

Managing Manager - ASN Bank - The Netherlands

[Anne-Maree O'Connor](#) (Speaker 4)

Head of SRI - New Zealand Superannuation Fund - New Zealand

11:15 - 11:45

5F Conference Hall Lounge Space

[Coffee Break](#)

11:45 - 12:15

Pacifico Conference Hall

[Keynote](#)

[Hikaru Kobayashi](#) (Keynote Speaker)

Vice Minister - Ministry of the Environment - Japan

人類の暮らしと経済を地球生態系の一部とする政策を足元から *The policy to consider human life and economy to be a part of global ecosystem more accessibly.*

[Read more.](#)

12:15 - 12:45

Pacifico Conference Hall

[Keynote](#)

[Tomoyoshi Uranishi](#) (Keynote Speaker)

Senior Executive Officer - Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc., Tokyo Stock Exchange Group, Inc. - Japan

Recent Development of Tokyo Stock Exchange

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13:00 - 14:30

3F Lounge

[Lunch - 和風弁当 - Japanese o-bentō style](#)

14:30 - 16:15

Pacifico Conference Room 411

[Workshop 1 - Integrating ESG Into Investment Portfolios](#)

[Takejiro Sueyoshi](#) (Moderator)

Special Advisor to UNEP FI and the PRI in the Asia-Pacific Region - Japan

[K. Stuart Peskin CFA](#) (Speaker 1)

Vice President - State Street Global Advisors (Japan) Co., Ltd. - Japan

A Comprehensive Analysis of the Relationship between ESG Rankings and Investment Returns

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[Stewart Armer](#) (Speaker 2)

Head of SRI - BNP Paribas Investment Partners - Germany

A Green New Deal?

[Read more.](#)

[Floris Lambrechtsen](#) (Speaker 3)

Managing Partner - Double Dividend B.V. - The Netherlands

Creating Value(s) In The Manager Selection Process.

[Read more.](#)

14:30 - 16:15

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[Workshop 2 - Green Real Estate](#)

The European Commission (2006) estimated that “partly because of its large share of total consumption, the largest cost-effective savings potential lies in the residential (households) and commerc... [Read more.](#)

[Pablo Kuntz](#) (Moderator)

President - Marchforth International Ltd. - Japan

[Masato Ito](#) (Speaker 1)

**Deputy General Manager, Sustainable Property Promotion,
Real Estate Business Development Department
- The Sumitomo Trust & Banking Co., Ltd. - Japan**

Pursuing Additional Value of Green Buildings in Japan

[Read more.](#)

[Drummond Pike](#) (Speaker 2)

Chief Executive Officer and Founder - Tides Foundation - United States of America

Financing Green Nonprofit Centers – Commercial Real Estate with an Attitude

[Read more.](#)

[Reiniera van Pallandt](#) (Speaker 3)

Financial Sector Advisor - City of Amsterdam - The Netherlands

Amsterdam as a Centre for Sustainability and Finance

[Read more.](#)

14:30 - 16:15

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[Workshop 3 - TBLI Research](#)

[Richard Newell](#) (Moderator)

Managing Editor - Investment & Pensions Asia - New Zealand

[Haruo Funabashi](#) (Speaker 1)

Visiting Professor - Graduate School of International Corporate Strategy, Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo - Japan

1. The secret of long-lived companies in Japan. 2. Community Capitalism.

[Read more.](#)

[Tomohiro Matsuoka](#) (Speaker 2)

Independent SRI Research Consultant - Australia

Trends in Performance of Japanese Companies under the Global ESG Rating Models

[Read more.](#)

[Mikio Yamamoto](#) (Speaker 3)

A.T. Kearney Japan - Japan

Industry Restructuring Strategy with Social Finance Systems

[Read more.](#)

14:30 - 16:15

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[Workshop 4 - TBLI INVESTOR SALON™ - convened by USAID ECO-Asia](#)

This session will witness the business plan presentation by the clean energy businesses/projects selected and mentored by USAID ECO-Asia. USAID ECO-Asia has two clean energy finance initiatives, namel... [Read more.](#)

[Suneel Parasnis](#) (Moderator)

Team Leader Clean Energy Finance - USAID Eco-Asia Clean Development and Climate Program - Thailand

[Ernesto Villanueva Tan](#) (Speaker 1)

Vice President and Chief Operating Officer - ASEA One Power Cooperation - Philippines

Renewable Energy (Biomass) Power Plant Project

[Read more.](#)

[Mike Wootton](#) (Speaker 2)

Chairman - Langogan Holdings - Philippines

6.8 MW Minihydroelectric Power Project

[Read more.](#)

[Frank N. Lubbock](#) (Speaker 3)

President - Cleansave Waste Corporation - Philippines

Nayawan Dumpsite Remediation and Upgrade Project

[Read more.](#)

[William Ko](#) (Speaker 4)

Director - PT Gikoko Kogyo Indonesia - Indonesia

Capital Expansion of CDM Landfill Gas Flaring and Electricity Generation

[Read more.](#)

[Anil Ananthakrishna](#) (Co-Speaker 5)

CEO - Ekovehicles P Limited - India

EKO VEHICLES Leading the Electric Two Wheeler Revolution

[Read more.](#)

[Sai Prakash](#) (Co-Speaker 5)

COO - Ekovehicles P Limited - India

EKO VEHICLES Leading the Electric Two Wheeler Revolution

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16:15 - 16:45

4F Corridor

[Coffee Break](#)

16:45 - 18:15

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[Workshop 5 - Fund Performance and Strategy Japan - Europe](#)

Comparisons between Japanese and European approaches and results.

[Michael Jantzi](#) (Moderator)

Chief Executive Officer - Sustainalytics - Canada

[Akitsugu Era](#) (Speaker 1)

Vice President - BlackRock Japan Co. Ltd. - Japan

[Simone Balch](#) (Speaker 2)

Director, Investor Development - Developing World Markets - United States of America

Microfinance Remains a Resilient Asset Class through the Global Financial Crisis

[Read more.](#)

[Noboru Yamaguchi](#) (Speaker 3)

Senior Executive Advisor, Fiduciary Services Research Center - Nomura Securities Co. Ltd. - Japan

The Current Situation of Japanese Pension Investment - Japanese Pension Fund Perspective on SRI

[Read more.](#)

16:45 - 18:15

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[Workshop 6 - Business, Human Rights and Investments in Asia](#)

[Ian de Stains OBE](#) (Moderator)

Executive Director - British Chamber of Commerce - Japan

[Shizuo Fukuda](#) (Speaker 1)

Corporate Advisor, Board of Directors Office, Tokyo Headquarters - Omron Corporation - Japan

The Japanese Industry Position on a Global CSR Framework Including ISO26000 SR Standard and Core Issues Relating to the Asian Region

[Read more.](#)

[Jeremy Prepscius](#) (Speaker 2)

Managing Director - BSR - People's Republic of China

Learning from a Decade of CSR Evolution for SRI Analysis in China

[Read more.](#)

[Huong Thi Thu Vu](#) (Speaker 3)

**SE Asia and Corporate Responsibility Advisor - Vectra International
- Vietnam**

CSR from the View of the Supply Chain

[Read more.](#)

16:45 - 18:15

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[Workshop 7 - Carbon Markets](#)

"Warts and all, emissions trading systems that are emerging from the bottom up are playing a key role in the drive to protect the climate. They send signals, through increased prices and the awarding ... [Read more.](#)

[Patricia Bader-Johnston](#) (Moderator)

Representative Director and Chief Executive Officer - Silverbirch Associates k.k. - Japan

[Ton Runneboom](#) (Speaker 1)

Group Corporate Officer and Deputy CMO - Teijin Ltd. - Japan

The Global CO2 and Warming overview

[Read more.](#)

[Kevin Aschim](#) (Speaker 2)

Market Development Manager - Alberta Research Council Inc. - Canada

Biochar: A Carbon-Negative Carbon Sequestration and Soil Fertility Enhancement Technology

[Read more.](#)

[Yoshimi Ichishima](#) (Speaker 3)

Deputy General Manager, Structured Finance Division I - Mitsubishi UFJ Trust and Banking Corporation Co., Ltd. - Japan

Status Update towards Low Carbon Society in Japan - Trust Scheme for Emissions Trade

[Read more.](#)

16:45 - 18:15

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[Workshop 8 - SRI and Emerging Markets](#)

[Mariko Kawaguchi](#) (Moderator)

Head of CSR Department, Director Social Investment Forum Japan - Daiwa Institute of Research Ltd. - Japan

[Andy Gebhardt](#) (Speaker 1)

Director - SolAbility - South Korea

Korea-specific Characteristics of Corporations and Implications for SRI/ESG Research

[Read more.](#)

[Eiichiro Adachi](#) (Speaker 2)

Head of ESG Research - The Japan Research Institute, Ltd. - Japan

JRI's Trial Implementation of ESG Research on Chinese Listed Companies

[Read more.](#)

[Taejun Shin](#) (Speaker 3)

Chairperson - Living in Peace (LIP) - Japan

LIP Microfinance Fund for MDGs - The First Private Microfinance Fund in Japan

[Read more.](#)

18:15 - 19:30

InterContinental Yokogama The Grand, Pacific Room

[Pre-Dinner Cocktail Drinks](#)

19:30 - 21:30

InterContinental Yokogama The Grand, Pacific Room

[Grand Dinner](#)

(4 course French set)

★ The attendance of this speaker is not yet confirmed.

May 28, 2009

09:00 - 10:45

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[Workshop 9 - Alternative Investment](#)

"One common theme to alternative investments is that they are often hoped to have modest correlations with traditional investments and so to increase the diversification of investor's portfolios." [Wi... [Read more.](#)

_____ (Moderator)

Founder and Chief Executive Officer - TBLI Conference B.V./TBLI Consulting B.V. -

[Paolo Sardi](#) (Speaker 1)

Founding Member and Chief Executive Officer - ECPI - Luxembourg

The MARS® Methodology

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[Michael Liebreich](#) (Speaker 2)

Chief Executive Officer and Founder - New Energy Finance -

United Kingdom

Global Trends in Renewable Energy Investment

[Read more.](#)

[Yukiko Fukasaku](#) (Speaker 3)

Managing Director - Innovmond SARL - France

Corporate Social Responsibility in the European Union: Strategy and Practice

[Read more.](#)

[César De Brito](#) (Speaker 4)

Partner - Eco Responsible Capital Partners - France

Investing as a Private Equity Investor in Listed Environmental Companies

[Read more.](#)

09:00 - 10:45

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[Workshop 10 - Faith Consistent Investing - When Religious Leaders and Financial Institutes Join](#)

[Katinka C. van Cranenburgh](#) (Moderator)

Secretary-General - 3iG - Spain

Status in Europe and the US – Responsible Investing by Faith Institutions

[Read more.](#)

[Michael T. Seigel SVD](#) (Speaker 1 - Christian view)

Professor - Nanzan University - Japan

Christian Divine World Missionaries and the Japanese Association of Religion and Ethics

[Read more.](#)

[Dato' Mohamed Iqbal](#) (Speaker 2 - Muslim view)

Trustee - Taqwa Foundation - Malaysia

An Islamic Approach to Investment.

[Read more.](#)

[Hironobu Katori](#) (Speaker 3 - Shintō view)

Head Public Relations Center - International Section - The Association of Shintō Shrines - Japan

Environment Preservation Activities of Companies and The Japanese View on Nature

[Read more.](#)

[Waichi Hoshina](#) (Speaker 4 - Buddhist view)

General Secretary Donate-a-Meal Fund for Peace - Rissho Koseikai - Japan

In Search for True Richness - A Buddhist's Approach to Attain the World of Sharing

[Read more.](#)

09:00 - 10:45

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[Workshop 11 - Fixed Income](#)

Can you gain insight in the ESG performance of fixed income products, i.e. government bonds and corporate bonds?

[Michael Jantzi](#) (Moderator)

Chief Executive Officer - Sustanalytics - Canada

[Robert Haßler](#) (Speaker 1)

Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder - oekom research AG - Germany

ESG Research on Bond Issuers – Rating Methodologies and Results in the Area of Corporate and Governmental Bonds

[Read more.](#)

[Roger Frank](#) (Speaker 2)

Managing Partner - I3 Advisors LLC - United States of America

Opportunities and Challenges in Fixed Income SRI Investing

[Read more.](#)

[Wolfgang Pinner](#) (Speaker 3)

Head of Sustainable Investments - Erste Asset Management GmbH - Austria

Fixed Income and ESG - A Strategic Fit

[Read more.](#)

09:00 - 10:45

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[Workshop 12 - ESG Risk Assessment](#)

What are current best practices for ESG Rating Agencies? How accurate and reliable are they in assessing a company's ESG performance? Hear three of today's leading agencies and discuss about their ins... [Read more.](#)

[Mizue Unno](#) (Moderator)

Managing Director - So-tech Consulting Inc. - Japan

[Bill Hartnett](#) (Speaker 2)

Managing Director Asia Pacific - RiskMetrics Group - Australia

ESG Risk Assessment – The Journey to Mainstream Acceptance

[Read more.](#)

[Henrik Steffensen](#) (Speaker 3)

Co-Founder, VP Marketing & Business Development - ASSET4 -

Switzerland

Risk Assessment – Can ESG Really Do the Job?

[Read more.](#)

[Mizue Tsukushi](#) (Speaker 4)

Chief Executive Officer - Good Bankers Co., Ltd. - Japan

In Search for the Best Practice of ESG Research

[Read more.](#)

10:45 - 11:15

5F Conference Hall Lounge Space

[Coffee Break](#)

11:15 - 12:45

Pacifico Conference Hall

[TBLI Roundtable 2 - 10 Years of TBLI CONFERENCE](#)

What are the ideas, reminiscences, failures, successes and most important of all lessons learned after 10 years of TBLI? What do they think about the coming 10 years of ESG and TBLI?

[Pablo Kuntz](#) (Moderator)

President - Marchforth International Ltd. - Japan

[Mark Bytheway](#) (Speaker 1)

Chief Executive Officer - Sustainable Investment Research Institute - Australia

[T. David Hodgkinson](#) (Speaker 2)

Director - Emerald Capital Asia Ltd. - Thailand

[Mizue Tsukushi](#) (Speaker 3)

Chief Executive Officer - Good Bankers Co., Ltd. - Japan

[Tessa Tennant](#) (Speaker 4)

Director - ASrIA - United Kingdom

_____ (Speaker 5)

Founder and Chief Executive Officer - TBLI Conference B.V./TBLI Consulting B.V. -

12:45 - 13:00

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[Closing Address](#)

Founder and Chief Executive Officer - TBLI Conference B.V./TBLI Consulting B.V. -

13:00 - 14:00

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[Buffet Lunch](#)

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