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CII Spring Conference, March 9-11, Washington, D.C.

Speakers Include SEC Commissioner Elad Roisman and PCAOB Chair William Duhnke

Washington, D.C., February 19, 2020 — Members of the media are invited to attend the spring conference of the Council of Institutional Investors (CII), March 9-11, at the Mandarin Oriental Hotel in Washington, D.C. View the full conference agenda [here](#).

CII represents pension funds and other long-term institutional investors and is a leading voice for effective corporate governance, strong shareholder rights and sensible financial regulation. The 450+ attendees will include investment professionals, regulators and corporate governance experts. Session topics will range from human capital management to global perspectives on executive compensation and corporate purpose.

Conference sessions that are open/closed to press:

Monday, March 9

Open: CII member-hosted meetings at 3:00-4:00 PM, the two plenaries from 5:00-6:15 PM and the cocktail reception.

Closed: The first conference plenary (4:15-5:00 PM) is closed to press, as are trustee events and the master class.

Tuesday, March 10

Open: All plenaries, breakout sessions, CII member-hosted meetings and the cocktail reception.

Closed: constituency meetings, General Members' business meeting and the 35th anniversary dinner

Wednesday, March 11

All events are closed

Press must register to attend. Use this [link](#) to register and select Non-Member/Press. Stationary cameras are permitted by prior arrangement with [Rosemary Lally](#). Roving cameras are not allowed.

Members of the media may not ask questions at floor mics, which are reserved for CII members.

See list of speakers on next page.

Speakers at CII conference sessions on Monday, March 9

Scott Kuper, managing partner, Andreesen Horowitz **(CLOSED TO PRESS)**

Natasha Landell-Mills, head of stewardship, Sarasin & Partners

Meredith Miller, chief corporate governance officer, UAW Retirees Medical Benefits Trust

Mary Morris, investment officer, California State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS)

Samantha Ross, founder, Investors Consortium for Assurance

Anne Sheehan, chair, SEC Investor Advisory Committee

Kristen Sullivan, partner, audit & assurance, Deloitte

Ash Williams, chair, Council of Institutional Investors

James Williams, CFO, U.S. Department of Labor

Speakers at CII conference sessions on Tuesday, March 10

Erik Bethel, alternate executive director, World Bank

Matt Cherian, VP, strategic partnerships, BitSight

Matt DiGuiseppe, vice president, head of Americas asset stewardship, State Street Global Advisors

Ryan Dodd, founder and CEO, Cyberhedge

William Duhnke III, chairman, Public Company Accounting Oversight Board

Hillary Flynn, ESG Analyst, Wellington Management

Ron Graziano, managing director, global accounting and tax research, Credit Suisse

Gary Kabureck, board member, International Accounting Standards Board

Kris Lovejoy, global advisory cybersecurity leader, EY

Jeff Mahoney, general counsel, Council of Institutional Investors

Mehmet Kinak, global head of systematic trading and market structure, T. Rowe Price

Sandy Peters, head of financial reporting policy, CFA Institute

Elad Roisman, commissioner, Securities and Exchange Commission

Ryan Ronan, president, IEX

Gloria Santona, director, Aon

Ruchir Sharma, head of emerging markets and chief global strategist, Morgan Stanley Investment Management

Pamela Thomas-Graham, lead independent director, Clorox

Jeff Tricoli, SVP of technology risk management, Charles Schwab

Mary Beth Vitale, CEO and principal, Pelleria

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