

## IFIS Executive Plan 2026 (Update March 2026)

### Relationship Management / Corporate Members

**Atoz Tax Advisors Luxembourg** Nothing to report.

**Chamber of Commerce.** Following an opportunity to organize a smaller mini-conference for about 40 people featuring Arnaud Blandin, Entrepreneur in Residence at INSEAD, we proposed the event to CdC/HoS with a request for their sponsorship. Based on the topic featuring both Sustainability and Entrepreneurism, the HoS kindly agreed to cover the costs of a seminar room. The event took place on 5<sup>th</sup> March. In addition, IFIS was invited to participate in a HoS workshop “EcoSystem MeetUp” to discuss collaboration with ESG actors in Luxembourg.

**Luxembourg Stock Exchange.** We offered the above event to them, but they already had an event at their premises.

**PwC.** Krisztina Szenci and Paul Horvath, Partner and Sustainability Leader at PwC, were also approached to help provide premises for the above-mentioned event, to which they responded in the positive – however, we “saved” their generosity for another event in the planning on water resource scarcity.

**Spuerkeess.** As per LSE.

**VP Bank Luxembourg.** Nothing to report. Meeting with new CEO pending.

### Recent Events 2026 (January through March)

We successfully completed an ad hoc mini-conference featuring Arnaud Blandin, Entrepreneur in Residence at INSEAD, at the Chambre de Commerce on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2026. The topic was “Entrepreneurship, Leadership, and the Holy Grail of Sustainability: How creative minds outpace executive habits”. The HoS sponsored our premises whilst a €25 registration fee was charged to cover the per person costs of the following networking reception. Of 38 registered, turnout was 31 (82%). The event produced a minimal operating profit, excluding our own administrative costs. An event report is posted on our website.

### Next Events

We are preparing for our previously mentioned interactive “IFIS Exchange” designed for up to 20 persons in informal discussion led by local experts. The event explores *Space and Sustainable Finance*, led by Sabrina Alam, former Director and EU Space Lead at KPMG, now Space Lead at the University of Luxembourg's Interdisciplinary Centre for Security, Reliability and Trust (SnT).

We are still seeking speakers for another luncheon, but are currently looking at dates for Karel Lanoo (June 8, 9, 10?).

We are aiming for a 2<sup>nd</sup> IFIS Roundtable event before the summer with Ravi Fernando on water as a supply chain disruptor (with PwC).

ASM and EK discussing the speaker roster and topics for a rare earth event.

A series of Integrity Mini-Conferences are still in the planning stage for the autumn.

### Additional potential speakers (in contact)

Claude Marx – CSSF (HW)

Karel Lanoo, Centre for European Policy Studies (ASM)

Tom Théobald – CEO Luxembourg for Finance (tbd)

Anthony Smith-Meyer