

# Law and Money 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference: Law, Finance & Sustainability



**Date: 11 September 2017**  
**Time: 8:30am – 5.30pm**  
**Venue: INOX, University of Sheffield**



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[Sheffield Institute for Corporate and Commercial Law \(SICCL\)](#) in collaboration with the project Sustainable Market Actors for Responsible Trade (SMART), is delighted to welcome delegates to our third Law and Money Conference. This conference will bring together leading international academics and practitioners to discuss some of the pressing regulatory and legal issues in relation to banking and financial law, including:

- **Law, finance and environmental risk**
- **Financial institutions and climate risk**
- **Banking and investments regulation and sustainability**
- **Securities law and sustainability**



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# Programme

8:30 – 8:55	<b>Coffee &amp; Registration</b>
8:55 – 9:00	<b>Welcome: Jay Cullen</b> (University of Sheffield)
9:00 – 9:30	<b>Keynote: Kern Alexander</b> (University of Zurich) “Green Banking: Redefining Business or Redefining Regulation”
9:30 – 10:20	<b>Theoretical issues in finance, law and sustainability</b> <b>David Campbell</b> (University of Lancaster) “Fictitious Capital and Carbon Trading” <b>Javier Solana</b> (University of Glasgow) “Financing Sustainability: Does Law Matter?”
10:20 – 10:35	<b>Coffee</b>
10:35 – 12:00	<b>Securities law, capital markets law and sustainability</b> <b>Christopher Bruner</b> (University of Georgia) “Corporate Governance Reform in Post-Crisis Financial Firms: Two Fundamental Tensions” <b>Virginia Harper-Ho</b> (University of Kansas) Nonfinancial Risk Disclosure & The Costs of Private Ordering <b>Vincenzo Bavoso</b> (University of Manchester) “Capital Markets, Debt Finance and the EU Capital Markets Union: A Law and Finance Critique.”
12:00 – 13:25	<b>Corporate law, finance and environmental sustainability</b> <b>Beate Sjaafjell</b> (University of Oslo) “Closing the Circle: Corporate Boards & the Financial Risk of Corporate Unsustainability” <b>Andrew Johnston</b> (University of Sheffield) Climate-related Financial Disclosures: What Next for Environmental Sustainability <b>Linn Anker-Sorensen</b> (University of Oslo) “Corporate Groups and Evasion of Sustainability Reporting”
13:25- 14:15	<b>Lunch</b>
14:15 – 15:40	<b>Private debt, investment law &amp; social sustainability</b> <b>Catalin Gabriel Stanescu</b> (University of Copenhagen) “Datio in Solutum – A Viable Solution for More Sustainable Financial Services?” <b>Sarah Wilson &amp; Gary Wilson</b> (University of York; Nottingham Trent University) “Exploring interactions between Law, Finance and Sustainability in Britain through the prism of ‘Inclusive Finance’ “ <b>Ian Robertson</b> (University of Oxford) “Responsible Investment Requires a Proxy Voting System Responsive to Retail Investors”
15:40 – 16:00	<b>Coffee</b>
16:00– 17:25	<b>Economic sustainability, law and financial stability</b> <b>Mika Viljanen</b> (University of Turku) “Making climate-conscious banks?” <b>Yuri Biondi</b> (French National Centre for Scientific Research, Paris) “Interbank Credit and the Money Manufacturing Process. A Systemic Perspective on Financial Stability” <b>Jukka Mahonen</b> (University of Oslo) “Hybrid business models as a path to corporate sustainability?”
17:30	<b>Close</b>