



**EVENT NAME:** **EDGE Champions Summit**

**LOCATION:** International Finance Corporation Headquarters, 2121 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20433

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 25, 2023

**TIME:** 09:00 – 16:30

**ROOM:** IFC Auditorium – Level B1

**EVENT DESCRIPTION:** The Annual EDGE Champions Summit brings private sector leaders from companies who have achieved “Champions” status together with a variety of IFC investment and advisory representatives to discuss opportunities within the green and resilient building space. EDGE Champions are companies who collaborate with IFC to accelerate the adoption of green building options in their respective markets. These trailblazers typically pledge to certify a significant portion of their building portfolio, or meet a minimum floor area commitment, to be certified as a green building with EDGE, and may or may not be investment clients of IFC.

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTERS
8:00 - 9:00	<b>Arrival</b>	Coffee and Pastries
9:00	<b>Opening Remarks</b>	<b>Makhtar Diop</b> , Managing Director, IFC (pre-recorded remarks)
9:10	<b>Report Animation</b>	<b>Video Introduction – Build Green</b>
9:15 – 9:25	<b>Key Insights from the Report</b>	<b>Denis Medvedev</b> , Senior Economic Adviser, IFC
9:25 – 10:00	<b>Reflections from the Sectors</b>	Panel discussion moderated by <b>Ms. Susan Lund</b> , Vice president, Economics and Private Sector Development, IFC <b>Panelist 1: Ms. Diane Hoskins</b> , CEO, Gensler <b>Panelist 2: Ms. Sarah Zaleski</b> , Chief Products Officer, U.S. Green Building Council <b>Panelist 3: Mr. Jorge Martinez</b> , CEO, Internacional de Inversiones (IDEI) <b>Panelist 4: Mr. Yves-Laurent SAPOVAL</b> , Senior Advisor, French Ministry of Ecological Transition and GlobalABC co-chair



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10:00 – 10:30	<b>Break</b>	Coffee Break
10:30 – 10:45	<b>Welcome to IFC Climate Business</b>	Jamie Fergusson, Global Director, Climate Business at IFC - International Finance Corporation
10:45 – 11:00	<b>IFC’s EDGE Program and Growth Plan</b>	Ommid Saberi, Senior Industry Specialist, IFC EDGE, Washington D.C. USA
11:00-12:00	<b>Champions Introduction</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. COMVIVE</li> <li>2. Goldkey Properties</li> <li>3. Consorcio Ara</li> <li>4. Ashmore</li> <li>5. Divercity Urban Property Group</li> <li>6. IDEI</li> <li>7. Grupo Oikos</li> <li>8. Paladin Realty Partners</li> <li>9. BSF Almacenes del Perú</li> <li>10. Lango Real Estate</li> <li>11. BESCO</li> <li>12. JAVER</li> <li>13. Belgica Edificaciones</li> <li>14. Fibra Macquarie</li> <li>15. Los Portales</li> <li>16. FibraShop</li> <li>17. Madrid Inmobiliaria</li> <li>18. Vesta</li> <li>19. Vinte</li> <li>20. Vitaln Inmobiliaria</li> </ol>
12:00 -12:45	<i>LUNCH</i>	<i>Provided in Room</i>
12:45 - 13:00	<b>Achieving IFC’s Climate Business Ambitions</b>	Diep Nguyen-Van Houtte, Senior Manager, IFC Climate Business (CBD), Washington D.C.
13:00 – 13:45	<b>Introduction to IFC’s Sectors</b>	Shamsah Fatima Dhala, Global Sector Manager, Tourism Retail and Property and Nina Zegger, MAS Climate Manager
	<b>MAS Housing Applications</b> (10 minutes)	Sherif Muhtaseb, Senior Operations Officer, IFC, Nairobi Pillar Tools – Pillar Business Assessment (formerly READ) & Pillar Social Sustainability Assessment (formerly ASHA)
	<b>Introduction to Financial Institutions (FIG)</b> (10 minutes)	Will Beloe, IFC - International Finance Corporation, Global Product Specialist, Financial Investment Group, IFC



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	<b>IFC and Sustainable Infrastructure (INFRA)</b> (10 minutes)	Katherine Koh, Principal Investment Officer, IFC Global Climate Lead for Infrastructure
13:45 - 14:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	<i>Provided</i>
14:00 - 14:45	<b>Pushing Ambition for Decarbonization: Funding the Transition</b>	<b>Content:</b> As companies embark on their decarbonization plans, we discuss the different challenges and opportunities <b>Moderator:</b> Linshuo Hao, Associate Operations Officer, Washington D.C. <b>Panelist 1:</b> Mr. Juan Carlos Castro, Vice President Real Assets, Fibra Macquarie, Colombia <b>Panelist 2:</b> Santiago Porta, IFC Principal IO for Latin America, Washington, D.C. <b>Panelist 3:</b> Mr. Anuar Perez, CEO, Visum, Colombia
14:45-15:30	<b>Conquering Affordable Housing</b>	<b>Content:</b> Champions and Financial Intermediaries share stories about Green Mortgages and other tools to support the decarbonization journey in particular with a focus on affordable housing. <b>Moderator:</b> Mr. Ommid Saberi, Senior Industry Specialist, IFC EDGE, Washington, D.C. <b>Panelist 1:</b> Mr. Carel Kleynhans, CEO - Divercity Urban Property Group, South Africa <b>Panelist 2:</b> Ms. Claudia Diaz, Executive Director, Grupo Oikos, Colombia <b>Panelist 3:</b> Mr. Mauricio Caballero Farro, General Manager, Executive President, BESCO, Peru
15:30-16:00	<b>Global Insights from the Logistics and Warehouse Sector</b>	<b>Content:</b> Champions and Financial Intermediaries from the industrial sector, including a global overview from an association. <b>Moderator:</b> Michelle Farrell, Senior Operations Officer, IFC EDGE, Washington, D.C. <b>Panelist 1:</b> Ms. Amanda Brondy, Vice President International Projects, Global Cold Chain Alliance, USA <b>Panelist 2:</b> Mr. Luis Seminario Atkins, General Manager, BSF Almacenes del Peru, Peru
16:00-16:30	<b>Closing Remarks</b>	Diep Nguyen Van-Houtte, Senior Manager, CBD, IFC



**EVENT NAME:** The EDGE Champions Recognition Ceremony

**LOCATION:** World Bank MC Building, 1818 H Street N.W., Washington, D.C. – Atrium Space

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 25, 2023

**TIME:** 17:30 – 22:00

**EVENT DESCRIPTION:** The EDGE Champions Recognition Ceremony highlights companies from around the world who have achieved the Champions Status. Over the evening, companies will be individually recognized for their significant contribution to decarbonizing the built environment. Highlights from the last 2 events can be found [here](#).

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTERS
17:30 - 18:45	Cocktail and Networking	
19:15 – 19:20	<b>Opening</b>	Michelle Farrell, Senior Operations Officer, IFC
19:20-19:25	<b>Welcome EDGE Champions Event</b>	Jamie Fergusson, Director, CBD - Diep Nguyen-Van Houtte, Senior Manager, CBD, IFC
19:30-19:35	<b>The United Kingdom and International Finance Corporation: A Partnership for Green Building Market Transformation</b>	Jennifer Dunn, Senior Energy Policy Advisor and Climate Attaché, UK Foreign and Commonwealth Office
19:30 – 19:40	<b>Ministerial Address from the UK Department of Energy Security and Net Zero</b>	The Right Honourable Graham Stuart, MP, Minister of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, UK Government
19:40-19:50	<b>Switzerland, SECO and EDGE</b>	Dominique Michel Favre, Swiss Ambassador, Executive Director at the World Bank
19:50-20:00	<b>Introduction to the Building Breakthrough Initiative</b>	Yves-Laurent Sapoval, Senior Advisor, French Ministry of Ecological Transition and GlobalABC co-chair
20:00-21:40	<b>Awards Ceremony</b> Recognition Handover Ceremony	Announcer – Michelle Farrell, SOO, IFC Handover - Diep Nguyen-Van Houtte, Senior Manager, CBD, IFC and Ommid Saberi, Senior Industry Specialist, CBD, IFC
21:40- 21:45	<b>Closing</b>	Diep Nguyen-Van Houtte, Senior Manager, CBD, IFC Ommid Saberi, Senior Industry Specialist, CBD, IFC