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Joint declaration on the current pandemic

WAIFC promotes international cooperation, sustainable investments, and avoiding the self-defeating lure of protectionism during this global health and economic emergency. We have set up joint international working groups on Regulation, SME Finance, Sustainable Finance, and Innovation & FinTech to issue recommendations. Please contact us if you want to contribute to our work.

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"This crisis will change the business model for the coming years. New priorities are to accelerate solidarity, as well as the development of innovation. The financial industry is part of the solution to accompany the financing of corporates, as well as to develop sustainable finance and the development of new technologies. With WAIFC, International financial centers are accelerating their cooperation to fix new objectives and share their best practices."

Arnaud de Bresson, Chairman of the WAIFC Board of Directors



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Zahra Abdel Rassoul
Deputy Managing Director,
Stuttgart Financial

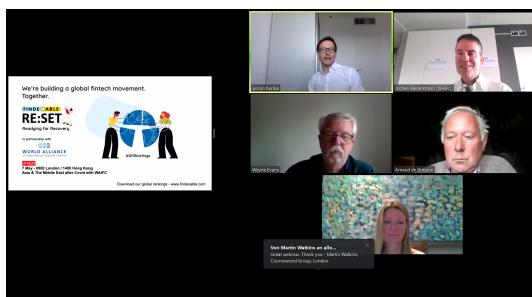


Keiichi Aritomo
Executive Director,
FinCity.Tokyo

Stuttgart Financial joins the WAIFC

WAIFC welcomes Stuttgart Financial as a new member and Zahra Abdel Rassoul as well as Keiichi Aritomo as new board members.

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FinTech Webinar with Findexable: Regulation, resilience and SMEs focus attention of global financial hubs through corona-crisis

In the first of a 2-part series representatives from global financial centers in London, Paris, and Toronto joined Jochen Biedermann and Simon Hardie to discuss the impact of Covid-19 and the role of financial centers in preparing for recovery.

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Second FinTech Webinar with Findexable: Enabling a great leap forward?

In the second of our 2-part series representatives from global financial centers in Doha, Hong Kong, and Luxembourg joined Jochen Biedermann and Simon Hardie to discuss whether the world after lockdown will be more diverse and more digital.

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New FinTech Webinar Series in Partnership with Findexable

Together with Findexable, WAIFC starts a new series of FinTech webinars discussing the road from crisis to opportunities.

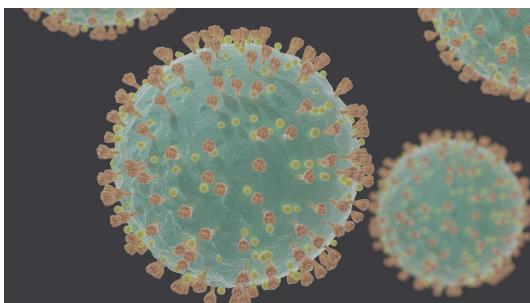
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WAIFC Publication on "How global financial centers can help combat the COVID-19 pandemic"

WAIFC stresses the importance of international cooperation in the fight against the consequences of the corona pandemic for the economy and the financial industry.

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News and activities of our members in the current crisis

Our members, the leading international financial centers, have launched a wide range of activities to mitigate the effects of the current crisis. We have compiled an overview for you.

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WAIFC Publication on "The role of financial centers in driving economic growth"

WAIFC announces its first major publication on "The role of financial centers in driving economic growth."

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WAIFC participates in the FinCity.Tokyo Global Forum

WAIFC representatives participated in a panel at the Global Forum, co-hosted by WAIFC member FinCity.Tokyo and NIKKEI.

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Events

WAIFC Annual General Meeting 2020

Annual General Meeting of the World Alliance of International Financial Centers in Doha on 18/19 October 2020

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[Joint declaration on the current pandemic \(PDF\)](#)

[WAIFC Presentation \(PDF\)](#)

[How global financial centers can help combat the COVID-19 pandemic \(PDF\)](#)

[The role of financial centers in driving economic growth \(PDF\)](#)

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