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**Platform opens** 27 May 2021

Virtual event 14-17 June 2021

**Platform closes** 17 July 2021



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Dear delegate,

Welcome to the ACT Annual Conference Planner! The team has been hard at work this year to bring you another fantastic virtual conference. This handy conference planner will guide you through all that the event has to offer and help you to get the most from our award-winning online platform.

With 30 days to use the event platform after the event closes, there is plenty of time to enjoy all of the fantastic ondemand content, as well as continue talking to peers and creating new contacts using our great networking area.

I wish you a productive and enjoyable Annual Conference, and look forward to seeing you on the platform.

You can start networking even before the event starts, when our platform opens on 27 May.

Updating your profile couldn't be simpler, and you'll have the same great direct messaging and video calling as last year, and new for this year is the ability to filter the attendees by industry - great if you are searching for a new supplier, or looking to make new contacts.

There is a step-by-step of how you can best interact with other delegates available here in the planner.

### WELCOME

Check out our Hints and Tips section to ensure you get the most from the event.

Our sponsor stands provide a wealth of resources, with staff on hand ready to virtually welcome you, as well as some useful thought leadership materials available to download. I'd strongly advise you to visit as many of these as you can.

You will find full listings of all stand activities, and more, in our What's On section.

Our speakers this year are outstanding, with: Andrew Bailey, Governor, Bank of England; Professor Kevin Fong OBE; Sarah Breeden, Executive Director, UK Deposit Takers Supervision from the Bank of England; and Andy Ransom, CEO of Rentokil, to name but a few who will be sharing their insights over the four days. Our Conference **Programme** has a handy filtering function, so if you are pressed for time you can quickly focus in on the sessions that matter most to you. Even before the event opens there are numerous pre-recorded sessions for you to enjoy at a time that suits, and all sessions will be available on the On-Demand tab once the platform closes.

We had great feedback last year for our Time-Out Zone which is featured on the platform again this year.

Wellbeing and mindfulness resources and the latest copy of *The Treasurer*, sit alongside the platform Treasury Hunt, where you can collect points and win prizes just by engaging with the online events space and networking with fellow attendees – a winning combination!

We have listened to your feedback and introduced Discussion Zone for 2021: a dedicated area where you can debate and comment on the latest technical issues affecting today's treasurer, including LIBOR and digital innovations, as well as forums discussing the impact of ongoing remote working.

I wish you a productive and enjoyable Annual Conference, and look forward to seeing you on the platform.

Warm regards,

Caroline

Caroline Stockmann Chief Executive Association of Corporate Treasurers





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#### Edit profile

You can easily edit your profile To do so, click the profile icon the upper right-hand corner of navigation bar. From the dropdown menu, choose Profile/Account.

Here, customise your account include additional information added during the registration process or edit information already present. Change your password here if necessary.

### **Optimise your session** viewing experience

- Make sure you're using one of the platform's supported browsers Google Chrome, Firefox, and Microsoft Edge, and on iOS devices, Safari.
- Ensure you have a strong WIFI connection.

## HINTS AND TIPS

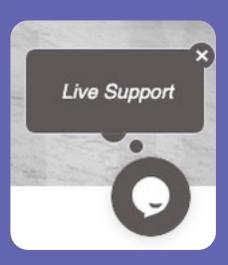
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### Having technical issues?

- Refresh your browser.
- Clear your cache and cookies.
- Log out of your account and reenter the venue in an Incognito or private window.

If technical issues persist select the chatbot located bottom right of the platform. A dedicated team will be on hand to support you.





### **Time settings**

The platform is set in **BST – British** Summer Time. If you are outside this time zone, navigate to the top of each agenda panel and select your current local time.

#### Monday Main Stage

Coming-up (Europe / Madrid -) BST Time June 14 Europe / Madrid Time 10:30 -Opening remarks 10:35 - 11:20 The world is in 2021: the geopolitical and



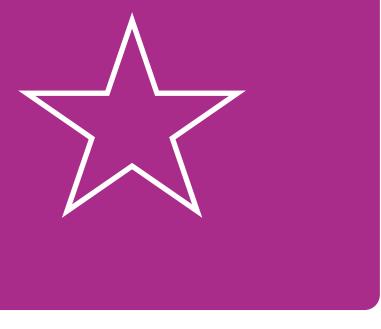


# HINTS **AND TIPS**

**Conference Hall** 

#### **Bookmark sessions**

Click on the star throughout the agenda to bookmark items of interest.



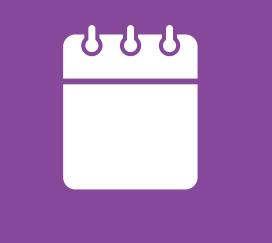
#### **On-Demand**

We have a dedicated tab featuring all pre-recorded content. If you have missed a live session, you can find it in the **On-Demand** tab the following day. Use the filter function at the top of the panel to search specific content.



#### **Calendar reminders**

Click the add to calendar option to add a session to your **personal** Outlook or Google calendar and receive a reminder.



#### **Session Q&A**

The majority of sessions will contain a **Q&A**. This is a great opportunity to post comments or questions to speakers.

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Ask the speaker	
Type your question	

### **Speaker list**

Select the **speaker tab** on the navigation bar to find out more about each speaker. View speaker profiles and discover at which sessions they will be presenting.

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	Henry is Chief Product Officer at TreasurySpring, focussing on the origination of Fixed-Term Funds (FTFs) to provide all those who manage cash with opportunities to reduce risk whilst increasing returns as well as diversity He started his career at Barclays Global Investors (new Blackrock) and has spent over 15 years in markets, including almost a decade with the Royal Bank of Canada Capital Markets, trading repo across asset classes with a particular focus on the financing global corporate and financial credit pre, during and post the previous financial crisis.
	Sessions: Treasury Lab 9: Adjusting to new dynamics in counterparty credit risk management
9	Naresh Aggarwal Associate Director Association of Corporate Treasurers London United Kingdom

#### Speaker feedback

Participate in session surveys to share your thoughts on the content and speakers.

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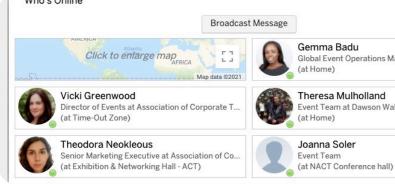
### NETWORKING

### Who's Online?

To view who is online within the platform, go to more, then select the Who's Online tab from the drop-down menu.

When people are online, you can chat or video call them directly.





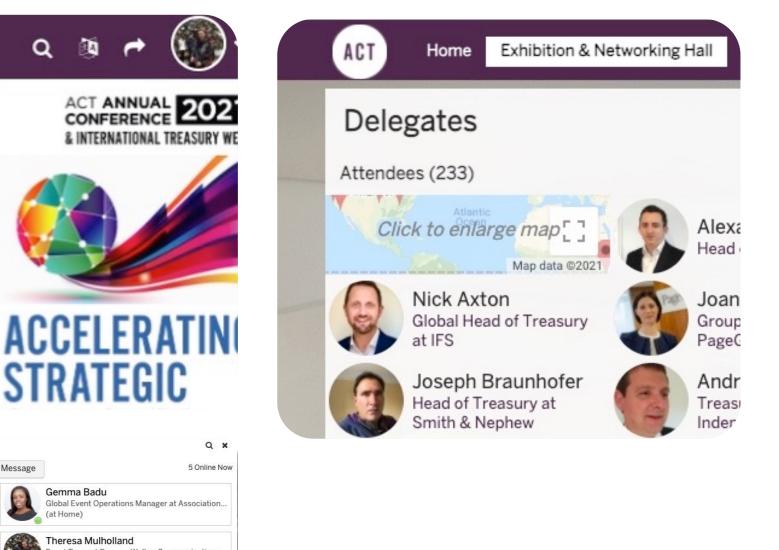
### **Delegate List**

In the Exhibition & Networking hall, you will find the complete list of delegates.

Click the **search function** to filter delegates by company, title, industry or interest.

#### **Discussion Zone**

Select Discussion Zone from the navigation bar. Here you will find forums on a number of treasury topics. Take the opportunity to join the conversation!





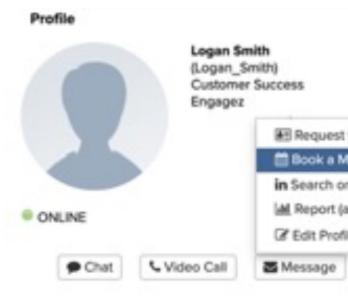


#### **One-to-one meetings with** delegates and speakers

Click on your **profile picture** and select **Meetings** from the drop down menu. Here you can schedule in your available meeting times.

To **book a meeting** with any other user, find their **profile** and click the Book a Meeting link under their name.

If they have scheduled in their availability you will be able to schedule a meeting in straight away. If they haven't, you will be able to suggest times to meet.



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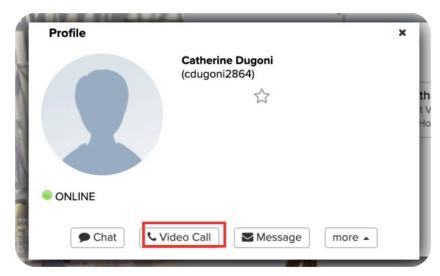
### Video chat - one-to-one and small groups

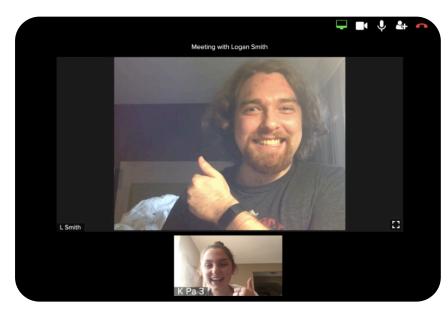
Create a one-to-one video chat, add participants, and share content with up to eight others.

- Exhibitors can create group video chats with delegates in their booths. Any delegate is able to set up one-toone video chats with others in the venue.
- Begin by going to the Who's Online tab in the navigation bar at the top of the screen.

- This will open a pop-up panel of all users who are currently online,
- including their current location within the venue.
- Click on the user you would like to create a one-to-one chat with then click **video call**.
- This will open a one-to-one video call in a new tab.









## CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

### **Platform opens** 27 May 2021

### MONDAY 14 JUNE Main Stage

9:30-9:35 Opening remarks

9:35-10:20 The world in 2021: the geopolitical trends impacting today's treasurers

10:30-11:15 Stage 1: Megatrends: the future of treasury - In association with NatWest

12:00-12:45 Stage 2: Managing supply chain and working capital in a post-COVID post-Brexit environment - In association with HSBC

14:00-14:45 Keynote: An interview with the Governor of the Bank of England

16:00-16:45 Stage 3: Lessons learned: the impact of 2020 on corporate risk management

#### MONDAY Case Studies

Choose one of the three Case Studies

#### 13:00-13:30

Corporate case study 1 - In association with Deutsche Bank

Corporate case study 2: Driving changes in finance and treasury: Diversity and Inclusion (D&I) action plan

Corporate case study 3 - In association with TreasurySpring

### MONDAY Treasury Labs

Choose one of the three Treasury Labs

15:00-15:40

Treasury lab 1: How to define your sustainable finance KPIs – *In* association with BNP Paribas

Treasury lab 2: FX - In association with Deutsche Bank

Treasury lab 3 - In association with ION Group





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### **Platform opens** 27 May 2021

### **TUESDAY 15 JUNE** Main Stage

9:30-9:35 Opening remarks

9:35-10:20 **Stage 4:** Treasury transformation - ecommerce models - In association with Deutsche Bank

10:30-11:15 **Stage 5:** Carbon transition: implications for treasurers- In association with Fitch Ratings

12:00-12:45 Lunch keynote: An interview with Andy Ransom, CEO, Rentokil Initial

16:00-16:45 Stage 6: Real-time payments, the future of liquidity management and the role of virtual accounts -In association with Barclays

### **TUESDAY** Treasury Labs

Choose one of the three Treasury Labs

#### 13:00-13:40

Treasury lab 4: LIBOR transition: A practical insight through corporate experience - In association with NatWest

Treasury lab 5: Balancing short-term financial decisions with long-term value - In association with Amundi

**Treasury lab 6:** Finding treasury enlightenment in trapped and untapped data - In association with Bottomline TreasuryXpress

#### Choose one of the three Treasury Labs

14:00-14:40

Treasury lab 7: Supply chain finance (SCF) post Greensill's collapse and the implication for corporates – In association with MUFG

Treasury lab 8 - In association with SWIFT

Treasury lab 9: Scaling up receivables forecasting at Danone North America with artificial intelligence – In association with Highradius

### **TUESDAY** Case Studies

Choose one of the three Case Studies

#### 15:00-15:30

Corporate case study 4: Going green: benefits and challenges -In association with HSBC

Corporate case study 5: When cash is key, Unilever changes the game of cash forecasting - In association with Cashforce

Corporate case study 6: Top strategies for preventing payments fraud - In association with nsKnox





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### Main Stage

9:30-9:35 Opening remarks

9:35-10:20 Stage 7: The great reset – In association with Standard Chartered

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transition

### WEDNESDAY 16 JUNE

#### 13:00-13:45

Keynote: From the front-line insights into the pandemic and the wider experiences in the NHS and NASA with Prof. Kevin Fong

14:00-14:45 **Stage 8:** The final countdown: regulatory insights into IBOR

### **WEDNESDAY**

Treasury Lab

Choose one of the three Treasury Labs

10:30-11:10

Treasury lab 10: How LSEG's rethinking treasury – In association with Refinitiv

Treasury lab 11 - In association with FIS

Treasury lab 12 - In association with Tilney

Choose one of the three Treasury Labs

12:00 - 12:40

Treasury lab 13: Cultivating culture – In association with HSBC

Treasury lab 14: The value of a treasurer - In association with Kyriba

Treasury lab 15 – In association with INVESTO



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### THURSDAY 17 JUNE Main Stage

9:30-9:35 Opening remarks

9:35-10:20 Stage 9: Enhancing the role of banks in supporting their corporate clients surrounding ESG issues – In association with HSBC/NatWest/Deutsche Bank

13:00-13:45 Stage 10: ESG and credit ratings – In association with S&P Global Ratings

14:30-15:15 Stage 11: Treasury across the globe

15:30-16:15 Closing Keynote: Accelerating strategic change: climate change agenda and its implication on sustainable finance revolution

16:15-16:30 Closing remarks

### **THURSDAY** Treasury Lab

Choose one of the three Treasury Labs

#### 10:30-11:10

Treasury lab 16: Focus on the future: what are future leaders' priorities in 2021 and beyond

Treasury lab 17: Fintech

Treasury lab 18: Blockchain

### THURSDAY Case Studies

Choose one of the three Case Studies

#### 12:00-12:30

Corporate case study 7: Open banking – In association with NatWest

Corporate case study 8: Working capital

Corporate case study 9: ESG and credit ratings





## CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

### **Platform opens** 27 May 2021

**On-demand** Log in from 27 May to start accessing our pre-recorded content

Changing treasury in: o East Africa

o Adapting working patterns to support wellbeing and improve productivity



### **REGIONAL FOCUS**

### **TREASURY INSIGHTS**

o Journey's to treasury discussion

### **LIGHTNING TALKS**

### **DIGITAL SHOWCASE**

o Adapting working patterns to support wellbeing and improve productivity



### Deutsche Bank are interested in your feedback.

Visit the stand to take part in the ACT International Treasury Peer Review

### Join HSBC's Liquidity Insights webinar future risk committee subjects for treasurer

Talk to a stand representative for details. (Corporates only)

Watch the NatWest webinar on 'The new trade paradigm for corporates post-Brexit'.

Visit the stand for more details.

### WHAT'S ON





Listen to an exclusive series of podcasts on strategic insights available at the ACT Stand and Time-Out Zone.



### **Financial Services** Professional Apprenticeship:

Visit the ACT hub between 10:00 15:00 on 14-15 of June and our friendly staff will be able to answer all your questions on our apprenticeship qualifications.

Where: The ACT Hub in the Exhibition & Networking hall

When: 10:00-15:00 BST, 14 - 15 June

### Andrew Bailey, Governor, Bank of England

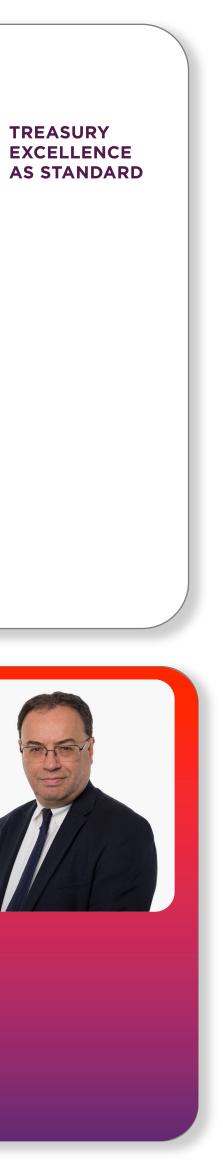
in a lunchtime keynote with

**Caroline Stockmann**, **Chief Executive, Association** of Corporate Treasures

Monday at 2pm on the main stage



FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO SEE WHAT ELSE IS ON, CLICK HERE





## MEET OUR **CO-LEAD** SPONSORS

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Deutsche Bank is the leading bank in Germany with strong European roots and a global network. In Corporate Treasury Services we provide corporate clients with liquidity management, foreign exchange, payment, trade finance and lending solutions. Find out more: db.com

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### **EXHIBITORS**

Visit the virtual exhibition hall for a showcase of the latest solutions, products, and services. Don't miss your opportunity to speak to a stand representative from the exhibitors below and source innovative solutions to your business needs.



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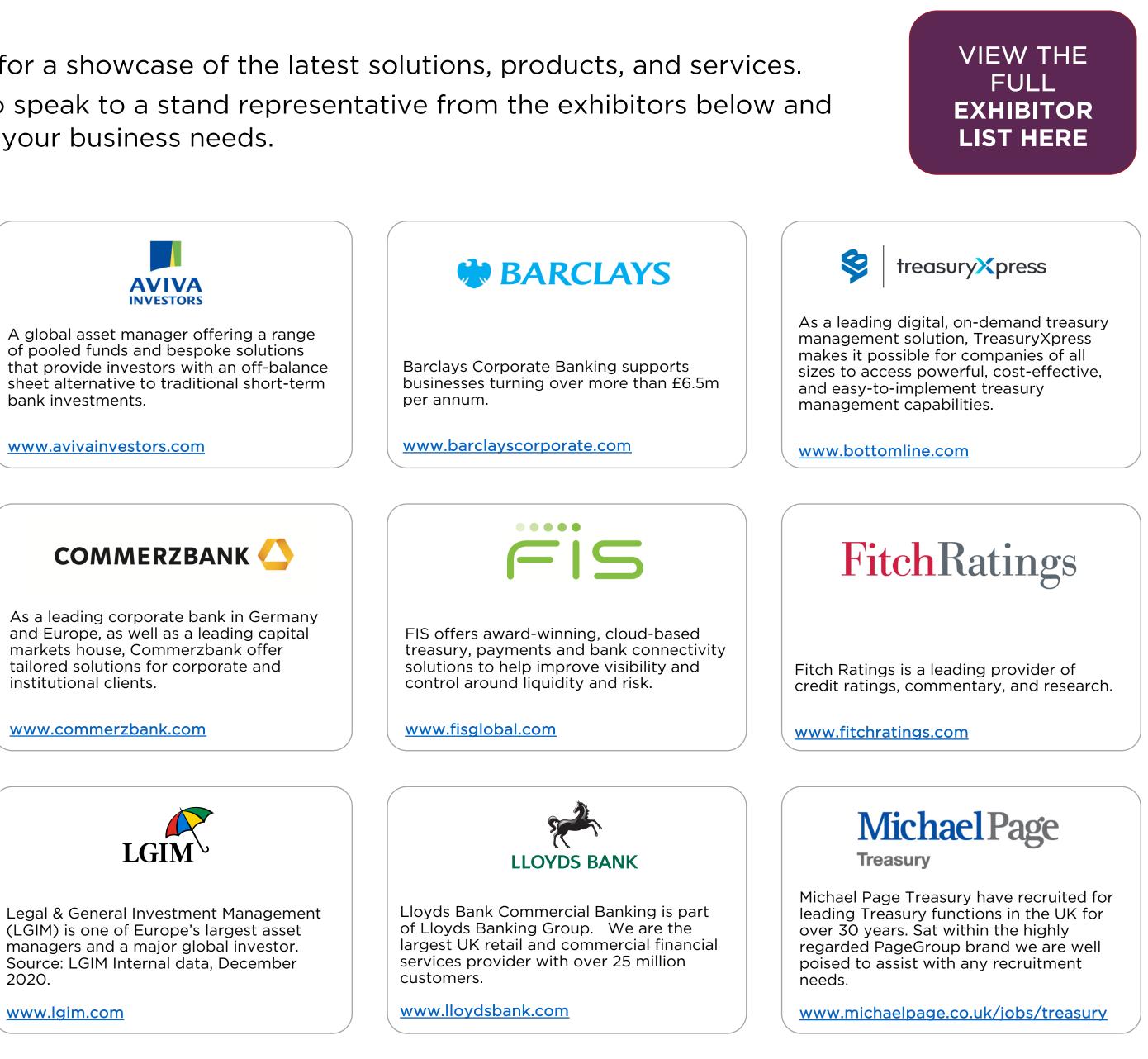
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Amundi, the leading European asset manager, offers its institutional and corporates clients a complete range of savings and investment solutions.

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Cashforce is an innovative cash forecasting & working capital analytics platform.

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Citi, the leading global bank, has approximately 200 million customer accounts and does business in more than 160 countries and jurisdictions.

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GTreasury, now integrated with Coprocess, offers one seamlessly integrated solution to manage cash, payments, financial instruments, risk, banking, intercompany netting, reconciliation, vendor payments and more.

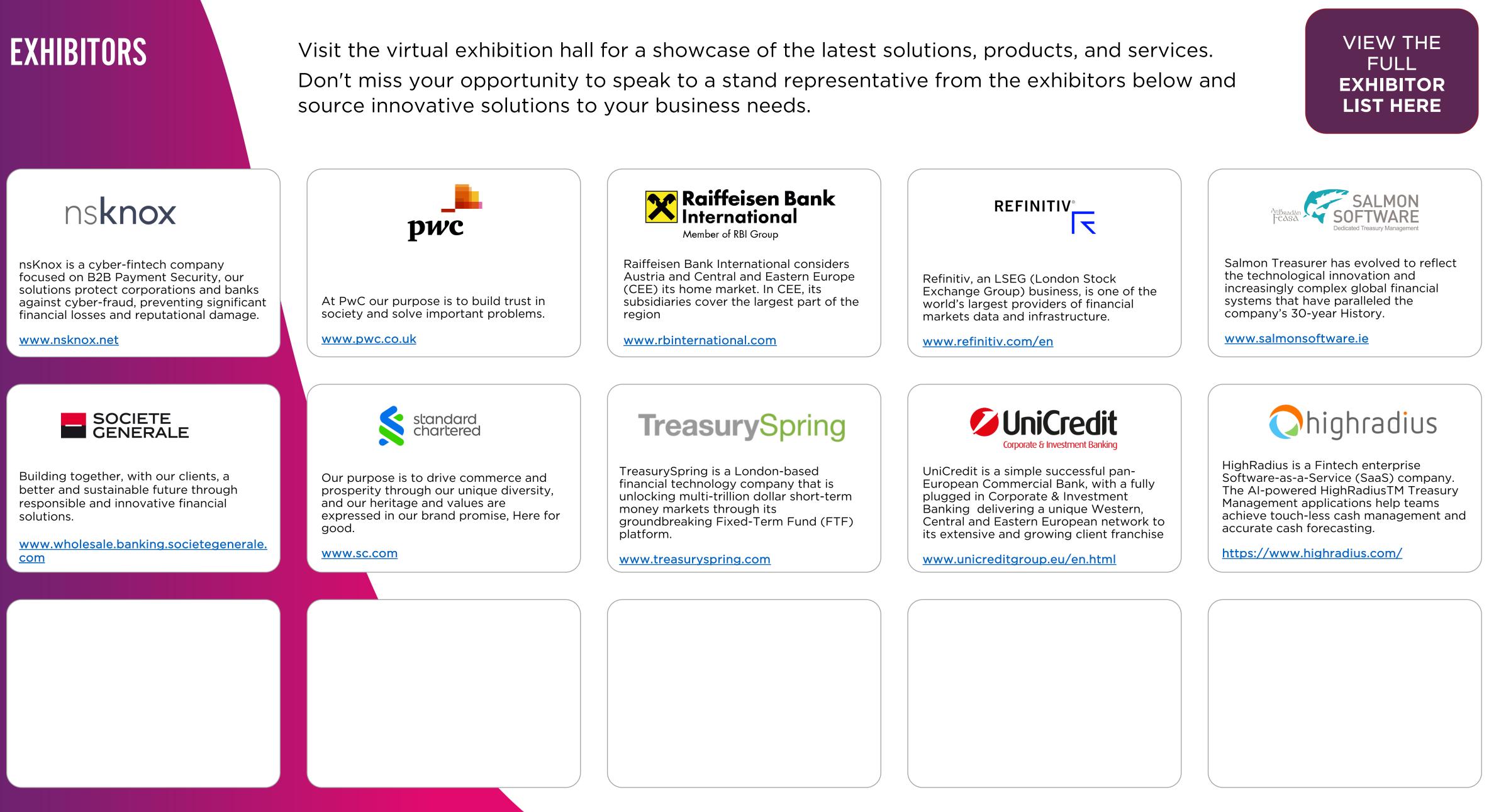
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## TIME-OUT ZONE

### THE TREASURER

Here you will find the latest copy of *The Treasurer* packed with treasury news and insights. Download your copy in the Time-Out Zone. Need a break? Visit our Time-Out Zone for some meditation, foodie links, and more in the Wellbeing Hub! You can also catch up on treasury matters by downloading the latest copy of The Treasurer, and find out where you stand on the Treasury Hunt leader board – join in to win prizes including an Apple Watch.

### **Prizes**

1st prize: Series 6 Apple Watch 2nd prize: £100 Amazon voucher 3rd prize: £50 Amazon voucher

WELLBEING HUB

Mindfulness

Earth Viewing Experiment A view of Earth from the international ultimate 'get away from it' break!

100 Happy Days great chance to reflect on thake you happy.

Interesting facts about human pro An interesting look at how worldwide equality h in real terms since you were born.

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A visual musica and movement

Calming background noise Just play around with the sliders to achieve the perfect calming background noise.

### Wellbeing hub

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ACCELERATING

STRATEGIC

HANGE AGILITY

"I particularly enjoyed the Time-Out zone at the Annual Conference. It was a virtual breath of fresh air, as one could take a break from the conference and indulge in a variety of mental exercises, meditation and mind games. It's the only virtual conference that I have been to that also thought about my mental wellbeing."

Sydney Wechuli, Treasurer, Nairobi Securities Exchange

### **Treasury Hunt**

The more networking and platform features you use, the more points you will earn in the Annual Conference Treasury Hunt. You can start playing as soon as the platform opens on 27 May to be in with a chance of winning prizes including the latest Apple Watch and Amazon vouchers.

### Here's how you can earn points:

- Update your profile (name, company and picture)
  5 POINTS
- Click on the 'share link' to share the event or a session on social media 5 POINTS
- Post in the Discussion Zone 4 POINTS

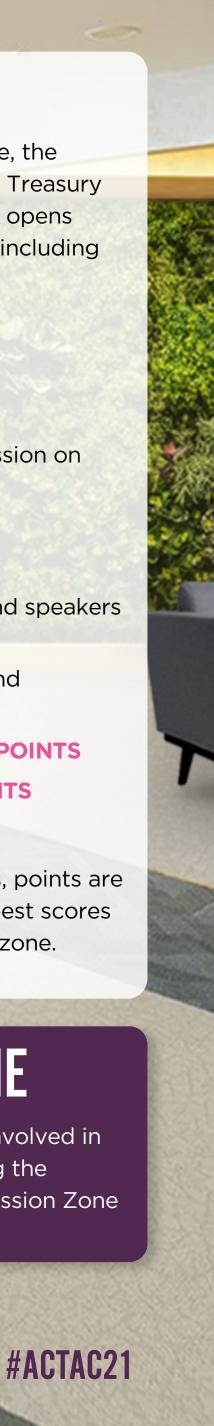
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- Post on an exhibitor's wall/chat box 4 POINTS
- Send a private message or chat with attendees and speakers
  3 POINTS
- Chat to a stand representative in the Exhibition and Networking Hall 3 POINTS
- Reply to a post on an exhibitor's wall/chat box **2 POINTS**
- Comment on a post on a discussion board 2 POINTS
- View a resource from an exhibitor stand **1 POINT**

Each time you complete any of the above activities, points are automatically added to your tally and the top ten best scores will be shown on the leader board in the Time-Out zone.

### **DISCUSSION ZONE**

Join the conversation and be involved in talks around key topics shaping the treasury landscape in the Discussion Zone



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# WE HOPE YOU ENJOY THE **CONFERENCE!**

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