

Tues 3rd & Weds 4th September 2024

Cambridge University

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AREF FUTUREGEN CONFERENCE 2024

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DAY 1: Tuesday 3rd September

09:45 Registration

Join us in the Library of Emmanuel College, Cambridge University for registration, tea, coffee and networking

10:30 Keynote Speaker: TBC

11:30 Breakout Session A: Empower & Influence:

& Mastering Confidence and Leadership

12:30Learn how to communicate confidently in this 45 minute workshop, influence effectively, and embrace a growth mindset, empowering you to thrive and lead with confidence.

Run by Amira, The Communication Expert

Breakout Session B: Delegate Power

Networking

Join us for a dynamic 45-minute speed networking session to connect, collaborate, and meet fellow delegates at the conference!

13:30 Lunch

14:30 Fireside Chat: Adrian Benedict, Fidelity International

Join us for a Fireside Chat with Adrian Benedict, Head of Real Estate Solutions at Fidelity International, as he shares career insights, leadership lessons, and future industry trends, in an engaging conversation with Will Lawrence from AREF's FutureGen Committee.

15:30 **Break**

16:00 Panel Discussion: Impact Investing and Real

Estate

Our ESG panelists will delve into what we mean by impact investing within the real estate sector, the different forms of impact that can be targeted and how it can be measured.

- (Moderator) Frankie Demetriades, Abrdn
- Jessica Pilz, Fiera Real Estate
- Vivienne King, The Good Economy
- + more TBC

17:00 Check-in and freshen-up

18:00 Punting

Enjoy a scenic chauffeured punting experience on the River Cam in Cambridge, complete with drinks and expert guides.

19:30 Dinner: Parkers Tavern

Join us for a three-course dinner at the charming Parkers Tavern in Cambridge.

DAY 2: Wednesday 4th September

10:30 Site Visit 1: The Old Swiss Building

The re-imagination of the Swiss Laundry warehouses and Tannery into 50,000 sq ft of superbly designed, state of the art R&D and Office Space

Site Visit 1: The CB1 Estate

CB1 is the newly revitalised area around Cambridge Station. It is a mixeduse development, well underway, that has delivered new homes, offices, retail space and two hotels, with more to come.

12:00 Ends