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9 September, Convene 200 Aldersgate, St. Pauls, London

Wednesday, 9 September 2026

08:30

Registration & Networking Breakfast

09:00

Welcome remarks

Sarah Adams, Director of Policy, UK Private Capital

09:05

Opening remarks

Michael Moore, Chief Executive, UK Private Capital

09:15

DC pensions and private capital: What does the future hold?

Panel

Synopsis: With the passing of the Pension Schemes Act, we're in a new era for the UK's DC pension landscape. The ambition for a significant role for private capital remains high, with the new Prime Minister already signalling he plans to continue the momentum. This panel will discuss what progress there has been on the Mansion House commitments, and what we can expect in relation to private capital moving forward.

Moderator: Ben Wilkinson, Chief Executive Officer, Molten Ventures
Zoe Alexander, Executive Director of Policy & Advocacy, Pensions UK
Steve Budge, Partner, DC Investment Consulting, LCP
Joanna Sharples, CIO, DC Solutions, Aon

09:45

What will the next five years bring in pensions?

Fireside

Interviewer: Michael Moore, Chief Executive, UK Private Capital
Hannah Gurga, Director General, ABI

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What does AI & tech mean for pension investment?

Panel sponsored by SS&C

Synopsis: As interest in artificial intelligence grows, and pension funds explore more private capital opportunities, this session will explore AI as an investment opportunity for institutional investors and hear how private capital funds are approaching the risks and opportunity. The session will also hear from a leading pension fund on how they are approaching investment governance in the fast-evolving landscape.

Moderator: Amar Shah, Senior Director, Sales, SS&C

Caroline Escott, Head of Investment Stewardship and Co-Head of Sustainable Ownership, Railpen

Simon Menashy, General Partner, MMC Ventures

Ross Morrison, Partner, Primary Investments, Adams Street Partners

10:35

Networking Break

11:05

What's next for the LGPS? Reform, opportunity and investment

Panel

Synopsis: The Local Government Pension Scheme remains in a period of unprecedented transition, with funds and pools working closely to meet the Government's reform ambitions. As the new landscape takes shape, and the interest in growth in every postcode remains high, this panel will discuss what this means for the schemes' continued investment in private capital and the role of the funds and the pools moving forward.

Moderator: Karen Hurst, Senior Policy Manager, Pensions & Investment, UK Private Capital

Mel Butler, Pensions Senior Manager – Investment & Stewardship, Surrey Pension Fund

Andy Gregory, CEO, BGF

Nigel People, Director of Policy, LGPS Central

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Will the Mansion House commitments be successful?

Fireside

Interviewer: Leon de Bono, Managing Director, UK Private Capital
Dame Anne Glover DBE, Chief Executive & Co-Founder,
Amadeus Capital Partners
Harry Raikes, Head of UK Venture Investments, Schroders Capital

12:00

Industry perspective: New investment strategies

Fireside sponsored by HSF Kramer

Interviewer: John Taylor, Partner, HSF Kramer
Ian Connatty, Deputy Chief Investment Officer, British Business Bank
Liz Fernando, CIO, Nest Pensions

12:25

Closing remarks

Sarah Adams, Director of Policy, UK Private Capital

12:30

Lunch & LP-GP Summit Arrival

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