



Financial  
Inclusion  
**FORUM**



**European Bank**  
for Reconstruction and Development

## ***Progress and Future of Financial Inclusion***

***4pm-7pm, Monday, October 17 2016***

*European Bank of Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)*

*One Exchange Square*

*London EC2A 2JN*

*United Kingdom*

Join us for a conversation with financial inclusion practitioners, investors and stakeholders to reflect on the progress that has been made in financial inclusion and the forces shaping the future direction of the industry.

Speakers include:

Yasmina McCarty, Head of Mobile for Development, GSMA

Barbaba Rambousek, Associate Director, Economic Inclusion, EBRD

Vaughn Lindsay, Director, Leapfrog Labs

Max Robinson, Chief Operating Officer, VisionFund

Maria Largey, Director, Financial Institutions, CDC

Andrew Hilton, Director, CSFI

David Lascelles, Author, Financial Services for All Banana Skins

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# **FINANCIAL INCLUSION WEEK**

OCTOBER 17-21, 2016



KEEPING CLIENTS FIRST  
IN A DIGITAL WORLD

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## Full Program

### **4pm: Registration and Networking**

### **4:30pm: Welcome and Financial Inclusion in the EBRD Region**

Ralph De Haas, Director of Research, Office of the Chief Economist

Nathaniel Young, Principal Economist, Office of the Chief Economist

### **5pm: Reflecting on Progress in Financial Inclusion**

*Expanding access to finance has evolved from microcredit to financial inclusion. What real changes have taken place on the ground and in the organisations serving the underserved?*

#### Speakers:

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Max Robinson, Chief Operating Officer, VisionFund

Barbaba Rambousek, Associate Director, Economic Inclusion, EBRD

Moderator: Yasmina McCarty, Head of Mobile for Development, GSMA

### **6pm: Charting the Future Course for Financial Inclusion**

*What does the recent Financial Services for All Banana Skins Survey tell us about the direction and priorities for stakeholders in financial inclusion?*

#### Speakers:

David Lascelles, Author, Financial Services for All Banana Skins

Vaughn Lindsay, Director, Leapfrog Labs

Chaired by: Andrew Hilton, Director, Center for Study of Financial Innovation

### **7pm-8pm: Reception**



This event is part of Financial Inclusion Week, an initiative of Financial Inclusion 2020, a research and advocacy project at the Center for Financial Inclusion (CFI) to deepen the shared understanding of what financial inclusion is where the gaps are and the roadmap to achieve it. Financial Inclusion Week aims to build momentum around addressing the most significant gaps in financial inclusion through a week of global conversation. This year's theme is *keeping clients first in a digital world*.