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SESSION TIMES	DAY ONE – GLOBAL TRENDS IN PENSIONS – NAVIGATING THE TURMOIL TUESDAY 7 JUNE 2022 16h-19h CEST (10 am – 1 pm Washington & Montreal, EDT)
16h – 16h10 CEST 10 am – 10.10 am EDT	OPENING SPEECH Welcome and Introductory Speech: Eva Scheerlinck , Chair, WPA and CEO, AIST
16h10 – 16h25 CEST 10.10 am – 10.25 am EDT	INTRODUCTORY SPEECH 1 Introduction to session & Keynote Speaker: Derek W. Dobson , CEO, CAAT Pension Plan
16h25 – 17h20 CEST 10.25 am – 11.20 am EDT	SESSION ONE: GEOPOLITICAL ENVIRONMENT – HOW ARE PENSION FUNDS DEALING WITH TURMOIL? Blurb: Given the current low interest environment and growing inflation rates, how will pension funds deal with this? Where are markets and rates of return headed? What if a sustained period of low investment returns becomes the norm? What does this mean for the financial sustainability of pension funds and the future of pension capital? Panelists: Europe: Ann Verlinden , Secretary General, PensioPlus Australia: Gregg McClymont , Executive Director, Public Affairs, IFM Investors Moderator: Eric Müller-Borle , Founder, Global Benefits Vision
17h20 – 17h30 CEST 11.20 am – 11.30 am EDT	COFFEE BREAK

SESSION TWO 17h30 – 19h CEST / 11:30 am – 1 pm Washington & Montreal, EDT	
17h30 – 17h40 CEST 11.30 am – 11.40 am EDT	INTRODUCTORY SPEECH TWO Mr. Matti Leppälä , Secretary General, PensionsEurope
17h40 – 17h50 CEST 11.40 am – 11.50 am EDT	Introduction to Session: Sponsor Albena Vassileva , Executive Director, Infrastructure, IFM Investors
17h50 – 18h50 CEST 11.50 am – 12.50 pm EDT	SESSION TWO - COP26, NET ZERO, CARBON TRANSITION AND ALL THINGS SUSTAINABILITY Blurb: With commitments to Net Zero, what does this mean for international pension funds in transitioning to carbon neutral? What are the challenges, opportunities and emerging issues of moving from brown to green? Panelists: US: Sonia Axter , Managing Director, Head of Asset Management, Ullico Canada: Brian Minns , Managing Director, Responsible Investing, University Pension Plan Ontario Australia: Kelly Christodoulou , Senior ESG Consultant, Investments, AustralianSuper Moderator: Mr. Matti Leppälä , Secretary General, PensionsEurope
18h50 – 19h CEST 12.50 pm – 1 pm EDT	CLOSING SPEECH Eric Müller-Borle , Founder, Global Benefits Vision

SESSION TIMES	DAY TWO - GLOBAL TRENDS IN HEALTHCARE & LABOUR MARKET WEDNESDAY 8 JUNE 2022 16h10-19h00 CEST (10.10 am – 1.00 pm Washington & Montreal, EDT)
16h10 – 16h20 CEST 10.10 am – 10.20 am EDT	Introduction: Welcome from the organisers Canada - Susan Bird , CEBS, Fellow ISCEBS, HIA, ICD.D; President, The McAteer Group of Companies
16h20 – 17h20 CEST 10.20 am – 11.20 am EDT	SESSION THREE: AGEING WELL - HEALTH CARE AND AFFORDABILITY Blurb: It is well-known that as the global population ages, the dependency on health care and long-term care will grow. What are the factors for ageing well? Are we providing a diversity of care options? What are the emerging issues for members and pension funds alike? Panellists: Europe: Bertrand Boivin-Champeaux , Head of Insurance and Pension Unit, CTIP Canada: Dr. Elaine Chin , Founder, Innovation Health Group Australia: Charlotte Cartwright , Partner, Eversheds Sutherland Moderator: Giuseppe Perretti , Policy Advisor Healthcare & Provident Funds at the European Association of Paritarian Institutions - AEIP
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SESSION FOUR 17h30 – 19h00 CET 11:30 am – 1 pm Washington & Montreal, EDT	
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<p>17h40 – 18h40 CEST</p> <p>11.40 am – 12.40 pm EDT</p>	<p>SESSION FOUR: CHANGING NATURE OF WORK</p> <p>Blurb: The nature of work has changed dramatically in a short period of time. Collective bargaining is a growing trend, the digital economy has enabled remote working but also reinforces existing inequalities. Coupled with labour shortages and supply chain issues. How are economies and global populations transitioning?</p> <p>Panelists: Europe: Thorsten Guthke, Head of the European Office, SOKA-BAU US: Daisy Pitkin, National Field Director, Starbucks Campaign, Workers United Canada: Shawn Haggerty, President Local 175</p> <p>Moderator: Mariah M. Becker, Director of Research and Education, NCCMP</p>
<p>18h40 – 19h00 CEST</p> <p>12.40 pm – 1 pm EDT</p>	<p>Closing Remarks</p> <p>Michael D. Scott, Executive Director, NCCMP</p>