Introduction to Environmental, Social, Governance

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Introduction

Sustainable business practices and transparent ESG reporting are increasingly taking center stage. While sustainability reporting is not mandatory in all countries, a growing number of successful companies are recognizing that the use of best practices can be an important differentiator. In addition, more and more lenders and investors are imposing sustainability-related requirements on companies seeking financing.

This course provides an overview of the role and responsibilities of the board and directors in promoting sustainability management, compliance, and strategies within a company. The potential impact and implications of environmental, social and governance (ESG) developments, climate-related risks and opportunities for companies, and how companies can drive value creation through ESG will be explored and discussed during the course.

Course Outline

- Introductions to ESG, including an introduction to commonly used acronyms and definitions.
- What is Sustainability and why now.
- Overview of recent ESG developments and potential climate-related risks and opportunities.
- The role of the board of directors and audit committee in relation to ESG and their role in sustainability compliance and strategies.
- Overview of sustainability reporting and climate-related disclosures.
- How does an organisation get ready for the rapid developments of the global sustainability standards?

Learning Objectives

- Understand the role and responsibilities of the board and directors in sustainability governance and the overview of TCFD recommendations.
- Understand the potential impact and implications of regulatory ESG developments on business.
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