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Global SME Finance Forum 2018

Melia Castilla Hotel &
Convention Center,
Madrid, Spain

Reaching the Informal: The Role of Finance in Improving Growth and Productivity of SMEs

| 5-Nov-18 | Session / Format | Topic & speakers |
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| 09:00-9:30 | Member registration | |
| 09:30-12:30 | Members meeting (members only) | TBC |
| 12.30 - 14.00 | Lunch | |
| 14.30 - 18.00 | Study visits | Adhara, Alastria, BBVA's Innovation Center, Bewater Funds, Ciudad BBVA, Inbonis, Intesa SanPaolo, Santander, Traity, Trust-u, Twinco Capital |

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| 19.00 - 21.00 | Cocktail reception (all participants) | |
| 6-Nov-18 | Session / Format | Topic & speakers |
| 07.30 - 9.00 | Registration | |
| 09.00 - 10.00 | Welcome/Opening speeches | TBC |
| 10.00 - 10.30 | Keynote address | TBC |
| 10.30 - 11.00 | Fireside Chat | TBC |
| <i>11.00 - 11.30</i> | <i>Networking Break</i> | |
| 11.30 - 12.45 | Plenary/ Debate | Are banks central to serving SMEs? |
| <i>12.45 - 13.45</i> | <i>Lunch</i> | |
| 13.45 - 14.45 | Plenary session | Beyond digital transformation: how to help SME clients go digital |
| 14.45 - 16.15 | TechPitch | |
| <i>16.15 - 16.30</i> | <i>Networking Break</i> | |
| 16.30 - 18.15 | SME Finance Marketplace | |

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| 19.00 - 22.00 | Gala dinner + Awards + Keynote | | | |
| 07-Nov-18 | Session / Format | Plenary/ Breakout 1 (Topic & speakers) | Breakout 2 (Topic & speakers) | Breakout 3 (Topic & speakers) |
| 09.00 - 10.15 | Plenary session | Addressing informality through supply chain market creation | | |
| 10.15 - 11.30 | Breakout sessions | The Role of NFS in Improving the Growth and Profitability of SMEs | Women Finance | Innovation in Small business insurance |
| 11.30 - 12.00 | Networking Break | | | |
| 12.00 - 13.15 | Breakout sessions | Transaction banking for SMEs | Risk management | AI/Machine learning for Fis: show us the data |
| 13.15 - 14.15 | Lunch | | | |
| 14.15 - 15.00 | Keynote/ Fireside Chat | Policy/regulatory intervention to addressing informality | | |
| 15.00 - 16.15 | Breakout sessions | Role of DFIs in promoting SME growth | Enabling trade through Ecommerce platforms | Digital innovation and agribusiness |
| 16.15 - 16.45 | Networking Break | | | |
| 16.45 - 17.15 | Fireside chat | Big is beautiful | | |
| 17.15 - 17.45 | Closing remarks | | | |
| 19.00 - 21.00 | Cocktail reception | TBC | | |

| 08-Nov-18 | Session / Format | Topic & speakers |
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| 09.00 – 14.00 | Community of practices - by invitation only | TBC |