

# Finance sector briefing on SAF

<b>Date, time and location</b>	Tuesday 17 October 2023, 2pm – 5pm ( <b>registration from 1pm</b> ) Norton Rose Fulbright Office, 30 <sup>th</sup> floor, 30 MPR meeting room, 1301 Avenue of the Americas, New York 10019, United States	
<b>Attendees</b>	Institutional investors, banks, aviation industry partners	
2pm	<b>Welcome: aviation's net-zero pathway</b> A look at the overall path to net-zero and the role of different levers of mitigation available to aviation.	Haldane Dodd Executive Director, ATAG
2:20pm	<b>The role of SAF in net-zero aviation</b> Exploring how SAF will be key to aviation's net-zero ambitions, a quantitative analysis of total requirements by 2050, the feedstock options, capital requirements and co-benefits of shifting to SAF.	Eliot Lees Vice President and Managing Director, Clean Transportation, ICF
2:35pm	<b>Technical developments</b> A look at some of the technical developments underway: 100% SAF aircraft, book and claim systems, new pathways and sustainability criteria.	François Collet Head of Trading, Commercial team Airbus
2:50pm	<b>The driver for SAF at an aviation system level</b> Airports don't buy fuel, but are taking an interest in the challenges of aviation's energy transition. How is the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey approaching the strategic imperative?	Christopher Diamond Director of the Office of Sustainability, PANYNJ
3pm	<b>Demand drivers and policy outlook</b> Where are policies being developed at a global, regional and national level to help underpin investment? How will this play out over time?	Haldane Dodd Executive Director, ATAG
3:20pm	<b>Coffee break</b>	
3:30pm	<b>Panel discussion: how will the demand for SAF evolve, how is financing being rolled-out?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Leke Agiri</b>, Vice President Finance, Gevo</li> <li>▪ <b>Jill Blickstein</b>, Vice President and Chief Sustainability Officer, American Airlines</li> <li>▪ <b>Jonathon Counsell</b>, Group Head of Sustainability, IAG</li> <li>▪ <b>Connor Rehm</b>, Chief Financial Officer, 4Air</li> </ul>	Kevin Welsh Vice President of Environment and Chief Sustainability Officer Airlines for America - A4A
4:20pm	<b>Open discussion:</b> How do the private and institutional investors consider the opportunities for SAF? What are the key questions they are asking? What do they need to know more about to consider SAF as an investment opportunity?	Michael Foley Associate Director of Sustainability, Business Development and Partnerships Pratt & Whitney
4:50pm	<b>Concluding remarks</b>	Haldane Dodd Executive Director, ATAG

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