## PSDRN [Private Sector Development Research Network]

## Workshop on Firm-level Data Collected by Development Finance Institutions

## Tuesday, April 6th 2021, 9:00 AM - 11:40 AM EDT (Eastern Daylight Time)

## Agenda

9:00 AM - Opening remarks 10:30 AM

Presentation session:

DFI data and applied research

Moderator: Neil Gregory, Chief Thought Leadership Officer, IFC

Presenter: Çağatay Bircan, Senior Research Economist, EBRD

Presenter: Camilo Mondragon-Velez, Principal Research Economist, Modelling & Analytics - Sector Economics

& Development Impact, IFC

Presenter: Patricia Yanez-Pagans, Lead Economist, Development Effectiveness Division, IDB Invest

Presenter: CDC Group

Q & A session

10:30 AM - 10-minute break

10:40 AM

10:40 AM - Plenary session:

11:40 AM Challenges and Opportunities in making better use of DFI Data

Moderator: Nancy Lee, Senior Policy Fellow, Center For Global Development

Panellist: David Atkin, Co-Chair, Firms, Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab (J-PAL); Professor of

Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Panellist: Erik Berglöf, Chief Economist, Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank

Panellist: Anastasia Gekis, Manager, Operations Management, IFC

Q & A session

**WORKSHOP CLOSE** 

**OPTIONAL:** 

12:30 PM - Working session:

2:00 PM Methods to codify, digitize and store data, and make it usable

Presenter: Daniel Björkegren, Assistant Professor of Economics, Brown University

Presenter: Atiyah Curmally, Principal Environmental Specialist, IFC

Presenter: Jonathan Hersh, Assistant Professor of Economics and Management Science, the Argyros School of

Business, Chapman University

Q & A session