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Natixis' Corporate & Investment Bank creates its Green & Sustainable Hub

Natixis steps up its green and sustainable economy ambitions and creates the Green & Sustainable Hub in its Corporate & Investment Banking division. This operational hub will provide issuer and investor clients worldwide with a broad spectrum of green and sustainable finance expertise.

Headed by Orith Azoulay, the Hub will provide:

- **Green & sustainable research**, at the very center of the set-up. This team will now be managed by Cécile de Coincy;
- **Finance structuring and origination** (bonds, loans, securitization) based on an O2D or Originate-to-Distribute approach, thereby facilitating syndication and distribution to a specialized investor base;
- **Investment solution structuring and engineering** (equities, fixed income and credit) aimed at designing innovative investment products and solutions;
- **Advisory** as we work alongside our issuer and investor clients.

The new team will be managed by Orith Azoulay, previously Head of SRI Research. Orith will report to Mohamed Kallala, Global Head of Investment Banking, and Luc François, Head of Global Markets.

Biography

Orith Azoulay started her career in 2000 as an equity analyst at JP Morgan Chase in London. After working for French think tank ORSE (Observatoire de la RSE – Observatory for Corporate Social Responsibility), she joined Groupama Asset Management to create its SRI research department in 2003. Orith joined Natixis in 2008 to lead its SRI research team in the Global Markets Research department.

Orith Azoulay, aged 39, is a graduate of ESCP Europe.

About Natixis

Natixis is the international corporate and investment banking, asset management, insurance and financial services arm of Groupe BPCE, the 2nd-largest banking group in France with 31.2 million clients spread over two retail banking networks, Banque Populaire and Caisse d'Epargne.

With more than 16,000 employees, Natixis has a number of areas of expertise that are organized into three main business lines: Corporate & Investment Banking, Investment Solutions & Insurance, and Specialized Financial Services.

A global player, Natixis has its own client base of companies, financial institutions and institutional investors as well as the client base of individuals, professionals and small and medium-size businesses of Groupe BPCE's banking networks.

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