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Day 0: Tues, 15 Sept

Mobilising Private Capital to Build Impact Economies in Domestic and Global Markets

Tuesday, 15 September 2026, 14:00 – 18:00

Location: **Cinema the Pulse**, Hildegard von Bingenstraat 4, Amsterdam Zuid

The Netherlands Advisory Board on impact investing (NAB), with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands and Amsterdam Impact, is pleased to invite you to an afternoon of dialogue and collaboration focused on accelerating the mobilisation of private capital for impact.

The programme is built around a shared ambition: mobilising 10% of assets under management for impact, including a 4% allocation to emerging markets. Through discussions with Dutch and international stakeholders, we will explore practical pathways for scaling capital mobilisation and showcase inspiring examples from leading Dutch institutional investors.

The event will bring together Dutch institutional investors, policymakers, and impact leaders from the Netherlands and around the world, including CEOs and Chairs of the GSG Impact global partnership representing more than 50 countries. Together, we will examine how to accelerate the growth of impact investing and turn ambition into action.

The afternoon programme is structured around two key themes:

Mobilising local capital for impact: How institutional investors are embedding impact within their investment strategies by setting clear objectives, measuring outcomes, and sharing lessons learned to help strengthen resilient communities, economies and public systems.

Mobilising capital for emerging markets: Exploring the opportunities and challenges of increasing investment flows to emerging markets, including the benefits of portfolio diversification, risk management, sustainable development and driving global solutions.

As part of this international gathering, the NAB will present an exclusive preview of its latest State of the Dutch impact investing ecosystem, providing insights into the size and development of the market, key trends and the main barriers and opportunities shaping its future growth.

The evening will conclude with a walking dinner at **Strandzuid**, after **18.00**.

Day 1: Wed, 16 Sept

Building the Dike: From shared context to concrete ideas

Time: 09:00 – 18:00 · Arrival and walk-in from 08:30

Location: **Park Inn by Radisson West Hotel**

Morning: Arriving and Aligning

Welcome and Opening: Opening of the gathering; Setting the foundations.

Connecting the Network: Interactive formats to discover who is in the room, what unites the Partnership, and networking.

Why Now? Why the Impact Economy?: Opening plenary on the global context and the case for a renewed strategic narrative.

The Impact Economy Index: An interactive panel making the case for the Impact Economy Index as the Partnership's flagship tool, landing it in each country's context.

Lunch · wall of asks and offers opens

Afternoon: From Exchange to Co-Creation (see Working sessions)

Discover and Define: Choose one of a number of working sessions on the Partnership's core themes. Exchanging practices and perspectives to get to the hard questions worth solving. (see below for the list of sessions). Within each session, you will:

Ideate and Vote: Creative thinking tools to generate ideas and champion the ones with real potential.

Build and Commit: Groups turn their strongest idea into a tangible artefact with a plan to take it forward.

Harvest and Close: Groups share what they have built, capturing the day's insights and direction for Day 2.

Evening

Optional networking dinner – at participants' own expense. We will arrange restaurant reservations in advance, with each participant paying for their own meal.

Working sessions for Day 1: Wed, 16 Sept

Session 1: Turning the Impact Economy Index into compelling narratives for action

How might we frame a specific finding from the Impact Economy Index in a way that is relevant and compelling to a particular stakeholder (e.g. a minister, investor, donor, corporate partner, etc.) and helps motivate a decision or action?

Session 2: From policy access to policy influence

How might we grow the trusted government relationships we already hold into real policy influence?

Session 3: Mobilising domestic capital for impact: what tools can accelerate change?

How might we address the specific constraints preventing a priority domestic capital source from investing for impact?

Session 4: Activating the demand side

How might we strengthen the demand side of the impact economy, now that it stands as its own driver in the Impact Economy Index?

Session 5: Climate resilience & adaptation

How might National Partners translate financially material climate and nature risks into coordinated policy and investment action in their markets?

Session 6: Partnering with wealth owners on impact

How might we partner with wealth owners and family offices to drive the transformative shifts we need to build impact economies?

Day 2: Thu, 17 Sept

Planting the Seeds for the Future: From ideas to commitments

Time: 09:00 – 16:10 · Arrival and walk-in from 08:30

Location: **Park Inn by Radisson West hotel**

Morning: Deepening and Connecting

Landing Back: Reflections on Day 1 learnings and a warm-up to set the tone for growing what we started.

Fireside chat between Sir Ronald Cohen (President of GSG Impact) and Yvonne Bakkum (Chair of Dutch NAB).

Open Space: Sessions proposed and hosted by participants, seeded by the Day 1 harvest and topics still calling for attention.

Regional Meetings: Why regions matter for the Partnership, and space to coordinate shared priorities and structures.

Lunch · building the collective timeline

Afternoon: Committing and Closing

Looking Towards the Future: The path ahead and the key milestones for the year ahead, including the **Global Summit 2-3 March 2027**.

Regional and National Commitments: Translate the two days into regional and national priorities and commitments.

Closing: Closing ritual, evaluation, and final remarks. Leaving inspired, connected, and committed as one ecosystem.