

UNDERSTANDING HUMAN RIGHTS DUE DILIGENCE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL SECTOR

PROGRAM

9:30 – 9:40	Welcome & Introduction	Sabine Döbeli , CEO, Swiss Sustainable Finance
9:40 – 10:15	Input: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Human rights due diligence & international trends• Human rights impacts in the financial sector & good practice examples	Annik Bindler , Consultant on Business and Human Rights / Responsible Sourcing, twentyfifty Sarah Dekkiche , Director of Consulting Switzerland, twentyfifty
10:15 – 11:45	Exercise: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How to identify risks in my portfolios & transactions• How to prioritise business action• My corporate action plan	All participants
11:45 – 12:00	Wrap-up	
12:00	<i>Lunch and networking</i>	Atelier Bar, Talacker 16

IMPORTANCE OF HUMAN RIGHTS FOR INVESTORS

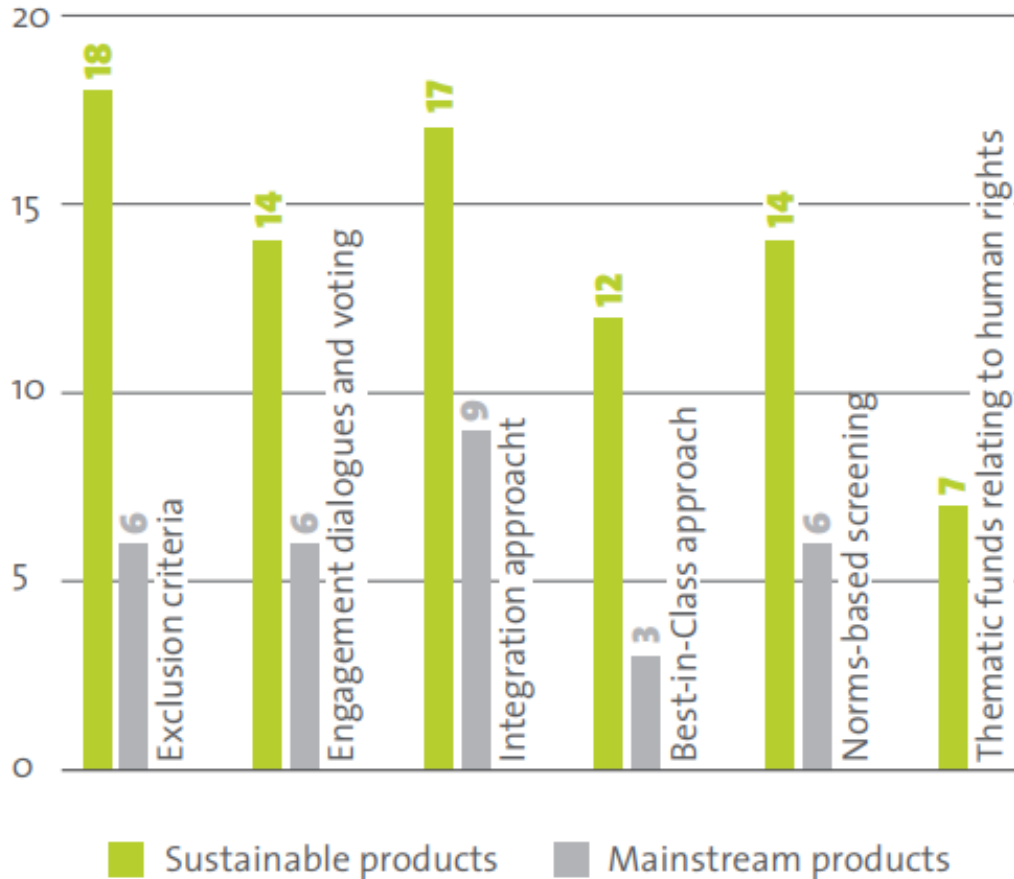
2018 Market Study Results

ESG engagement themes in Switzerland in order of importance	
1	Corporate governance
2	Climate change risk management & reporting
3	Human rights
4	Environmental impact of products and services
5	Sustainability management & reporting
6	Business ethics
7	Environmental controversies/degradation
8	Employment conditions
9	Supply chain management

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2017 Market Study Results

Strategies of financial players in Switzerland that take human rights into account
(study participants, n=21)



Source: Forum Nachhaltige Geldanlagen, Swiss Sustainable Finance (2016)

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2017 Market Study Results

Three most important norms for human rights in Switzerland

UN Global Compact

ILO Conventions

OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises

Most effective investment strategies relating to human rights as seen by Swiss asset managers

Exclusions

Engagement and voting

Norms-based screening

Key drivers for taking human rights into account in investments in Switzerland (order of importance)

Responsibility as asset manager

Reputational management

Risk management

Demand from retail investors

Compliance requirements

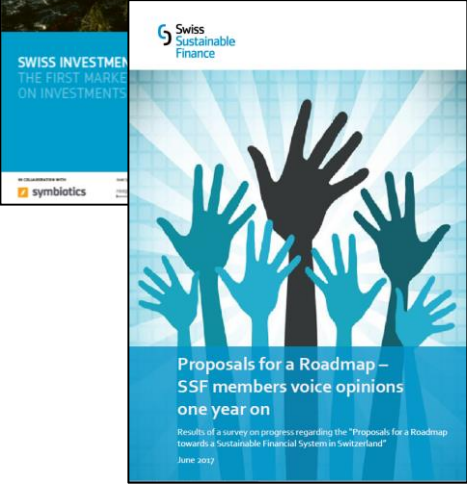
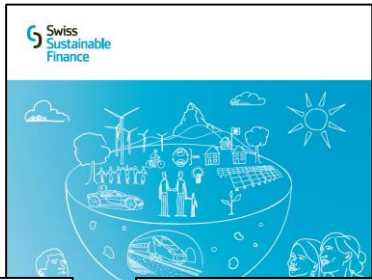
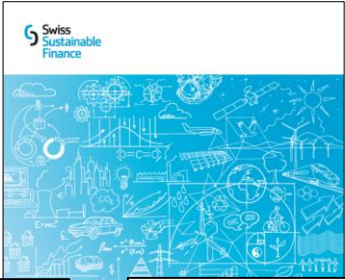
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SI as unique opportunity for Swiss private wealth management

Swiss Market Study on Sustainable Investments (2016 & 2017)



Survey Results: Proposals for a Roadmap – one year on

Focus: Controversial Weapons Exclusions

Handbook on Sustainable Investments (EN)

Swiss Sustainable Investment Market Study 2018

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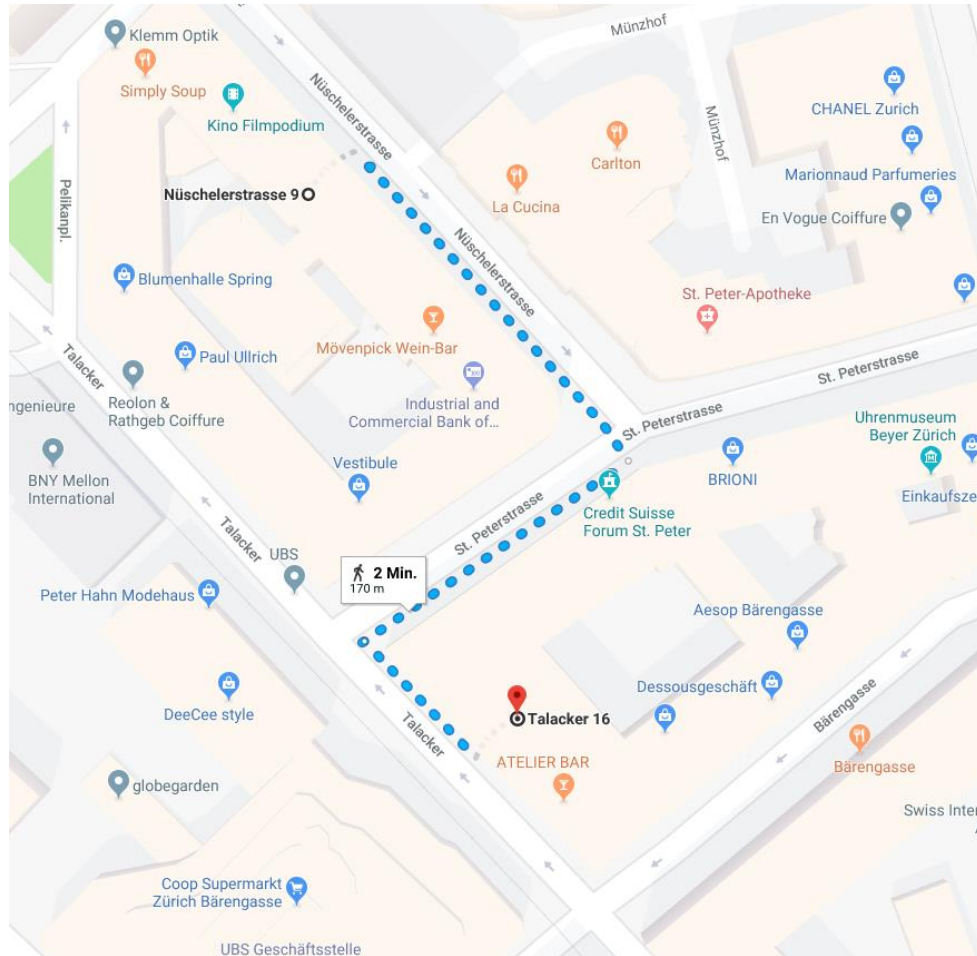
1-2 October	FINTECH+ <i>SSF members receive a 20% discount on tickets</i>	Zurich
10 October	Uguaglianza di genere: un'opportunità per l'economia e per il mondo finanziario	Lugano
25 October	Swiss International Finance Forum	Zurich
31 October	Private Wealth Management et durabilité : le rôle de MIFID	Geneva
19 June 2019	Swiss Sustainable Finance Annual General Meeting	Bern

For more information, have a look at the **SSF event calendar**:

<http://www.sustainablefinance.ch/en/sustainable-finance-event-calendar-content---1--1056.html>

LUNCH AND NETWORKING

Atelier Bar: Talacker 16



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