

8:30 – 9:00 AM

## WELCOME & OPENING KEYNOTE

**Sonia Baxendale**, GRI President and CEO.

**Tiff Macklem**, Governor, Bank of Canada.

9:00 – 9:15 AM

## ADDRESS FROM THE PRESIDENT

**Sonia Baxendale**, GRI President and CEO.

## CANADA'S NEW ECONOMIC REALITY: POST-COVID RECOVERY

9:15 – 10:15 AM

*An Examination of the Exceptional Economic Challenges Facing Us Today and Beyond: Three Perspectives – Fiscal and Monetary, Macroeconomic and Regulatory, Global Investor*

Three senior executives from the Canadian financial services and pension sectors will present their outlook on the Canadian economy in the context of the current pandemic and global environment.

**Stefane Marion**, Chief Economist and Strategist, National Bank of Canada.

**Peter Levitt**, Executive Vice President and Treasurer, CIBC.

**Jonathan Hausman**, Managing Director and Head of Global Strategic Relationships, Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan.

10:15 – 10:30 AM

## BREAK

## GEOPOLITICAL RISK AND THE ACCELERATION OF PRE-EXISTING TENSIONS

10:30 – 11:15 AM

*A Perspective on U.S./China Relations and What it Means for Canada*

Former United States Ambassador to the United Nations, **Ambassador Samantha Power** will deliver a keynote address on the state of the China / U.S. relationship and implications for Canada.

11:15 – 12:00 PM

*Canada/U.S. Bilateral Relations and Geopolitical Issues: A panel discussion*

With just a few weeks to go until the U.S. presidential election, this session will explore the impact of various outcomes. Two veteran political operatives will offer insights on U.S. politics and on Canada / U.S. relationship.

**Maryscott (Scotty) Greenwood**, CEO, Canadian American Business Council and a former political appointee in President Clinton's Administration.

**Matt Rhoades**, American political and public affairs consultant, former campaign manager for Mitt Romney in 2012, and worked in President George W. Bush's Administration.

12:00 – 12:30 PM LUNCH BREAK

12:30 – 1:00 PM LUNCHEON KEYNOTE

**The Honourable Rod Phillips**, Minister of Finance, Ontario.

## CANADA'S CLIMATE CRISIS: CHASING AN ILLUSIVE GREEN ECONOMY

1:00 – 1:45 PM *The Great Green Pivot: How the Financial Sector Can Drive Exponential Regeneration*

**John Elkington**, world authority on corporate responsibility and the sustainable development movement, will provide perspective on the climate and sustainability challenges facing us globally.

1:45 – 2:30 PM *Bringing the Global Challenge of Sustainable Finance Home to Canada: A panel discussion*

A panel of leaders bring the global challenge home to Canada and talk about the risks and opportunities for the financial sector at a strategic level and will discuss the case for reducing climate risk and harnessing opportunity in the drive for economic recovery.

**Jane Ambachtsheer**, Global Head of Sustainability at BNP Paribas Asset Management.

**Lindsay Patrick**, Managing Director & Head, Sustainable Finance, RBC Capital Markets.

**Barbara Zvan**, President and CEO of the University Pension Plan Ontario, Member of the Canadian Expert Panel on Sustainable Finance, and Corporate Director, GRI Board.

2:30 – 2:45 PM BREAK

## A NEW LEADERSHIP NORMAL FOR A POST-CRISIS WORLD – WHAT WILL IT TAKE?

2:45 – 4:00 PM *Leading in Times of Crisis*

The global pandemic has challenged the way we work and has tested the way we lead. Recent social reforms have highlighted the growing disparity in the diversity of our workforce.

In this segment, three dynamic speakers will discuss the pressing concerns of the day and how executive leadership styles will need to adapt for a post-crisis world where we emerge to a new normal.

**Carl Oxholm**, Partner PWC.

**Wes Hall**, Executive Chairman and Founder, Kingsdale Advisors.

**Laura Dottori-Attanasio**, SEVP and Group Head, Personal and Business Banking Canada and Former CRO, CIBC.

4:00 – 4:30 PM CLOSING

**Sonia Baxendale**, GRI President and CEO.

**Mark Hughes**, GRI Chair, Board of Directors.