



EIF and University of Trier Entrepreneurial Finance Seminar presents

Private Debt for SMEs in Europe

Thursday, 10th of March 2022, 15:00 (Digital event via Zoom)

Agenda

15:00 Introduction

Prof. Dr. Jörn Block,

Professor of Management, University of Trier and Erasmus University Rotterdam and

Dr. Helmut Krämer-Eis,

EIF, Chief Economist and Head of Research & Market Analysis

15:10 Presentation "EIF Private Debt Survey 2021: Private Debt for SMEs – Market Overview",

based on the recent EIF Working Paper 2022/79,

Dr. Helmut Krämer-Eis,

EIF, Chief Economist and Head of Research & Market Analysis

15:35 Presentation "Private Debt Funds and their Portfolio Companies",

Prof. Dr. Jörn Block,

Professor of Management, University of Trier and Erasmus University Rotterdam

15:50 Presentation of EIF Activity and Action Plan,

Francesco Battazzi, Head of Diversified Debt Funds - Equity Investments & Guarantees, EIF, Marco Natoli, Head of Lower Mid-Market - Northern, Eastern & Southern Europe - Equity Investments, EIF

16:00 Q&A

Registration:

Please write an e-mail to <u>unternehmensfuehrung@uni-trier.de</u> to register for the event and/or for the entire seminar series (see below). You will then receive a Zoom link.

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More information about the seminar on 10 March 2022 and about the seminar series is available here. EIF and University of Trier Entrepreneurial Finance Seminar.