



## ESG webinar series: A year of corporate governance 2022

Corporate governance is fundamental to our clients' businesses, whether they are investors, publicly traded companies or large private companies. Addressing **Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG)** factors is an important aspect of embedding strong corporate governance in every business. We have developed a comprehensive programme of webinars to help you navigate the rapidly evolving challenges that ESG presents for companies in 2022.

Aimed at business leaders, senior executives, general counsel and legal, compliance and company secretarial teams at UK publicly traded and large private companies, our webinars distil the latest legal and regulatory developments into clear, concise and practical information and guidance. We bring together experienced lawyers from over 50 different practice areas, and specialist external experts in this space, to highlight the key information in-house legal and governance teams need to know.

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### Programme

#### **ESG 101: the essentials in 2022 and onwards**

Tuesday, 26 April | 2:30 p.m.

**Patrick Sarch, Nicola Evans and Danette Antao**

Understanding ESG issues is critical to the strategy of every business. This area is constantly evolving and it is a challenge for busy general counsel and company secretaries to keep on top of their ever-increasing corporate reporting and governance obligations. To launch our 2022 corporate governance webinar series, our "ESG 101" will bring you up to speed and break down the vague and complex to the clear and simple; equipping you with the latest essentials to navigate this challenging area of unprecedented importance.

#### **AGM 2022 season review: market trends and developments**

Wednesday, 15 June | 11:30 a.m.

**Patrick Sarch, Guest speakers: Cas Sydorowitz and Kirsten van Rooijen**

Join us for our analysis of the AGM season so far. We will provide you with expert insight and commentary on the latest market trends, key activist campaigns and other important global developments, relevant to both boards and their key stakeholders.

#### **AGMs: setting the agenda for the 2023 season**

Thursday, 29 September | 11:30 a.m.

**Patrick Sarch, Guest speaker: Cas Sydorowitz**

The AGM remains a critical forum for boards and shareholders to engage on important company matters, drive structural, strategic and governance changes, and occasionally to resolve disputes. We cover the key areas of investor focus for the season ahead and offer you some practical tips on tackling difficult issues arising before, or during, the meeting.

#### **Keeping markets updated**

Thursday, 17 November | 11:30 a.m.

**Patrick Sarch, Arwen Handley, Sarah Shaw**

When and what information does a listed company need to disclose? What new considerations apply? When and how could things go wrong? Join us to hear about your disclosure obligations illustrated through a series of relevant case studies and recent enforcement actions.





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