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13:30  **Session 3 – The twin transitions: Digitalization and climate implications for the private sector**

Moderator: Christian Meyer, Oxford

Presentations:
- Clare Balboni, LSE
- Ralf Martin, IFC
- Eugenie Dugoua, LSE
- Sugandha Srivastav, Oxford

Panel discussion:
- Lara du Plessis, Yellow
- Ujunwa Ojemeni, E3G, Energy Transition Council

15:15  **Coffee break**

15:30  **Remarks by Makhtar Diop, IFC Managing Director**

15:45  **Session 4 – Digitalization of businesses in Africa**

Moderator: Susan Lund, IFC

Presentation:
- Marcio Cruz, IFC

Panel discussion:
- Tavneet Suri, MIT
- Folu Okunade, Hello Tractor
- Alison Gillwald, Research ICT Africa

17:00  **Keynote speech by Esther Duflo, MIT: “Can digital money help with gender empowerment?”**

Moderator: Paolo Mauro, IFC
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9:00  **Session 5 – Tech startups and digital platforms**

Moderator:
Sérgio Pimenta, IFC

Presentations:
- Marc Ivaldi, TSE
- Grazia Cecere, Institut Mines Télécom
- Monica Lambon-Quayefio, University of Ghana

Panel discussion:
- Toshimoto MITOMO, Sony Group Corporation
- Jacek Kubas, European Bank of Reconstruction and Development

10:45  **Coffee break**

11:00  **Session 6 – Digital finance and entrepreneurship in developing economies**

Moderator: Olena Havrylchyk, U. Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

Presentations:
- Robert Wardrop, Cambridge Centre for Alternative Finance
- Leonardo Gambacorta, Bank of International Settlements
- Shashwat Alok, Indian School of Business

Panel discussion:
- Joel Cariolle, Foundation for Studies and Research on International Development
- Elizabeth Noble, European Banking Authority

12:45  **Lunch break**
14:00  **Session 7 – Digital infrastructure and the opportunities for investments**

Moderator: Ralph de Haas, European Bank of Reconstruction and Development

Presentations:
- Jonas Hjort, UCL
- Nicola Limodio, Bocconi
- Banu Demir, Oxford

Panel discussion:
- Philippe Vogeleer, Vodafone Group
- Carlo Rossotto, IFC

15:45  **Coffee break**

16:00  **Session 8 – Policy priorities for unlocking private investment opportunities**

Moderator: Sergei Guriev, Sciences Po

Panel discussion:
- Beata Javorcik, European Bank of Reconstruction and Development
- Susan Lund, IFC
- Kevin Urama, African Development Bank Group
- Stéphane Straub, World Bank Group, IBRD infrastructure

17:00  **End of conference**