Investor social outcome guidelines

First draft
May 10th 2016, Webinar





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Timeline

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1. Meeting #1
                  e-MFP, Luxemburg, Nov 2015; Feedback on outline
  2. One-to-one calls
                        Individual calls with investors & material sharing
           3. Meeting #2
                             SPTF Investors, NYC, Mar 2016; feedback on first contents
                 4. Draft guidelines
                                       May 2016
                         5. Feedback on draft
                                                 May 2016
                                    6. Meeting #3
                                                       SPTF, Marrakech, May 2016
                                            7. Final guidelines
                                                                  Sep 2016
                                                        8. Dissemination
                                                                            Nov2016
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Done; On-going; Not started

Outline

1. Gap analysis

2. Why doing outcome management

- A. Manage social mission and risks
- B. Asset owner driven accountability
- C. Asset manager driven accountability

-Reference to FI guidelines;-SPTF indicators in annex

3. How to do outcome management

- A. How to obtain social outcome data
- B. Use of social outcomes in investee decision making
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7 case studies

English mother tongue review, editing and layout: planned for the final stage

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Social outcome management rationale

1. Financial Service Provider (FSP)

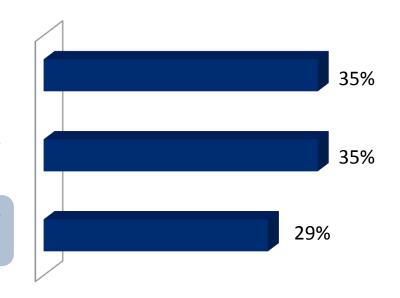
encourage FSPs to manage their risks and missions

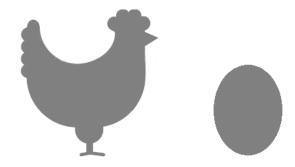
2. Asset manager

manage the asset manager mission and risks

3. Asset owner

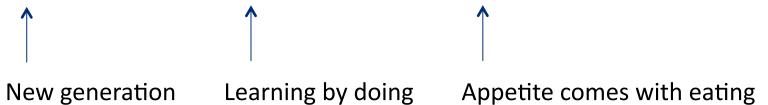
be accountable for social outcomes to asset owners





Asset owner driven accountability

Asset owners will increasingly expect outcomes



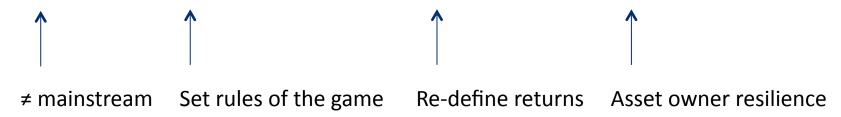
"From an asset owner point of view, you choose an investment based on risk and return: an investment with evidence of social return (i.e. outcome) will be preferred over an investment with only proxies of social return (i.e. output), other things equal."

Margot Quaeqebeur, Anthos asset management

"In the long term, it will be much more normal to measure outcomes." Narina Mnatsakanian, **Sarona A. M.**

Asset manager driven accountability

Asset manager incentive to be accountable for social outcomes



"Investors are increasingly under pressure to invest in companies that behave responsibly. ... We see a huge demographic shift (that) companies are feeling. (...) The hallmark of the BlackRock platform will be around measurement. So this reliance on data is going to be a real driver of impact investing." Deborah Winshel, head of the new **BlackRock Impact** unit created in 2015.

"All things being equal, interest rates paid by clients and profits / returns to investors are linked". Jean-Gabriel Dayre, **Proparco**.

"Equity fund expectations are still generally at 20-25%+, which can mean 40%+ ROE at company level". Paul di Leo, **Grassroots**.

Benchmarking funds' social value

Asset owners have a hard time comparing the social value proposition of alternative funds.

→ -finance fi

Opportunity to distinguish:

- -finance first funds (do no harm)
- -social first funds (do good)

Social Financial	Do no harm	Do good
> market return		
Market return		
< market return		

"If an asset owner asks me if one fund is more social than another, all I can say is that this asset manager is a member of the SPTF while the other is not. Or take other proxies. But I don't have a comparable indicator of social return to really answer the question". Bjoern Struewer, **Roots of Impact** - investment advisory firm.

"We need to learn to over deliver and under promise." Ximena Escobar de Nogales, Bamboo Finance.

Feedback

Thanks

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