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XVI INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL AND BANKING FORUM (IFBF)
Finance in the Conditions of Sustainable Development

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Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the XVI International Finance and Banking Forum, titled **Finance in the Conditions of Sustainable Development**. The event, organized by the Department of Finance of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences, will take place on 28-29.11.2024 at the Warsaw University of Life Sciences and will be available in both in-person and online formats via Teams. The Forum is co-organized by AAS Mazovia, The Private Foundation Institut d'Estudis Financers (Barcelona), and the international team of experts implementing the FLER project.

The Forum will focus on the critical role of finance in achieving sustainable development at both micro and macroeconomic levels. Particular attention will be paid to topics such as financial instruments in the EU policy for sustainable development, digital transformation strategies for sustainable business development, the impact and evolution of artificial intelligence in banking, financial implications of emergency situations in business entities, the value of non-financial reporting in financial and economic institutions, mechanisms for enhancing financial awareness and willingness to invest, financing green energy and reducing energy intensity, and Agriculture 4.0 in financing digital farm management. The IFBF will also present the effects of the FLER project, which aims to increase financial awareness among adults.

One of the important objectives of the Forum is to facilitate the exchange of experiences between practitioners and academics on the proposed topics. The dialogue and substantive discussion will help generate insights to support economic and public activity, particularly in the sphere of sustainable finance.

Yours sincerely,

*Chairman of the Organizing Committee
Dr hab. Mirosław Wasilewski, prof. SGGW*