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The case for responsible leadership

1.30pm to 6.00pm on Wednesday 3 March 2020 at
The Pavilion, University of Westminster

University of Westminster

Professor Brendon Noble

Host and partner to the IRL

Head of School of Life Sciences

University of Westminster



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Introduction

Julie Search-Whittaker

Coordinator & Convenor for the IRL



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Principles of the IRL

- Promote leadership integrity resonant with Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)/Sustainability in the public and private sector
- Offer membership, courses/seminars, accreditation, mentoring, coaching and research support in responsible leadership
- Provide high quality input and facilitation through founding members and key examples of responsible leadership through Associates
- Honour and publicise our Fellowships
- Promote a charter on responsible leadership for companies and other organisations.



- The Institute for Responsible Leadership is supported by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR).
- It is a not-for-profit organisation based in London seeking to make the world a better place for private and public benefit.
- Responsible leaders in both the private and public sector treat stakeholders with integrity to ensure that issues of sustainability, ethics and the wider public interest are best addressed.

Agenda for the event

- 1.30: Arrival and registration, drinks and refreshments
- 2.00: Professor Brendon Noble (host): The University of Westminster
- 2.05: Julie Search-Whittaker: Introduction
- 2.10: Professor Mike Saks: Chair's opening remarks
- 2.15: Alex Mejia: Responsible leadership in the public sector
- 2.45: Round table discussion plus feedback
- 3.20: Tea/coffee break
- 3.40: Simon Lowe: Responsible leadership in the private sector
- 4.10: Round table discussion plus feedback
- 4.45: Summing up and take away points
- 5.00: Supper, drinks and networking

Chair's opening remarks

Professor Mike Saks

Co-founder of the IRL

Emeritus Professor

University of Suffolk, UK

& Visiting Professor

University of Lincoln, UK

Royal Veterinary College, University of London, UK

University of Westminster, UK

University of Toronto, Canada

Responsible leadership in the public sector

Alex Mejia

Co-founder and Fellow of the IRL

Director of UNITAR's Division for People and Social Inclusion



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Responsible leadership in the public sector

Roundtable Questions

Tables A and B

- How do you define responsible leadership?
- Who are the stakeholders and how should they be engaged?

Tables C and D

- What are the benefits of responsible leadership and how are they measured?
- What are the implications of not having responsible leadership?

For all Tables:

- (i) Give examples from your own organisation and/or other bodies
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Responsible leadership in
the private sector

Simon Lowe

Chair of the Governance Institute, Grant Thornton



Responsible leadership in the private sector

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Summing up and take away points



Thank you very much again for attending. Please now enjoy supper and networking – and remember to collect your certificate.

Just to remind you that the next event will be held in Geneva on 18 June 2020 (date to be confirmed).

For further information see: <https://responsible-leadership.org>

If you have any queries, please contact Julie Search-Whittaker, email: Julie.18search@btinternet.com