



# Monitoring adoption

*How regulators monitor adoption of their standards and policies*

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# Overview of the session

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- Objective of the session
- Introduction of panellists
- Take-aways from previous Advisory Council discussions
- Members' Q&A with panellists
- Discussion questions for members

The objective of the session is to:

- understand how other organisations monitor and motivate consistent adoption of their standards
- consider whether and, if so, how the IFRS Foundation could apply these approaches to improve consistent adoption of IFRS Standards

The focus of this session is on consistent adoption of standards by jurisdictions, which is a prerequisite to consistent application of standards by preparers.

# Panellists

**Ellen Gaston, Senior Financial Sector Expert**  
**International Monetary Fund**

**Josafat de Luna Martínez,**  
**International Organization of Securities Commissions**

**Olivier Prato, Head of Implementation**  
**Basel Committee on Banking Supervision**

# Takeaways from previous Advisory Council discussion

In September 2019, members discussed the Foundation's approach to monitoring and motivating consistent adoption and application. Take-aways in relation to consistent adoption are summarised below.

- General agreement on the need and overarching objectives of monitoring consistent adoption. Key objectives identified were:
  - maintaining the IFRS brand
  - obtaining feedback
- How the Foundation should monitor and motivate consistent adoption:
  - consider working in partnership with others
  - consider sharing more information about the benefits of adopting –“the paradise of IFRS”
  - key is involvement in the local community.

# Questions for members

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1. Which approaches used by the panellists' organisations could be applied by the Foundation?
2. What are the challenges and risks of applying those approaches? How could the Foundation mitigate them?
3. In relation to all of the Foundation's activities, how would you prioritise efforts to monitor and motivate consistent adoption?

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