

CBIS Participates in Vatican Summit on Protecting Children Online

Investors Encouraged to Live-Stream Gathering of Global Thought Leaders

CBIS is proud to join religious leaders, policymakers, non-governmental organizations and technology companies at the Vatican this week for a landmark summit on fighting child sexual exploitation online. As the only asset manager invited to participate, CBIS will represent the investor community at the event, "Promoting Digital Child Dignity: From Concept to Action." CBIS also serves on the board of the Child Dignity Alliance, which is co-hosting the conference with organizations including the Pontifical Academy of Sciences and the Interfaith Alliance for Safer Communities. Pope Francis will hold a meeting with all attendees.

CBIS has led global investor engagement on this issue for the past three years, enlisting our investment managers and fellow shareholders to confront some of the largest telecom and technology companies. At the Vatican event, CBIS intends to:

- Urge Facebook and other tech leaders to bolster their anti-exploitation efforts during one-on-one meetings, as these companies find growing volumes of abusive material on their platforms.
- Strengthen alliances with Catholic organizations and leading NGOs to hold companies accountable over their duty to protect children.
- ▶ Learn from other thought leaders to ensure we target investor strategies to achieve maximum impact.

CBIS is honored to attend these events and represent our investors. Stay tuned for updates on the conference followed by a full recap for investors when we return.



Promoting Digital Child Dignity: From Concept to Action

November 13-15, 2019 Vatican City

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Live-Stream the Summit!

For information, visit the Vatican's "Casina Pio IV" YouTube channel.

Meet the CBIS Delegation

Members of our Catholic Responsible InvestmentsSM team attending events in Rome include:



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