GLOBAL IMPACT INVESTING NETWORK

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GLOBAL IMPACT INVESTING NETWORK APPOINTS ROY SWAN OF FORD FOUNDATION TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

NEW YORK, June 1, 2023 – The Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN), the leading organization dedicated to championing impact investing, announced today the appointment of Roy Swan as its newest member of its Board of Directors. In addition to leading Ford Foundation's Missions Investments program, which is responsible for the foundation's $1 billion impact investing endowment, Swan also oversees the foundation's $350 million program related investment fund and grantmaking dedicated to strengthening the global ESG and impact investing fields. The Ford Foundation is a $16 billion global philanthropic organization with a mission to strengthen democratic values, reduce poverty and injustice, promote international cooperation, and advance human achievement around the world.

"The GIIN is honored to welcome Roy Swan of Ford Foundation to our Board. Roy's expertise and commitment to impact investing aligns perfectly with GIIN's mission," said **Amit Bouri, CEO and co-founder of the GIIN.** "The addition of Roy to our Board will enhance the GIIN's work to scale impact investing with integrity in order to direct more capital into solutions that address our most pressing challenges."

"For more than a decade, the Global Impact Investing Network has been a champion of impact investing and an invaluable resource for investors working to drive positive change through smart and effective investment strategies," said **GIIN Board member and Ford Foundation head of mission investments Roy Swan**. "I am honored and excited to be joining the GIIN Board as the organization looks to the future, taking its work and the broader field of impact investing to new heights."

Swan's background includes service on over a dozen boards and advisory committees since 2003, including Varo Bank, SASB Foundation, Parnassus Funds, Novata, KKR Sustainability Expert Advisory Council, Enterprise Community Partners, and the Dalton School, where he was named a Lifetime Honorary Trustee in 2022. Prior to joining the Ford Foundation, Swan held numerous senior roles at Morgan Stanley, including Co-Head of Global Sustainable Finance, where he oversaw his team's commitment of more than $13 billion to community development transactions, CEO of Morgan Stanley Impact SBIC, and President of Morgan Stanley Trust savings bank.

Swan has also worked in corporate law, investment banking, community development, and finance. He has also held positions such as founding Chief Investment Officer of the Upper Manhattan Empowerment Zone and Chief Financial Officer of Carver Bank, a Harlem-based publicly traded financial institution and the nation's largest African American managed bank at the time.

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About the Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN):

The Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN) is the global champion of impact investing, dedicated to increasing the scale and effectiveness of impact investing around the world. Impact investments are investments made into companies, organizations, and funds with the intention to generate positive, measurable, social and environmental impact alongside a financial return. Impact investments can be made in both emerging and developed markets and target a range of returns from below market to market rate, depending upon investors' objectives. The GIIN builds critical infrastructure and supports activities, education, and research that help accelerate the development of a coherent impact investing industry. For more information, please visit www.thegiin.org.

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