

Speaker Biography



Tracey McDermott

Group Head of Corporate, Regulatory and Public Affairs,
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EXPERIENCE

Tracey brings a wealth of legal and regulatory knowledge to her role at Standard Chartered. Tracey's experience in financial services regulation in the UK during a time of unprecedented change has given her a unique insight into the impact of politics, regulation and public perception on business models and business strategy.

CAREER

Tracey was appointed Group Head of Corporate, Public and Regulatory Affairs on 20 March 2017. She is based in London.

Tracey was formerly the acting chief executive of the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) from September 2015 until June 2016. She joined the then Financial Services Authority (FSA) in 2001 and held a number of senior roles at the organisation including director, supervision and authorisations and director, enforcement and financial crime, and was also a member of the board from April 2013. She was a member of the Financial Policy Committee of the Bank of England, and a non-executive director of the PRA from September 2015 until June 2016.

Prior to joining the FCA, Tracey worked as a lawyer in private practice, having spent time in law firms in the UK, US and Brussels.

Tracey received a CBE for her services to financial service consumers and markets in 2016.

EXTERNAL APPOINTMENTS

Tracey sits on the UK Finance board.