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**P.R.I.M.E. FINANCE NEW YORK CONFERENCE 2025
CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

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White & Case LLP**

Ripple Effects or Sea Change?

Implications of an Active Year in the Markets

Tariffs on. Tariffs off. Evolving treatment of cryptocurrency and stablecoins. Tax reform and incentives. Interest rate increases and major currency shifts. Rising fiscal deficits. Inflation. Continued geopolitical upheaval and strife.

These are some of the major developments that have occurred in 2025 which are having, and will continue to have, knock-on effects in the international financial markets. This conference will gather [P.R.I.M.E. Finance](#) financial and legal experts and other thought leaders to discuss the implications, both direct and indirect, of these significant changes on fundamental aspects of the international financial and legal environments.

9:30 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome Remarks
10:15 – 10:45	Keynote Address
10:45 – 12:00	Global Markets/ Tariffs and Financial Markets
	This panel will reflect on the increased volatility and uncertainty in global markets that are direct offshoots of changes in economic policy, including higher tariffs, currency fluctuations and rising fiscal deficits.
12:00 – 12:15	Coffee Break / Group Photo



12:15 - 13:30	Cryptocurrency, Stablecoins and Digital Assets
	Cryptocurrency, stablecoins and additional applications of blockchain technology are increasingly taking center stage in the global financial and legal infrastructure. This panel will provide an overview of important policy changes affecting these areas and will consider how markets will evolve in light of those changes.
13:30 – 14:15	Lunch Break
14:15 – 15:30	Sustainability and Capital Markets
	In the face of policies that are less supportive of, or even conflicting with, sustainability goals, markets and the goals of market participants must evolve to address those new policies. This panel will discuss the current state of policymaking in key jurisdictions and the steps that market participants are taking to remain focused on sustainable finance.
15:30 – 16:45	A View From The Bench
	Market volatility can lead to financial distress, and financial distress may lead to disputes that begin in conference rooms and board rooms, and end up in courtrooms, arbitral forums, and other dispute resolution settings. This panel of sitting and retired judges will reflect on current trends in financial disputes and, more generally, offer their perspectives on the current state of the rule of law.
16:45 - 17:00	Closing Remarks
17:00	End of Conference/ Drinks Reception

Preliminary agenda; subject to change.