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Hans Ek serves as BLB&G's Senior Advisor for European Investor Relations. He is recognized as a leading expert on corporate governance, responsible investment, and securities litigation. Prior to joining BLB&G, Hans served as deputy CEO at SEB Investment Management, the leading Nordic asset manager, where he spent over twenty years. He also serves as a non-executive board member at venture capital company Saminvest AB, and Lansforsakringar Fund Management Company, among other appointments.

As a respected investor advocate, Hans is a sought-after speaker and panelist on environmental, social, and corporate governance (ESG). He has significant experience with change management and the implementation of new legal frameworks within funds and a wide array of other internal best practices at large asset managers, including sales, project management, and communications.

Based in Stockholm, Hans works closely with the firm's clients on corporate governance and embedding shareholder litigation in responsible investment and active ownership strategies. His deep knowledge of asset management and incorporating ESG into investment strategies, coupled with hands-on experience guiding a European fund through the U.S. shareholder litigation process, provide unique value for BLB&G's institutional investors in Europe and around the world.

Education

- Stockholm School of Economics
- The Wallenberg Institute

News

- January 2021 Jeroen van Kwawegen and Hans Ek quoted by *Investments & Pensions Europe* on the state of securities litigation in Europe
- October 1, 2020 Hans Ek Joins BLB&G's European Team in Stockholm

Events

- October 10, 2023 BLB&G to Host U.S. Class Action and Governance Litigation Conference in Frankfurt
- April 17, 2023 BLB&G to Host Institutional Shareholder Conference in Paris
- September 16, 2022 BLB&G Hosts Institutional Shareholder Conference in Amsterdam, Copenhagen, & Stockholm on September 16, 2022



• September 9, 2022 - BLB&G's Hannah Ross, John Rizio-Hamilton, Rebecca Boon, and Hans EK To Speak at "ESG Disclosure through the Lens of Litigation," hosted by The Global Risk Institute and McMillan LLP