

**Fintech Advisory Group
Federal Reserve Bank of New York
33 Liberty Street
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Agenda

Theme: Innovation in the payments ecosystem

- 10:30am Welcome Remarks, John C. Williams, President and CEO, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
- 10:35am Review of Anti-Trust Guidelines, Shri Satyanarayana, Legal Group, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
- 10:40am Financing trends in payments, Matt Harris, Bain Capital Ventures
- 11:00am Future of Cross-Border Payments work, Hampton Finer, Supervisory Policy and Strategy, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
Questions for Discussion:
- What are the innovations or specific features that are the most promising to deal with cross-border payments issues such as cost, speed, access, and transparency?
 - What do you see as the role of digital currencies, stablecoins, and new multi-lateral systems in addressing cross-border payments challenges?
- 11:40am Introduction to the New York Innovation Center, Per von Zelowitz, BIS Innovation Leader, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
Questions for Discussion:
- What are high impact problem or opportunity areas that central banks are in a position to address?
 - What are the unique benefits and challenges of working with a venture studio or other innovation sponsors, based on your practical experience?
- 12:15pm Fintech Advisory Group strategic focus, Naureen Hassan, First Vice President, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
- 12:25pm Concluding Remarks, John C. Williams, President and CEO