

#### **Course Name:**

### **ACTIVE OWNERSHIP**

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#### Format:

- 1 hour of on-demand videos
- 3-4 hours of readings
- Integrated quizzes

This is one of a kind foundational course that focuses on shareholder engagement and lays out whole shareholder engagement process; from setting the goals to impact tracking and reporting.

## **COURSE CURRICULUM**

#### **Introduction: What is Active Ownership?**

- 1. What's Active Ownership? Does Engagement Really Enhance Shareholder Value?
- 2. Where Does Active Ownership Fit in The Responsible Investing Universe?

# Section 1: Goal, Objective, and Metrics

- 1. Engagement Overview
- 2. Engagement Goal
- 3. What's Your Engagement Objective
- 4. Engagement Target (s) & Metrics
  - Engagement Metrics (Supporting Example: SASB, Adobe Inc.)
  - Screening for Engagement Targets

### **Section 2: Engagement Process**

- 1. Defining Engagement Scope
- 2. Setting KPIs & Milestones, and Timelines (Supporting examples: Federated Investors, SASB, Adobe Inc.)
- 3. Selecting Engagement Approach
- 4. Selecting Communication Method
- 5. Engagement Letter Writing (Supporting Example: TCI Fund Management)
- 6. Establishing an Escalation Strategy
- 7. Writing & Submitting Shareholder Proposals
- 8. Internal Communication & Coordination
- 9. Engagement Job Function Integration

# **Section 3: Engagement Reporting**

- 1. Reports' Frequency and Accessibility
- 2. Reports' Comprehensiveness
- 3. Record Keeping
- 4. Engagement Impact Reporting (Supporting Example: Kempen Capital Management)

## Section 4: Key takeaways

- ✓ Integrated quizzes
- Additional reading resources



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