

SPEAKER

PANEL III: Elite Panel on the evolution of Market Infrastructures



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Tim Hermans graduated as an economist in 1997 and joined the National Bank of Belgium in the same year. In the Bank he worked as an economist/statistician in the National Accounts Department and, later on, as an analyst in the Prudential Policy and Financial Stability Department.

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