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ELNA MOOLMAN (MODERATOR) Standard Bank

Elna Moolman is Head of SA Economics, Fixed Income and Currency Research at Standard Bank Group. Elna's career started at the University of Pretoria in 1998 as lecturer in econometrics, macroeconomics and macroeconomic modelling, where she also worked extensively on macroeconomic modelling projects for SA and other sub-Saharan African countries as part of the modelling unit at the Department of Economics. She has published several articles in local and international academic journals, and served as external examiner for post-graduate students at various SA universities. She has been the top-rated SA economist in the annual Financial Mail analyst ratings 11 times and received the top rating for SA FX research last year in the annual JSE Spires awards.

Elna holds a PhD (Econometrics) degree from the University of Pretoria, as well as an MA (Economics) degree from New York University.

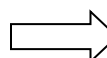
ADRIAAN DU TOIT AllianceBernstein

Adriaan du Toit joined AllianceBernstein (AB) in November 2017 as Africa Economist. Prior to joining the firm, he was a sub-Saharan Africa FX and rates strategist and director at Citigroup in Johannesburg, where he worked from 2013 to 2017. Between 2007 and 2013, Du Toit held three roles at Standard Bank in Johannesburg (rates analyst, head of Macro Research and fixed income strategist). He started his career in 2004 as an economist at the South African Reserve Bank.

Du Toit holds a BCom (Hons) in economics and an MCom in econometrics (cum laude), both from the University of Pretoria in South Africa, and an MSc in financial economics from the University of Oxford. Location: London.

MICHAEL KAFE Barclays

Michael Kafe is South and Sub-Saharan Africa Economist at Barclays, based in London. Michael joined Barclays after a stint as Senior Economist at Standard Bank in Johannesburg (Mar 2016-September 2017).

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Before that, he was Morgan Stanley's Pan African Economist (2006-2015), Fixed Income Strategist at Citigroup (2002-2005), Portfolio Manager at Standard Corporate and Merchant Bank (199-2002) and Junior Economist at JP Morgan (1997-1998). He is a former Economics lecturer at the Universities of Natal and the Western Cape, South Africa.

He has a BA (Econ) from the University of Ghana – Legon and a Masters in Economics from the University of Natal, South Africa.

CARMEN NEL
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Carmen Nel joined Matrix Fund Managers in July 2017 as Economist and Fixed Income Strategist. She is responsible for research, forecasts, and scenarios on the South African and global economies and key financial markets, and co-manages the long-only bond fund mandate at Matrix. Prior to moving to the asset management industry she was co-head of Rand Merchant Bank's Global Markets Research division, responsible for co-ordinating the macro and fixed income views and marketing to the bank's institutional client base. Carmen has 18 years' experience, covering macro and financial markets and worked as an economist at Bank of America Merrill Lynch, Citi, and Deutsche Bank. She has won numerous industry awards.

Carmen studied B Sc Actuarial Science at undergrad level and has two honours degrees: in B Sc Mathematical Statistics (University of Johannesburg) and B Sc Advanced Maths of Finance (WITS). She is also a CFA charter holder with the CFA Institute and an FRM charter holder with the Global Association of Risk Professionals.

BRIAN KAHN
Ninety One

Brian Kahn retired from the South African Reserve Bank at the end of September 2018. During the 19 years he spent at the SARB he initially served as deputy head of the Research Department, and from 2009 as Adviser to the Governor. He was appointed to the Bank's Monetary Policy Committee at its formation in October 1999, and remained a member of the MPC until his retirement. He was also a member of the Bank's Financial Stability Committee.

Before joining the Bank, he was Professor of Economics and head of the School of Economics at the University of Cape Town. He has been involved in various economic research projects, including at the World Bank, the London School of Economics and the World Institute for Development Economics Research (WIDER). He is currently a consultant at Ninety One and an Honorary Professor at the School of Economics at UCT.

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