

ABOUT US

Accounting for Sustainability (A4S) was established by HM King Charles in 2004 when he was The Prince of Wales. Our aim is to transform finance to make sustainable business, business as usual.

THE A4S CFO LEADERSHIP NETWORK

The A4S CFO Leadership Network brings together a group of leading CFOs from large organizations who are seeking to embed management of environmental and social issues into strategy and business processes. The network is formed of regional chapters.

The network creates practical guidance covering the key activities of the finance function, from strategic planning to investor engagement. This guidance is available to download from the A4S website: <https://www.accountingforsustainability.org/en/knowledge-hub.html?tab1=guides>

THE CANADA CHAPTER

The Canadian chapter was launched in Toronto in March 2017 and is comprised of influential members of the Canadian CFO community. The chapter has Canadian-based support and partners with a range of business associations, non-profits and leading business schools to accomplish its aims.

Members of the Canadian Chapter, as well as their finance teams, have the opportunity to participate in both Canadian and global activities of the A4S CFO Leadership Network. The activities of the A4S CFO Leadership Network include developing practical guidance that addresses key challenges. Please see a list of current members on our website: www.accountingforsustainability.org/canada

CFO Leadership Network Objectives



**Support the CFO
community**



**Work together to
transform finance**



**Share insights,
challenges and
opportunities**



HOW THE CHAPTER OPERATES

Membership is by invitation only, with a need to demonstrate both personal and organizational leadership in developing and implementing sustainable business models.

As part of the Canada chapter, members:

- Commit to take action towards integrating sustainability, identifying activities that are most appropriate for their organization.
- Attend quarterly meetings and support outreach activities.

BENEFITS OF JOINING

Current members have identified the following benefits:

- **Learn from peers** – Join a cross-sector network of leading global CFOs to share insights on challenges and develop solutions, in a safe space.
- **Access learning opportunities for members of your finance team** – Participate in member-specific events, discussion groups, workshops and other training, developed for finance by finance.
- **Scale up action** – Commit to taking individual action and contribute to developing A4S's practical guidance to support the wider transformation of decision making.
- **Showcase your leadership** – Benefit from opportunities for members to share learning and join a collective voice through speaking at events and providing input to consultation responses and published case studies.
- **Leverage A4S support** – Receive support from a Canada-based team and the wider global A4S, which provides global and local insights and experience on embedding sustainability and the latest trends/priorities for finance teams.



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