



Proving progress is possible



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A starling murmuration forms interesting shapes on Lough Ennell, Co. Westmeath. Photograph by Naoise Culhane.

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CEO's Message

“As the global aviation platform, we recognise the scale of the challenge facing aviation in the net-zero transition.”



At SMBC Aviation Capital, sustainability is fundamental to how we do business. We are committed to playing a leading role in progressing a more sustainable aviation future.

We are advancing sustainability in a way that preserves connectivity and supports economic growth. Our strategy, *Proving Progress is Possible*, reflects our belief that leadership means taking responsibility, acting with integrity, and doing the right thing as our industry is navigating significant change.

Our customers - airlines, investors and trading partners - are at the heart of everything we do. We build long-term partnerships grounded in trust and a deep understanding of their needs. By working across the aviation value chain, we are supporting the transition to a more sustainable sector while delivering resilient, long-term value.

As a global aviation platform, we recognise the scale of the challenge in achieving net zero. Progress will depend on collaboration and the acceleration of practical solutions, particularly sustainable aviation fuel (SAF), which represents the most immediate decarbonisation opportunity for our sector. Scaling supply will be critical to ensuring a credible and reliable transition pathway.

Sustainability extends beyond environmental stewardship. It is also defined by how we operate as a business - how we support our people, contribute to our communities, and uphold the highest standards of governance. We are committed to fostering an inclusive workplace where our people can thrive, and to creating meaningful social impact through partnerships with organisations such as the Together Academy, the National Gallery of Ireland, Belvedere Youth Club, Airlinck and others.

Our strategy is aligned with the UN Sustainable Development Goals and informed by an evolving regulatory landscape. While the environment around us continues to change, our approach remains consistent: to lead responsibly, support the aviation industry's transition, and demonstrate that long-term commercial success and sustainability can progress together.

Peter Barrett
Chief Executive Officer

Sustainability Strategy Summary, Proving Progress is Possible

Our vision is to continue to be a leader in supporting aviation's transition to a more sustainable future by embracing sustainability in a way that maintains global connectivity and supports economic growth.

This vision is delivered through our Sustainability Strategy, which translates ambition into practical, measurable action across our environmental, social and governance priorities, proving that progress is possible.

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SMBC AVIATION
CAPITAL – HIGHLIGHTS

Progress in motion



OUR TOTAL FLEET

1,686

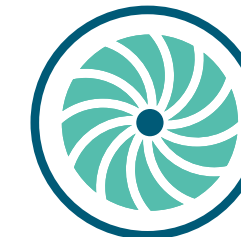
owned, serviced and committed



OUR OWNED FLEET

90%

portfolio comprised of narrowbody aircraft



OUR OWNED FLEET

80%

of new technology*

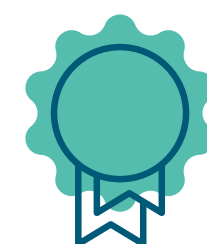
* Weighted by net book value



OUR OWNED FLEET

5.4

weighted average age of owned fleet in years



OUR RATINGS

A-/BBB+

S&P / Fitch Ratings



OUR TRADING

793

aircraft sold to 150+ third party investors and airlines



OUR CUSTOMERS

170+

airline and investor customers in over 50 countries worldwide



OUR PEOPLE

318

professionals, represented in 10 global locations

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SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY INTRODUCTION

Connection, with intention

At SMBC Aviation Capital, we believe aviation exists to do something simple and powerful: bring people closer. It connects families and friends, opens up opportunity, and helps ideas, cultures, and economies move across the world.

We are an ambitious aircraft leasing business and at our core we're people-led and partnership-driven. Our work is shaped by long-term relationships and a deep commitment to meet our customers' needs as they change, not just today, but for the future.

As a major global aircraft lessor, we work where mobility, sustainability, and innovation meet, and we

have a clear responsibility to the world aviation connects.

That means doing business in a way that adds value beyond balance sheets, contributing positively to society, reducing our impact on the environment, and holding ourselves to the highest standards of integrity and governance.

Our sustainability strategy, *Proving Progress is Possible*, reflects this fundamental belief. It's about the choices we make, the partnerships we build, and the vital work required to help shape a more sustainable aviation future, one step, one decision, one flight at a time.

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As a major global aircraft lessor, we are positioned at that intersection of mobility, sustainability and innovation.



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STRATEGIC CONTEXT

Aviation that works for the world

Aviation is a major contributor to society and our economies. It builds social connection, creates millions of jobs, and powers trade and tourism.

Aviation has a responsibility to play its part in reducing global emissions. While the path forward is challenging, change is essential to protect people and our planet. As facilitators of air travel, we take this responsibility seriously and hold ourselves to the highest sustainability standards, not only

for our business, but for our people, our shareholders, airline customers, trading partners and investors.

Alongside climate considerations, the social dimension of sustainability is becoming increasingly important as expectations rise around workforce wellbeing, diversity, talent development, and the broader social impact of aviation, including safety, accessibility, and the economic benefits aircraft enable in the communities they serve.

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Aviation has a role to play in reducing global emissions.



Since publishing our first ESG strategy in 2022, the regulatory and policy environment has continued to shift, with several requirements being delayed, amended or redefined. In this context, we remain focused on ensuring our commitments are realistic, credible and aligned with the operational and regulatory realities of the aviation sector.

We will continue to monitor regulatory developments and adopt best practice where it adds meaningful value. This evolving context underscores the need for a flexible, future ready sustainability strategy that integrates environmental and social priorities, strengthens data and governance systems, and supports strong stakeholder relationships across the aviation value chain.

Insights from our Double Materiality Assessment and stakeholder engagement have informed updates to our strategy.

MAINTAINING TRUST & TRANSPARENCY

Transparency remains fundamental to maintaining the trust of our customers, people, investors, partners and regulators. Our ambition is unchanged: to help shape a more sustainable aviation future.

We are committed to publishing an annual responsible business report commencing in 2026.



Runway to 2050

2019–2024

- Belvedere Youth Club partnership launched 2019
- Launch inaugural ESG Strategy.
- Commence Climate Related Disclosures aligned to TCFD.
- Launch Corporate Partnership Programme.
- Develop sustainability linked financing offerings.
- Commit to IATA 25by2025.
- Commence Gender Pay Gap disclosures.
- Announces partnership with Trinity College Dublin on Sustainable Aviation Fuel Research Facility.
- Launch Sustainability Governance structure.
- Issue updated Supplier Code of Conduct.
- Annual Difference Day partnership launched

2025–2026

- Launch Sustainability Strategy: *Proving Progress is Possible.*
- Together Academy partnership launched.
- Cohost SAF Round Table event.
- Set target for new technology fleet, 90%* by 2030.
* Weighted by net book value.
- Global sustainable offices, LEED Gold std at HQ.
- Climate risk and opportunity assessment.
- Double Materiality Assessment.
- Launch sustainability training programme for employees.

2026–2030

- Publish first annual Responsible Business Report.
- Contribute to development of SAF market.
- Explore Carbon Capture Storage
- Announce SAF book and claim initiative.
- Set credible climate transition plan aligned to net-zero 2050.
- Alignment to the UN Sustainable Development Goals.
- Airlink partnership launched 2026

2030–2050

- Continuing support to the development and deployment of SAF at scale.
- Continue to explore emerging technologies.

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OUR VISION

A future-shaping vision

To continue to be a leader in supporting aviation's transition to a more sustainable future by embracing sustainability in a way that maintains connectivity and supports economic growth by;

1

Advancing environmental stewardship through new technology fleet, championing SAF and supporting sustainable financing.

2

Continuing to foster an inclusive workplace where our people can thrive individually and collectively.

3

Supporting the communities that we connect.

4

Maintaining and enhancing trust and confidence by upholding the highest standards of governance and transparency.

PILLAR

GOALS

COMMITMENTS



Environment

Maximise new technology composition of our fleet and explore emerging technology.

Champion SAF through industry collaboration helping to accelerate aviation's transition to net-zero.

Support sustainable finance.

Maintain the highest sustainability standards in our offices.

Emissions Profile and Climate related disclosures.

- 90% by 2030*
* Weighted by net book value

- Support the development and deployment of SAF at scale.

- Continue to offer Sustainability Linked leases to our airline customers.
- Strive to secure financing through sustainability-linked loan facilities.

- Maintain Gold Building Leed Standard and implement water and energy efficiency measures.

- Continue to align climate reporting to TCFD.
- Carry out annual assessment of climate related risks and opportunities.
- Continue ambition to support aviation's journey to Net-Zero by 2050 aligned to ALI and IATA.



Social

Strive for balanced representation across the organisation fostering an inclusive work environment where all employees can thrive individually and together.

Lead by example through our CSR & Corporate Partnership strategies.

- Achieve a gender representation target of at least 40% across the organisation and at least 35% in senior leadership roles.
- Continue to make progress in closing the gender pay gap.

- Develop social impact measurement of key partnerships.



Governance

Integrate sustainability oversight into Board and Management structures with clear roles and responsibilities.

Uphold the highest ethical standards across our operations.

Promote sustainability in our Value Chain.

Build trust and confidence through sustainability disclosures.

- Continue to embed sustainability considerations into our business.
- Inclusion of sustainability considerations in our Risk Management framework.
- Align to the UN SDGs.

- Deliver compliance training to all staff regularly.
- Deliver sustainability training programme to staff.

- Maintain our commitments to sustainability leadership
- Supplier code of conduct.

- Produce an annual Responsible Business Report by 2026
- Alignment to the UN SDGs.

SUSTAINABILITY GOALS

From intent to impact

Our sustainability goals set out how we are proving progress is possible.

Our sustainability strategy sets out our commitment to integrating sustainability across our business, while aligning our responsible business activities with the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

It sets out these commitments under three strategic pillars: Environment, Social and Governance.



As a major player in aviation, we have both the opportunity and the responsibility to champion a more sustainable future for our industry.

ADVOCACY UNDERPINS EVERY ASPECT OF OUR SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY

We advocate for aviation's sustainability agenda at every level, using our position of influence to drive meaningful change. As a major player in the industry, we have both the opportunity and the responsibility to champion a more sustainable future, engaging our people, industry partners, regulators, customers, suppliers, shareholders, and wider stakeholders to facilitate progress in a way that continues to support human connectivity and economic growth.

OUR CUSTOMERS

Our customers, airlines, investors and trading partners, are at the heart of everything we do.

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Our strategy is built on long-term relationships with airlines, investors, and trading partners, providing the collaborative platform and capital solutions necessary to deliver high-quality, fuel-efficient future-proofed assets that drive sustainable returns and support the global transition to a net-zero aviation industry.

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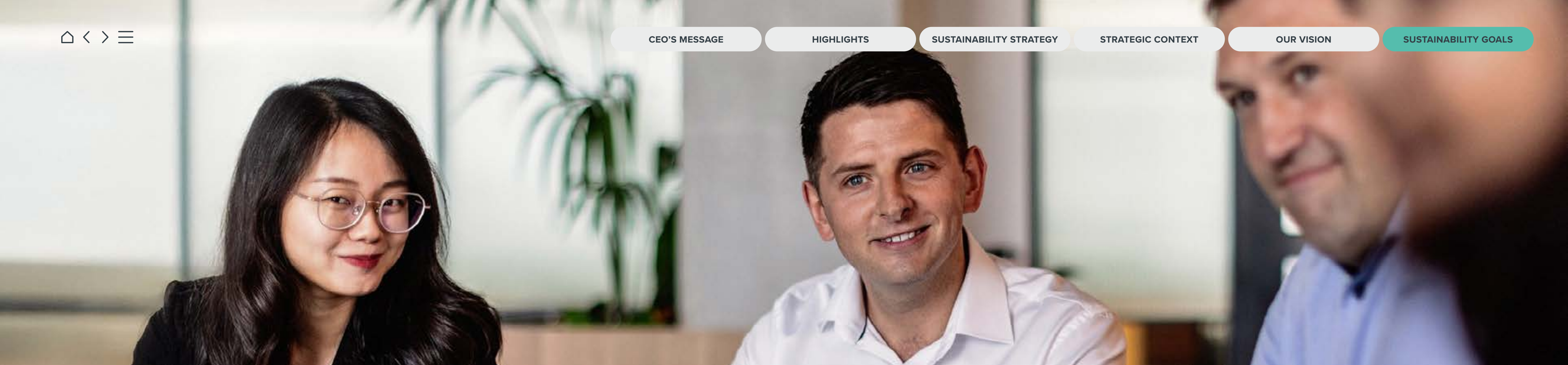
Our partnerships with airlines, investors, and trading partners focus delivering flexible financing and fleet strategies that are tailored to market conditions, airline networks while supporting the industry's transition to a more sustainable future.

3

Our focus on new-technology aircraft ensures a lower-emissions more cost efficient fleet for our airline customers while providing our investors and trading partners with a portfolio that minimizes risk and maximizes long-term asset value.

4

Combined with competitive lease structures and proactive asset management, our high level of engagement with airlines, investors, and trading partners positions us as the trusted strategic partner supporting both commercial performance and sustainable growth across the global aviation market.



OUR SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY IS UNDERPINNED BY OUR VALUES

OUR WAY OF BEING

Respect

Two-way communication: listen intently, give quieter voices a platform and be conscious of tone. Respect people's time and be flexible in accommodating others, particularly those in a different time zone to your own.

Trust

Create a psychologically safe space. Do what you say you will do, when you say you will do it. Be honest, communicate openly and be respectful of each others needs.

Integrity

Always do what is right including when no one is watching; treat people with respect and kindness; be self-aware, compassionate and embrace diversity.

OUR WAY OF WORKING

Connect

Collaborate to unleash the full potential of our diverse talent. Respect each other's expertise and perspective and welcome challenge. Foster an inclusive and fun environment where we recognise accomplishments and take pride in winning together.

Adapt

Be brave and curious, anticipate the future and be proactive. Have a 'why not' attitude, learn from previous experiences. Call out bureaucracy when it is evident in a process or way of working. Be agile to meet and exceed our customers needs. Demonstrate resilience and support each other.

Achieve

Take accountability and ownership to deliver results, be ambitious and take pride in everything we do. Set each other up for success and share insights. Do what it takes to drive positive change and seek opportunities to innovate and grow our business and people.

6.1 Environmental Stewardship

We advance environmental stewardship through providing new technology fleet, championing SAF and supporting sustainable financing. We are continuing to work with industry stakeholders for a more sustainable aviation future.

PILLAR

OBJECTIVES

Sustainable Aviation Fuel

- Sustainable Aviation Fuel is one of the few realistic, near-term ways for the aviation industry to reduce its carbon footprint without redesigning entire fleets. SAF is a “drop-in” alternative to conventional jet fuel which means it can be used in existing aircraft and engines resulting in a reduction in the lifecycle CO₂ emissions of flights by up to 70–80%.
- We are proud to have collaborated with Trinity College Dublin to establish a Sustainable Aviation Fuel Research Facility at our Dublin headquarters. This state-of-the-art centre is already playing a pivotal role in identifying and validating next-generation sustainable aviation fuels. By accelerating research, the facility will help unlock greater production and expand the global supply of SAF in the years ahead, an essential step in aviation’s decarbonisation journey and a powerful signal of what industry and academia can achieve together.

New Technology Aircraft and Emerging Technology

- New technology aircraft are significantly more fuel-efficient, leading to lower CO₂ emissions and reduced environmental impact.
- We aim to own a 90% new technology fleet by 2030*. Leasing newer, more fuel-efficient aircraft reduces emissions intensity (CO₂ per passenger/km). * Weighted by net book value
- We support our airline customers in their transition through the provision of new tech aircraft.
- We are focused on accelerating fleet modernisation while also ensuring the responsible management of older aircraft.
- In addition we continue to follow the developments of new fuel technologies and their potential to support decarbonisation in the longer term.

Sustainable Finance Change

- We avail of sustainability linked loan facilities aligning to broader global climate ambitions and gender diversity targets.
- We make sustainability-linked financing products available to our airline customers, supporting them in advancing their own sustainability efforts.

Climate Related Financial Disclosures

- We are committed to continuing to implement robust emissions tracking and reporting aligned with the Green House Gas Protocol and TCFD ensuring transparent communication with stakeholders.
- We are also committed to carrying out an annual review of climate related risks and opportunities.

Sustainable Aviation Fuel is one of the core pillars of our sustainability and advocacy strategies. SAF is the most critical near-term decarbonisation lever for aviation.



SMBC AVIATION CAPITAL'S REFRESHED SAF STRATEGY

Advocacy

Vision

Striving to make SAF more available and affordable. Progressing a more sustainable aviation future.

Purpose

1

Support the sustainability of SMBC Aviation Capital's core aircraft leasing and trading business.

2

Create a clear competitive differentiator and generate new sources of revenue.

3

Help our shareholders grow their sustainability-related businesses.

Strategic Pillars

RESEARCH

Support research which advances viable and sustainable SAF solutions.

COLLABORATION

Support shareholder SAF initiatives and foster collaboration across the group and industry.

PARTNERSHIP

Build strategic partnerships to accelerate SAF production and deployment.

6.2

Social Responsibility, Our People

Our People Strategy

Our people are core to our success. Every day, our people bring our purpose to life around the world through the impact of their commitment.

Our People Strategy brings together talent development, strong organisational foundations, actionable insights, active engagement, and inspiring leadership to create a working environment where we can thrive, individually and together.

OUR PEOPLE STRATEGY IS FULLY ALIGNED TO OUR BUSINESS STRATEGY AND HAS 3 KEY PILLARS: BUILD, GROW, ATTRACT.



Build

A Great Environment

The *Build* pillar is concerned with the employee experience, we want to continue to build a great environment for us all to work in.



Grow

To Be Our Best

The *Grow* pillar is about supporting you in your development in order for you to have the opportunity to achieve your goals.



Attract

Right People Right Role

The *Attract* pillar enables us to ensure there is continued career development and that we remain an attractive place to work.





By championing inclusion and investing in our people, we aim to create a workplace where everyone is valued for their unique contribution.



MOSAIC – OUR EQUALITY, DIVERSITY & INCLUSION STRATEGY



We are committed to fostering an inclusive work environment that embraces diversity, supports equality of opportunity and has a positive social impact. Our Equality, Diversity and Inclusion initiative is called

'Mosaic'. By championing inclusion and investing in our people, we aim to create a workplace where everyone is valued for their unique contribution. This will enable us to achieve sustainable success as a global team.

EQUALITY is about ensuring everyone has fair and equal access to opportunities whilst recognising that people may require different supports to fulfil their potential.

DIVERSITY is about recognising, respecting, and harnessing the visible and non-visible differences that make us unique.

INCLUSION is about fostering an environment that values difference, ensuring each individual feels a sense of belonging, can express themselves authentically and is supported to thrive.

GENDER DIVERSITY

SMBC Aviation Capital has made meaningful progress against its IATA 25by2025 commitments, with results that demonstrate both strong momentum and the realities of managing diversity within a growing global business.

Female representation is increasing across the organisation, but uneven headcount growth at senior levels has influenced the pace of improvement. On the specific 25by2025 goals, we meet the level goal of 25% female representation. We did not achieve 2 out of 3 of the more ambitious targets related to 25% growth in representation across VP and SVP, however we did meet this target for EVP level.

Our ambition remains high and following the progress made as the only aircraft leasing signatory to IATA 25by2025, we are extending our gender representation target to at least 40% across the company and at least 35% in senior leadership roles by 2030.

GENDER PAY GAP REPORT

In compliance with The Gender Pay Gap Information Act 2021, we are committed to publishing our annual Gender Pay Gap Report. In publishing the report, we aim to provide an understanding of the context behind our gender pay gap.

6.3

Social Responsibility, Our Communities



Sustainability also extends beyond operations to the communities we connect and where we do business. We take pride in contributing positively to society.

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY STRATEGY

At SMBC Aviation Capital we strive to reflect the values of our staff, customers and shareholders by making a lasting, meaningful, authentic contribution to society through our CSR activities.

Our values-led CSR programme reflects our commitment to giving back at both local and international levels by contributing to vulnerable groups, investing in our local communities and engaging our staff.

The areas of focus for our CSR activities going forward are outlined below:

- Children and Education
- Equality and Inclusion
- Disadvantaged Communities

Across all of these areas, the environmental impact and sustainability of the projects we support will be considered as a core, underlying principle in every proposal.

CORPORATE PARTNERSHIP STRATEGY

Our Corporate Partnership Strategy is designed to build partnerships that deliver real value to the society in which we operate and to the organisations we work with, creating a shared sense of purpose for our colleagues, while delivering reputational, strategic and commercial benefits for our business. Our intention is to be ambitious in our approach, making a meaningful, lasting and visible societal contribution that enhances our reputation and ability to influence, while providing tangible benefit to our partners.

Our strategy focus is on supporting

- The Arts
- Sport
- Disadvantaged Communities
- Children and Education

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Governance at SMBC Aviation Capital

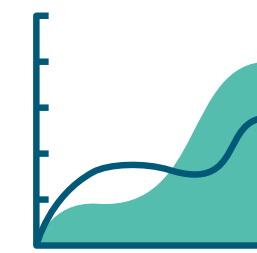
Governance is a cornerstone of our culture and a critical enabler of long term, sustainable success. Our enterprise wide governance framework promotes integrity, transparency and accountability across all aspects of our business.

OUR GOVERNANCE FRAMEWORK



Clear Accountability and Oversight

- Defined roles, responsibilities, and reporting lines safeguard transparency and prevent conflicts of interest.
- Regular Board and Committee reviews ensure strong oversight and informed decision making.



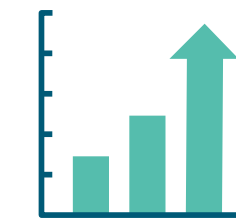
Comprehensive Compliance Framework

- Robust policies across anti money laundering, sanctions, anti fraud, anti bribery, data protection, competition law, and whistleblowing.
- These policies maintain legal and ethical standards across all global operations.



Training and Awareness

- Ongoing governance, compliance and information security training fosters a culture of responsible, informed decision making.



Continuous Improvement

- Regular reviews and updates of governance and compliance policies ensure alignment with evolving regulations and best practices.

WHY GOVERNANCE MATTERS

Our commitment to strong governance safeguards our stakeholders, strengthens trust in our business, and ensures we remain resilient, responsible, and aligned with the highest standards both today and into the future.

OUR COMMITMENT TO GOVERNANCE IS UNWAVERING

By embedding integrity, transparency, and accountability into every aspect of our operations, we safeguard stakeholders and strengthen trust in our business. Through rigorous compliance, robust oversight, and continuous improvement, SMBC Aviation Capital remains resilient, responsible, and aligned with the highest global standards, today and into the future.

Sustainability Governance Framework

Our Sustainability Governance Framework sits within our broader corporate governance structure and provides clear oversight and accountability for the delivery of our Sustainability Strategy.

SUSTAINABILITY GOVERNANCE FRAMEWORK

The Sustainability Governance framework includes a Sustainability Committee, which is a subcommittee of the Board, and a Sustainability Operational Group, both with related Terms of Reference.

While the Board is responsible for the Sustainability Strategy and for overseeing its development and implementation across our business, the Sustainability Governance Framework reflects the focus we place on Sustainability in all aspects of our operations.

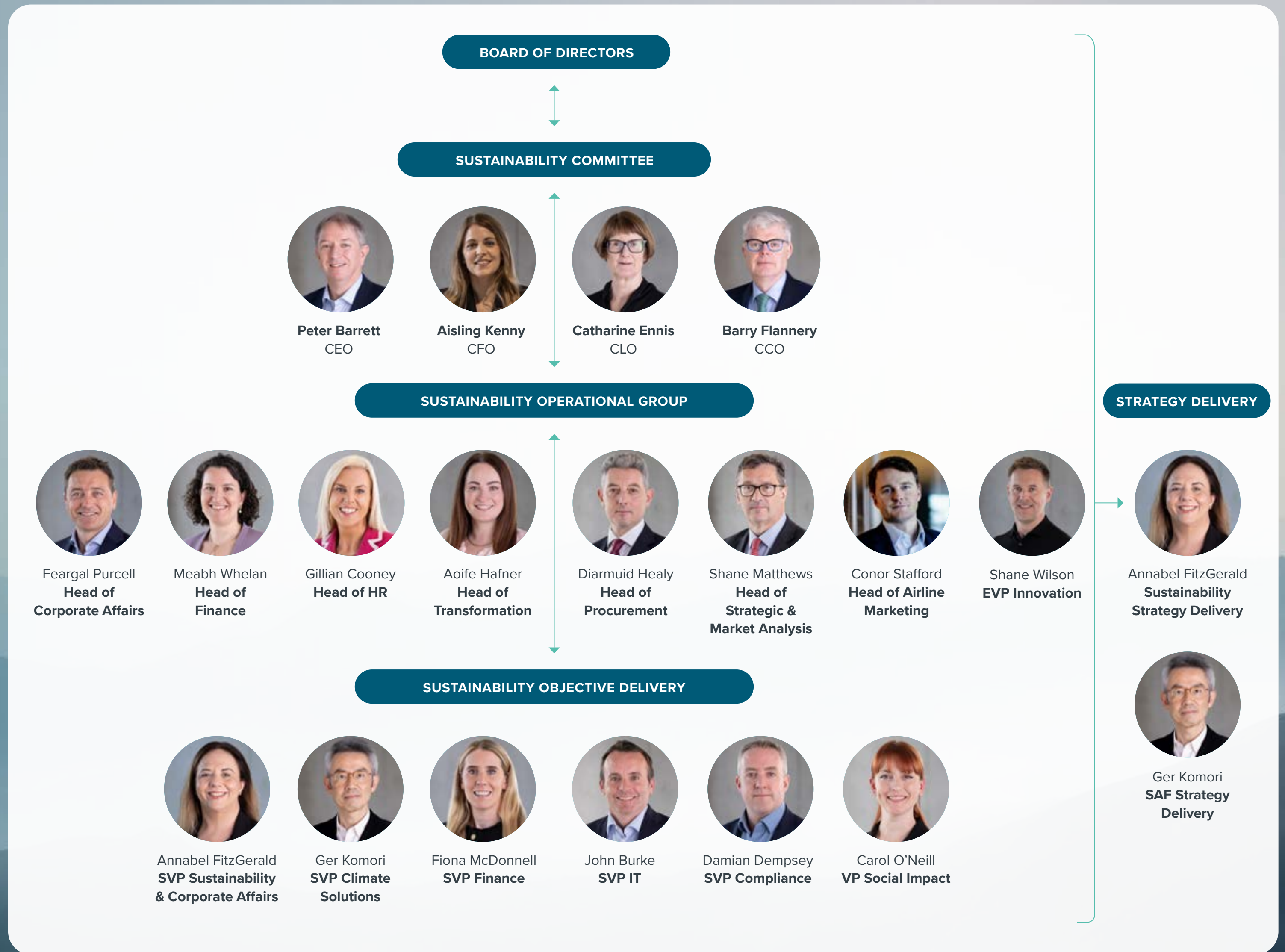
SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

The Sustainability Committee comprises Directors of SMBC Aviation Capital and oversees all aspects of the Sustainability Strategy, including its implementation, effectiveness, prioritisation and delivery.

The Sustainability Committee also monitors Sustainability compliance and oversees all internal and external Sustainability reporting by our business.

SUSTAINABILITY OPERATIONAL GROUP

The Sustainability Operational Group is made up of a core team of the Heads of Corporate Affairs, Finance, Human Resources, Strategic Market & Analysis, Procurement, Transformation and Portfolio Risk Management. The Group implements the sustainability strategy and initiates projects across key Sustainability priorities, including climate-related matters. It also oversees delivery within the business and reports progress to the Sustainability Committee. It is also responsible for ensuring that we are in full compliance with all Sustainability regulatory and reporting obligations. The Sustainability Operational Group provides strategic advice regarding the implementation of the Sustainability Strategy by Subject Matter experts (SMEs) from across the company.



6.5

Alignment to the UN Sustainable Development Goals



As one of the world’s largest aircraft lessors we play a pivotal role in shaping the sustainability trajectory of the aviation sector. The UN Sustainable Development Goals provide a powerful global framework for aligning responsible business practices with shared priorities on climate action and social progress. We have identified the SDGs most relevant to our activities and set out how we contribute to each of these goals.



SDG 3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

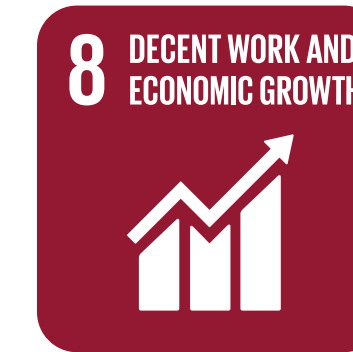
We contribute to SDG 3 by promoting safety, health and wellness both within our own team and across the broader aviation industry. Internally we foster a culture of care through comprehensive employee well-being initiatives focusing on mental health, physical wellness demonstrating our commitment to supporting our people.

As an aircraft lessor we ensure that our leased aircraft adhere to the highest safety and maintenance standards helping to protect the wellbeing of passengers and crew. Through these efforts we are actively advancing SDG 3 by safeguarding the health and wellbeing of its employees, customers and society.



SDG 5 GENDER EQUALITY

We strive for balanced representation across our organisation fostering an inclusive work environment where we can thrive individually and together. We operate a policy of inclusive hiring and have a number of Sustainability Linked Loans in place that include gender related targets along-side climate related targets. We are also active in industry initiatives such as PropelHer and IATA’s gender diversity programme 25by2025 supporting mentorship, leadership development and career opportunities for women across aviation. We also conduct gender pay gap reporting and have a number of inclusive policies.



SDG 8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

As a global aircraft lessor, SMBC Aviation Capital supports global trade, tourism and employment. We are embracing sustainability in a way that maintains human connectivity and supports economic growth. We generate high-value employment opportunities while also supporting thousands of indirect jobs through maintenance and operational supply chains. We are committed to promoting decent work by adhering to fair labour practices, advancing ED&I, and by investing in employee training and professional development.

Every day, our people bring our purpose to life around the world through the impact of their commitment.



SDG 9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

SAF represents aviation's most immediate lever for decarbonisation. We are committed to working with industry partners to address practical obstacles to acceleration of Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) production and usage. We are proud partners of Trinity College Dublin, the delivery partner for the EU EASA clearing house for SAF research and whose facility is located at our HQ in Dublin. While we are realistic about the challenges that remain on affordability and availability, SAF remains the current best option to decarbonise our sector.

The research facility is also backed by Ryanair and Science Foundation Ireland.



SDG 10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES

Our CSR strategy acknowledges the global responsibility of our industry to help close the gap between developed and emerging economies. These initiatives exemplify our belief that sustainable growth must include the empowerment of disadvantaged communities, ensuring no one is left behind. Through these partnerships, we contribute meaningfully to SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities, advancing equity and inclusion at a global scale and also locally.





SDG 13 CLIMATE ACTION

Aviation is responsible for 2–3% of global CO₂ emissions with growth expected over time. Aircraft leasing, which accounts for over half of the global fleet plays a critical role in decarbonising the industry. SMBC Aviation Capital can help to reduce climate transition risk by supporting airlines in their decarbonisation journey.

Aircraft leasing contributes to SDG 13 (Climate Action) mainly by accelerating the adoption of more fuel-efficient new technology aircraft, aligning financial capital with climate goals. While aviation is a considered a hard to abate sector, leasing helps mitigate emissions growth by spreading clean technology more quickly and efficiently.



SDG 17 PARTNERSHIP FOR THE GOALS

Partnership and collaboration are essential in the aviation sector. We demonstrate our contribution to this SDG through our strong engagement with industry bodies, collaborative research and development, and our work with charities and corporate partners.



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NEXT STEPS

Future Focused

The next decade will be critical for aviation's sustainability transition. As the industry navigates shifting policy frameworks, geopolitical tensions, technological advancements and evolving expectations, our strategy provides a clear, flexible and credible foundation for long term progress.

We remain committed to publishing an annual responsible business report aligned to our financial year, enabling transparent tracking of our performance and impact. Our goal is simple: to lead responsibly and accelerate aviation's progress toward a more sustainable future safeguarding connectivity, supporting economic growth, and delivering long term value for all our stakeholders.



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