#### **FAQs from Sustainable finance**

### Who is organising this opportunity?

This opportunity is being organised by the **Sustainable Finance Skillnet**, with funding from the National Training Fund through the Department of Further & Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science. The Sustainable Finance Skillnet is hosted by **Sustainable Finance Ireland**, Ireland's leading national platform working to advance the sustainable finance agenda at home and abroad (<a href="www.sustainablefinance.ie">www.sustainablefinance.ie</a>).

#### How are places allocated?

Places are allocated on a first come/first serve basis, email now to register your interest (skills@sustainablefinance.ie).

## Who is eligible for grant funding for these courses?

Any Irish-based employee of a financial services sector company.

## How much grant funding is available?

In this case, 50% grant funding is available, with the other 50% being matched funding.

## How is the matched funding payable?

Matched funding must be paid by your employer, after being invoiced by the Sustainable Finance Skillnet. Payment is by bank transfer only, we cannot accept credit cards.

#### Can I just pay the matched funding myself?

Unfortunately not, Skillnet funding is a business support only. However, if your employer agrees (in writing) to reimburse you or expense the matched funding, then we can support you and you can pay the matched funding directly.

# I'm interested in Sustainable Finance but want to do a different course – can you help me?

If you have identified another Sustainable finance course, we would be happy to consider it for support – get in touch.

#### Can I share this offer with colleagues?

Please do.

## My company would like to do Sustainable Finance training in-house – can you help?

We can and do support such in-house training – get in touch.

#### Will there be more opportunities like this in future?

Yes, we will be running and/or funding a number of sustainable finance and ESG-related courses, webinars, masterclasses and events on an ongoing basis.