

Press release

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MosaicNED works with Link Fund Solutions to find new Chairman of the UK Fund's Board

MosaicNED is delighted to have worked with Link Fund Solutions to find and appoint a new high-profile Chair of its UK Authorised Corporate Director (ACD) Board. Alistair Reid, who is MosaicNED-trained, formally took up the position in May 2021.

Alistair has worked both in and alongside the investment management industry for more than 40 years, holding senior positions at both large international and smaller UK firms including Crux Asset Management, Thornhill Holdings, and J P Morgan Chase.

MosaicNED provides a comprehensive training framework for individuals seeking to become independent non-executive directors (INED) in order to provide asset managers, authorised corporate directors and fund boards with a talent pool of highly trained governance specialists, reflecting the continued importance of and drive for strong governance. In combination with delivering this training programme, MosaicNED carefully matches its talent pool of trained iNEDs with fund boards to ensure the candidate is well-suited, culturally and technically, to effectively contribute to that particular board.

Jon Rebak, MosaicNED co-founder commented, 'We are delighted that Alistair has been appointed to this position and we know he will be an excellent Chair for Link Fund Solutions. MosaicNED was established two years ago with a goal to make a difference to the outcomes that investors should expect through the continued drive for high governance on fund boards, and to build a diverse talent pool of MosaicNed trained iNEDS across a range of key functional areas.'

Karl Midl, Managing Director of Link Fund Solutions Limited, said: 'Alistair is a brilliant addition to the LFSL board. We welcome his decades of expertise in and alongside the investment management industry as he takes on the roles of Chair of the Board and the Value Assessment Committee. We feel it's crucial to have the right balance of executive and independent directors to ensure a range of thought and experience – so we can make the best possible decisions that deliver for our clients and their investors.'

Since conducting its first course in 2019, MosaicNED has trained over 60 candidates from a range of disciplines, primarily in asset management, covering specialist areas such as product, legal, compliance, distribution and marketing.

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About MosaicNED

MosaicNED has partnered with an award-winning industry training provider, an accredited affiliate of the Chartered Investment and Securities Institute, to help design and deliver a bespoke independent non-executive director training programme so candidates can become fund board ready.

In addition to the regulatory, legal and governance units, the course includes modules on ESG & climate risks, behavioural Intelligence, product structures and how to evaluate funds.

MosaicNED's next course is in September and will be an interactive digital course covering 8 sessions over a three-week period to give candidates the right balance between participation and performing their daily responsibilities.

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