

BUILDING BRIDGES:

Engaging the Institutional Investor in Global Infrastructure

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

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Dr. Valdivieso has over 35 years of experience in national and international economic and financial policy, financial planning, project finance, economic research, and academia. At present, he is President of the Association of Private Pension Funds Administrators (AAFP) and Vice President of the International Federation of Pension Fund Administrators FIAP. Concurrently, he is the CEO of LV Perú Invest S.A.C., a boutique economic and financial consulting firm for arranging financing and equity investment. He is currently a Board member of InPeru, CONFIEP, The Mountain Institute, and member of the Global Macroeconomic Advisory Group of the Meketa Investment Group, and member of the America's Ambassadors Advisory Group of the Center for Strategic International Studies. During his tenure as Peruvian Ambassador to the United States (2009-2011), he helped bring bilateral

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