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### Investing for a more Sustainable Tomorrow

Today many investors are looking for ways to invest that benefit global society and the environment. With the AB Sustainable Thematic Strategies, we aim to invest in a better world and achieve a healthy financial return. Our investment process is built upon the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SGD's), a set of 17 goals adopted by the UN in September 2015.

No Poverty (Goal 1), Zero Hunger (2), Good Health and Well Being (3), Quality Education (4), Affordable and Clean Energy (7), Life Below Water (14) are examples of these 17 high level goals. In our investment process, we have condensed these goals into three broad portfolio themes Climate, Health and Empowerment and merged these top-down goals with our individual bottom-up, high conviction stock selection identifying attractive investments with compelling growth prospects, valuations, positive ESG practices and a focus on diversified portfolio exposures.

Investing in firms that provide solutions for and contribute to the SGD's have an inclination to be well prepared for the future, they can enhance long-term growth potential and reduce risk.

In his presentation, Dan Roarty CIO, will review the AB Sustainable Strategies and highlight why business alignment with the UN SDG's, are an attractive opportunity to allocate private capital.

### Daniel C. Roarty, CFA



Chief Investment Officer—Thematic and Sustainable Equities

Daniel C. Roarty was appointed Chief Investment Officer of AB's Thematic & Sustainable Equities team in 2013. He joined the firm in May 2011 as global technology sector head on the Global/International Research Growth team, and was named team leader for that team in early 2012. Roarty previously spent nine years at Nuveen Investments, where he co-managed both a large-cap and a multi-cap growth strategy. His research experience includes coverage of technology, industrials and financials stocks at Morgan Stanley and Goldman Sachs. Roarty holds a BS in finance from Fairfield University and an MBA from the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania. He is a CFA charterholder. Location: New York

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