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**Faculty of Law, UZH
In room RAI-F-041 (floor F)
Rämistrasse 74, 8001 Zurich**

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Swiss Sustainable Finance Regulation – At a Crossroads?

Lunchtime Sustainability Seminar Series, No. 1



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The *Competence Center of Sustainability: Finance, Law, Sciences, and the Humanities (CCS)* of the University of Zurich warmly invites you to the following lunch seminar:

Title: Swiss Sustainable Finance Regulation – At a Crossroads?

Date & Time: Wednesday, 3 December 2025, 12:15-13:15

Location: Faculty of Law, room RAI-F-041 (floor F), Rämistrasse 74, Zurich

Expert speakers:

- **Professor Dr. Aline Darbellay**, University of Zurich, Faculty of Law
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Sustainable policy and regulation in Switzerland

The impact of climate change and other environmental challenges pose significant financial risks to Swiss financial institutions and customers. In recent years, the European Union and Switzerland have made important strides to incorporate environmental-related financial risks into financial regulation, such as with disclosure requirements and restrictions on greenwashing. However, some of these regulatory initiatives are under review as a result of the EU's proposed Omnibus legislation that aims to soften the impact of some areas of sustainable finance regulation. Also, other countries are under pressure from the US administration to modify their policies on sustainable finance.

This seminar (held in English) will address the current state of play of Swiss sustainable finance policy and regulation and discuss what challenges and solutions lie ahead. The panel discussion will be hosted by **Prof. Dr. Kern Alexander**, Professor of International Banking and Financial Law and Chair of the UZH CCS. The **CCS** brings together an interdisciplinary network of experts to promote research and collaboration in the field of environmental and social sustainability.

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