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Regulation and Supervision in Evolving Times

In this podcast, Peter Routledge highlights key OSFI initiatives and achievements since he joined in 2021. He also comments on one of the pillars of OSFI's Strategic Plan and the new supervisory framework that is coming into effect in April 2024. Lastly, he provides insights on innovations such as artificial intelligence and crypto assets, and their potential impact on entities regulated and supervised by OSFI.



Peter Routledge

Superintendent, Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions (OSFI) Peter Routledge was appointed Superintendent of Financial Institutions in June 2021, for a seven-year term.

He previously served as the President and Chief Executive Officer of Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation (CDIC) beginning in November 2018. While at CDIC, Mr. Routledge led a successful transformation of CDIC's culture, strategy, and technology vision. Mr. Routledge has extensive experience in Canada's financial sector. Prior to joining CDIC, he was a Senior Advisor at the Department of Finance where he provided advice on a range of policy issues including financial stability, housing finance, and competition in Canadian financial services.

Mr. Routledge has held a variety of leadership roles in the financial services industry, both in Canada and abroad. He served as managing director of research at National Bank Financial, where he led a team responsible for producing equity, fixed income, and derivatives research on Canadian financial institutions. Prior to that, Mr. Routledge led the Canadian Financial Institutions Group at Moody's Canada, with responsibilities for covering issuers in the banking, life insurance, personal and commercial insurance and reinsurance industries in Canada and the United States.

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