

## **Noel Quinn** **Group Chief Executive**

Noel Quinn was appointed Group Chief Executive in March 2020.

Mr Quinn has been with HSBC – or its constituent companies – since 1987, when he joined Forward Trust Group, a subsidiary of Midland Bank (now HSBC UK). He led HSBC's acquisitions of Swan National Motor Finance and Eversholt Leasing Ltd, becoming General Manager of each business in turn.

He subsequently served as Head of Specialised and Equity Finance at HSBC; Group Director of Strategy & Development at HSBC Insurance Services North America; Head of Commercial Finance Europe; and Head of Commercial Banking UK.

From 2011 to 2015, he was the Regional Head of Commercial Banking for Asia-Pacific, based in Hong Kong. Mr Quinn was appointed Chief Executive, Global Commercial Banking in December 2015. He became a Group Managing Director in September 2016.

Mr Quinn is a non-executive director of the Sustainable Markets Initiative, which was founded by HM King Charles III, as Prince of Wales, in 2020, and chairs its Financial Services Taskforce. He is a Principal of the Glasgow Financial Alliance for Net Zero, which commits financial institutions worldwide to align their lending and investment portfolios with net zero emissions by 2050, as well as a member of the World Bank Private Sector Investment Lab and the WEF International Business Council.

Mr Quinn qualified as a Chartered Accountant in 1987.