Program
SFI Annual Meeting 2026
AI and Its Impact on Finance

12:00	Doors Open, Registration, and Lunch
13:00	Opening & Short Interview *Dr. Stefan Seiler*, UBS Group AG, and SFI *Prof. François Degeorge*, SFI
13:15	Keynote Presentation I—Generative AI and Economic Growth: Fact or Fiction? *Prof. Sandra Wachter*, University of Oxford and Hasso Plattner Institute
13:35	Q&A Round
13:50	Keynote Presentation II—Cheap Information, Expensive Judgment *SFI Prof. Markus Leippold*, UZH and SFI
14:10	Q&A Round
14:25	Keynote Presentation III—Apertus – Democratizing the Foundation for Global Sovereign AI *Dr. Imanol Schlag*, ETH AI Center and Apertus
14:45	Q&A Round
15:00	Coffee Break
15:45	Fireside Chat—AI in Finance: Turning Innovation into Client Value *Beatriz Martin*, UBS Group AG
16:20	Panel Discussion (incl. Q&A) *SFI Prof. Markus Leippold* *Beatriz Martin* *Dr. Imanol Schlag* *Prof. Sandra Wachter*
16:55	Closing
Onward	Aperitif

Please note that this is a public event and photographs will be taken.