

# The Contributors

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Mr. Broadbent previously was an economic adviser at Her Majesty's Treasury and assistant professor of Economics at Columbia University from 1997 to 2000. For the decade prior to his appointment to the Monetary Policy Committee, Mr. Broadbent was senior European economist at Goldman Sachs, during which time he researched and wrote widely on the U.K. economy and monetary policy.

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Mr. Draghi is president of the Executive Board of the European Central Bank (ECB), a position he has had since 2011. He also is a member of the ECB's General Council. Prior to becoming the ECB's third president, Mr. Draghi was the governor of the Bank of Italy from 2005 to 2011.

Mr. Draghi headed the Financial Stability Board, formerly the Financial Stability Forum, from 2006 to 2011; was vice chairman and managing director of Goldman Sachs International, London, from 2002 to 2005; and a member of the executive committee, 2004 to 2005. He also was director general of the Italian Treasury from 1991 to 2001 and was executive director at the World Bank from 1984 to 1990.

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In a career at Japan's Ministry of Finance that began in 1967, Mr. Kuroda became Japan's top currency diplomat as vice minister of finance for international affairs from 1999 to 2003. Before joining ADB, Mr. Kuroda was a special adviser to Japanese Prime Minister Junichiro Koizumi's cabinet. Mr. Kuroda also has been a professor at the Graduate School of Economics at Hitotsubashi University in Tokyo.

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Mr. Tombini is also a member of the BIS Board of Directors, is co-chair of the FSB Regional Group of the Americas and chairman of CEMLA's Board of Governors. He also worked as senior advisor to the board of the International Monetary Fund. Before joining the Central Bank of Brazil, Mr. Tombini had various positions in the Brazilian government.

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Ms. Yellen became chair of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System on Feb. 3, 2014. Her four-year term ends in 2018. Ms. Yellen previously served as vice chair of the Board of Governors, taking office in October 2010, when she simultaneously began a 14-year term as a member of the Board.

Ms. Yellen is professor emeritus at the University of California-Berkeley where she was the Eugene E. and Catherine M. Trefethen Professor of Business and Professor of Economics and has been a faculty member since 1980. She took leave from Berkeley for five years in 1994. She was a member of the Board of Governors through February 1997, and then left the Federal Reserve to become chair of the Council of Economic Advisers through August 1999. She also chaired the Economic Policy Committee of the

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Ms. Yellen is a member of both the Council on Foreign Relations and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. She was president of the Western Economic Association, vice president of the American Economic Association and a fellow of the Yale Corporation. She has written on a variety of macroeconomic issues, while specializing in the causes, mechanisms and implications of unemployment.

