

Press Release

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Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking adopts global coverage for its equity research

Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking now offers its clients global coverage for equity research. The bank's London and Paris based analysts are extending the fundamental, valuation-driven approach to equities on a global basis with the coverage of over 50 key US, Asian, Eastern European and Middle Eastern stocks to be rolled out in the coming months.

Investors are increasingly looking for global analysis to accommodate their investment appetite and gain a more indepth understanding of industry dynamics. As sector research is predominantly segmented according to geographical boundaries, Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking sees an opportunity to provide its clients with seamless and coherent global sector research.

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- Corporate & Investment Banking: Société Générale ranks among the leading banks worldwide in euro capital markets, derivatives and structured finance.

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