



Press release

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Rothschild & Co dedicates the sharing of its "Climate" funds to the Polar Pod expedition

As a sponsor of the Polar Pod expedition and as part of its engagement towards responsible investment, Rothschild & Co Asset Management Europe is now earmarking part of the management fees of its "4 Change Climate" range to fund this extraordinary scientific project.

As of the 3rd of May 2021, Rothschild & Co Asset Management Europe will donate to the association Océan Polaire¹, 0.15% of R-co 4Change Climate Equity Euro and R-co 4Change Climate Credit Euro's net assets per year to the Polar Pod expedition, a scientific maritime exploration with the technological challenge to study the Southern Ocean surrounding Antarctica.

This expedition will support "real-time educational projects" amongst the general public and students on a wide range of topics: life, earth and environmental science, construction technology, renewable energy, climate science, marine biodiversity, entropic impact, with relays in science museums, universities, schools and companies.

"We are excited to contribute and be long-term supporters of such a project with major scientific challenges" states Pierre Baudard, Managing Partner and General Manager at Rothschild & Co Asset Management Europe. *"We want to associate our sustainable investment themes with concrete projects and this new initiative is a perfect illustration."* says Ludivine de Quincerot, Head of ESG and Financial Analysis at Rothschild & Co Asset Management Europe.

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For more information on fees and expenses and before investing, please refer to the KIID/prospectus of these UCITS available at the following address:

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¹ A non-profit association created in 1991 and recognised as being of general interest. Its purpose is to organise expeditions and missions of an educational and scientific nature in the Polar Regions.