

*Conference on "Banking, insurance and financial stability"*

Closing Remarks

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Dear all, at the very end of a dense day I personally feel enriched by the many insights from the various presentations. I am sure you feel the same way. As a regulator from the insurance side I am aware of the increasing complexity stemming from the greater involvement of banks into the insurance sector (and viceversa), but the speed of interconnection process certainly makes today's timely presentations a solid pathway to fine tune our supervision activities. As per usual, and even more so with respect to the *bancassurance* theme, open questions remain; yet, the relevance of the topics covered today, such as the role of insurers' behaviour on financial markets for monetary policy, seems indisputable. I feel like this conference could be the first of many in the years to come.

Let me conclude by thanking the organizers, speakers and all participants, I wish you all a good weekend in Rome.