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In her capacity as the Director for WISE, Romina Boarini is promoting the OECD's position as a leading international institution in the area of well-being, inclusion, sustainability and equal opportunity, and contributing to strengthening OECD research and advice on the Beyond GDP Agenda; policies for well-being; inclusive growth and SDGs.

She was previously a Senior Advisor to the OECD Secretary-General and the Head of the Inclusive Growth Initiative, steering one one of the largest OECD horizontal programmes. During this period, she developed the OECD Framework for Action on Inclusive Growth and launched Business for Inclusive Growth, a coalition of 40 multinationals committed to fight inequalities.

Before joining the Office of the Secretary-General, Romina has worked as Deputy Head of the Well-Being Division of the Statistics Directorate and the Head of the Well-Being and Progress Section, where she was responsible for OECD Better Life Initiative, the statistical pillar of the OECD Inclusive Growth Initiative and the OECD Pilot Study on SDGs. She also led the Statistics Directorate's contributions to SDGs-related National Development Strategies and the project on Business and Well-Being. In her previous roles she was working as an economist in both the Economics Department and in the Employment, Labour and Social Affairs Directorate, carrying out research on structural issues as well as country-specific policy analysis.

Before joining the OECD in 2005, Ms. Boarini was a post-doctoral fellow in Sustainable Development (Chaire EDF-Ecole Polytechnique) and worked as a consultant to the French Ministry of Social Affairs. Ms. Boarini, an Italian national, holds a PhD in Economics from the Ecole Polytechnique (Paris) and her Research Interests include: Well-being, Poverty, Education and Behavioural Economics.

ABOUT THE OECD CENTRE ON WELL-BEING, INCLUSION, SUSTAINABILITY AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY (WISE)

The WISE Centre works to generate new evidence on these issues, as well as develop a new generation of tools and policy solutions to improve people's well-being. WISE also aims to advise on policy responses to the urgent challenges posed by crises like the COVID-19 pandemic, and to help align these responses with long-term objectives, like the SDGs.

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