Presentation of the UN Global Compact

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MAKING GLOBAL GOALS LOCAL BUSINESS
UN Global Compact and local networks

“Mobilising business to create the world we want”
“I have seen first-hand the power of the UN Global Compact’s Ten Principles on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. They are helping thousands of companies contribute to sustainability.”

Kofi Annan, UN Secretary-General (1997-2006)
World Economic Forum, 2009

“Since there can be no poverty eradication without generation of wealth, we should further promote the UN Global Compact, highlighting the benefits of corporate responsibility.”

António Guterres, UN Secretary-General
Secretary-General Election Vision Statement, 2016

“I propose that you, the business leaders... and we, the United Nations, initiate a global compact of shared values and principles, which will give a human face to the global market.”

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UN Global Compact

1. Worlds largest sustainability initiative

2. A global network of companies that do business responsibly by aligning their strategies and operations to the ten principles on human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption

3. Take strategic actions to advance broader societal goals, such as the UN Sustainable Development Goals, with an emphasis on collaboration and innovation.

4. Access to local networks and activities adjusted local context

A call to companies to align strategies and operations with universal principles on human rights, labor, environment and anti-corruption and take actions that advance societal goals.

United Nations Global Compact

9,800 Businesses

+ 3,000 other members

161 countries

77 Local networks

66M employees
Making Global Goals Local Business

1. Local activities for Danish signatories related to the 10 principles and the Sustainable Development Goals

2. Facilitate dialogue and learning on how to do sustainable business

3. Working groups on innovation, SDG’s and Human Rights as well as partnership with Auditors and Danish Restaurants

290 Businesses
33 organisations
4 Employees in Denmark
Global Compact 10 principles and the Sustainable Development Goals
Forward-looking companies need not wait for government regulation to do what’s right

Kofi Annan

Global Compact 10 principles

1. Virksomheder bør støtte og respektere beskyttelsen af internationalt proklamerede menneskerettigheder inden for virksomhedens indflydelsesområde.

2. Virksomheden skal sikre, at den ikke medvirker til krænkelser af menneskerettighederne.

3. Virksomheden bør opretholde frihed til organisering og anerkende arbejdstageres ret til kollektive forhandlinger.

4. Virksomheden bør støtte afskaffelsen af alle former for tvangsarbejde.

5. Virksomheden bør støtte en effektiv afskaffelse af børnearbejde.


7. Virksomheden bør støtte en forsigtighedstilgang til miljømæssige udfordringer.

8. Virksomheden bør tage initiativ til at fremme større miljømæssig ansvarlighed.


10. Virksomheden bør modarbejde alle former for korruption, inklusiv økonomi udnyttelse og afpresning.
ACT RESPONSIBLE

FIND OPPORTUNITIES

UNITED NATIONS GLOBAL COMPACT
TEN PRINCIPLES

HUMAN RIGHTS  LABOUR  ENVIRONMENT  ANTI-CORRUPTION

1. PEOPLE
2. HEALTH
3. SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH
4. QUALITY EDUCATION
5. SUSTAINABLE SOURCES AND STANDARDS
6. CLIMATE ACTION
7. LIFE below W
8. LIFE on LAND
9. PEACE AND JUSTICE
10. PARTNERSHIPS FOR GOALS
11. SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS
DO NO HARM – DO GOOD

Do Good

Proaktiv

Do no harm

Compliance

Human Rights
Labour Rights
Environment
Anti-Corruption

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Thank you!

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