



PROGRAM

MORNING

8:30	Registration and welcome coffee
9:20	Greetings by the moderator Antonio Hautle Director UN Global Compact Network Switzerland & Liechtenstein
9:30	Opening speech Helene Budliger Artieda State Secretary and Director State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO
9:45	Keynote speech Nada Al-Nashif Deputy High Commissioner for Human Rights United Nations
10:00	Plenary 1 <i>Implementation of human rights due diligence in Swiss companies – challenges and opportunities</i> Moderation: Dr. Barbara Dubach CEO & Founder engageability Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prof. Dorothee Baumann-Pauly Director Geneva Center for Business & Human Rights• Stephanie Ossenbach Group Sustainability Officer dormakaba• Rolf Beyeler Co-President of the National Contact Point Advisory Board UNIA• Kilian Wiget CEO & Founder WE ARE ZRCL
11:00	Coffee break
11:30	Parallel Workshops 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The financial sector and human rights: What are the issues at stake? (in English)• Just transition: How to ensure a green transition that respects human rights? (in English)• Doing business with China (in English)• PME et droits de l'homme - une approche progressive (en français)• Kinderarbeit - die Sorgfaltsprüfung in der Praxis durchführen (auf Deutsch)
12:45	Lunch

Further information

Website National Action Plan (NAP): <https://www.nap-bhr.admin.ch/napbhr/en/home/forum/a-propos-du-forum.html>

Simultaneous translation will be provided except for the workshops (German, French & English).

The workshops will be held under the Chatham House Rule.

AFTERNOON

14:00	Parallel Workshops 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Heightened human rights due diligence for business in conflict-affected contexts (in English)• Just transition: How to ensure a green transition that respects human rights (in English)• Engaging your suppliers to respect human rights (in English)• KMU und Menschenrechte - ein schrittweiser Ansatz (auf Deutsch)• Travail des enfants – appliquer son devoir de diligence dans la pratique (en français)
15:00	Coffee break
15:15	Keynote speech Ron Popper CEO Global Business Initiative on Human Rights
15:30	Plenary 2 <i>Global trends and increasing regulation towards mandatory human rights due diligence – future perspectives for the private sector</i> Moderation: Dr. Jerome Bellion-Jourdan Senior Fellow, Institute for Global Negotiation Senior Consultant, United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) Speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prof. Dr. Christine Kaufmann Chair OECD Working Party on Responsible Business Conduct and Professor of Law University of Zurich• Leanne Geale Executive Vice President, General Counsel Nestlé• Laurent Matile Senior Advisor, Business and Development Alliance Sud• Sandrine Giroud Partner LALIVE (founding member of the Business and Human Rights Lawyers Association)• Xavier Miserez Head of Sales MKS PAMP
16:45	Closing Remarks Alexandre Fasel State Secretary Federal Department of Foreign Affairs FDFA
17:00	End

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