



The Global Compact Network Official Launch

30 November 2011, Baku

Hyatt Hotels, Shusha Hall

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| 10.30 | Registration |
| 11.00 | Opening speeches |
| | H.E. Mr. Erling Skjønberg, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Kingdom of Norway in the Republic of Azerbaijan
Ms. Nato Alhazishvili, UNDP Deputy Resident Representative |
| 11.30 | "The UN Global Compact Corporate Citizenship in 21 st Century" – Presentation by Mr. Walid Nagi, Regional Network Manager - Europe and MENA |
| 11.45 | "A Country Case: Global Compact Turkey Network " – Presentation by Mr. Hansin Dogan, Programme Manager of UNDP Turkey |
| 12.00 | Signing of a memorandum by GC Network members. |
| 12.30 | Closure of the event. |

Background information

Global Compact (GC) is UN's mechanism for encouraging the private sector to be socially responsible by agreeing to apply in their business activities the ten universally accepted principles of Corporate Social Responsibility in the areas of human rights, labor, the environment and anti-corruption.

Global Compact local network in Azerbaijan is a group of companies, business associations and non-business organizations which declared their commitment to the GC principles. The network aims at the promotion of the GC principles and development and further introduction of the Corporate Social Responsibility in the country. It will implement various partnership projects in the fields of social investments, youth development, education, charity and others. The Official Launch of GC network in Azerbaijan is undertaken within the framework of the UNDP project funded by Statoil.