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Network Macedonia

Annual European Global Compact Local Networks Meeting
AGENDA

Tuesday, 28th of October 2014
Hotel Holiday Inn, Skopje

Conference
Social responsibility – necessity for competitive and sustainable business

10:00 – 10:30 Registration and reception

Signing of Memorandum for cooperation with the National Council for entrepreneurship and competitiveness
Media statements

10:30 – 11:10 *Opening of the Conference*

- Opening speech, Mr. Vladimir Peshevski, Deputy Prime Minister for Economic Affairs, Government of the Republic of Macedonia
- Opening remarks, Ms. Louisa Vinton, UN Resident Coordinator
- Opening remarks, Mr. Walid Nagi, Head, Local Networks, UNGC Headquarters
- Opening remarks, Mr. Goran Lazarevski, Representative of Global Compact Network Macedonia

Moderator: Ms. Nikica Kusinikova, Secretariat of the Global Compact Network Macedonia

11:10 – 11:40 *Special guest speaker*

- Dr. Yilmaz Arguden, Chair of the GC Local Network Advisory Group and Member of the Board of UN Global Compact

Session 1: Responsible Supply Chain

11:40 – 11:55 Ms. Maria Alexiou, CSR Manager, Titan Group, Global Compact Network Hellas

11:55 – 12:10 Dr. Juergen Janssen, Representative of Global Compact Network Germany

12:10 – 12:25 Ms. Borka Petrovska, Feni Industry, Global Compact signatory company

12:25 – 12:35 Discussion

Moderator: Mr. Goran Lazarevski, Representative of Global Compact Network Macedonia

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12:35 – 13:15 Lunch

Session 2: Reporting on CSR

13:15 – 13:30 Ms. Renate Lackner-Gass, Sustainability Manager at EVN Group, Global Compact Network Austria

13:30 – 13:45 Ms. Marta Tomás, Coordinator, Global Compact Network Spain

13:45 – 14:00 Discussion

Moderator: Dr. Yilmaz Arguden, Chair of the GC Local Network Advisory Group, Member of the Board of UN Global Compact and Representative of Global Compact Network Turkey

Session 3: CSR under scarce resources – panel discussion

14:00 – 14:10 Ms. Aleksandra Radinović, Marketing Manager, Sunce Marinković, Serbia

14:10 – 14:20 Ms. Marina Stefanova, Executive Director, Global Compact Network Bulgaria

14:20 – 14:30 Ms. Nina Kepeska, PR and Marketing Manager, Adora Engineering, Global Compact signatory company

14:30 – 14:35 Mr. Drazen Koteski, Director for Sales and Marketing, Donia, Global Compact signatory company

14:35 – 15:10 Panel discussion

Moderator: Ms. Iskra Tikvarovska, EVN Macedonia, Global Compact Network Macedonia

15:10 – 15:15 Closing of the conference

16:00 – Organized Skopje City Tour

20:00 – Reception and welcome dinner (courtesy of EVN Macedonia), Venue tbd

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Wednesday, 29th of October 2014
Cementarnica Usje AD Skopje (GC member company), Skopje

8:30 – Departure to Cementarnica Usje

9:00 – 10:00 *Global Compact Update and Overview*

An overview of the latest developments, including participant statistics, fundraising and major decisions taken at the XII ALNF.

- Mr. Walid Nagi, Head, Local Networks, UNGC Headquarters
- Ms. Tiina Mylly, Regional Networks Manager, Africa and Europe, UNGC Headquarters

10:00 – 10:15 Coffee break

10:15 – 12:15 *Consultation session*

Global Compact Headquarters seeks feedback from Local Networks for the Local Network Progression Model, Engagement Framework, Local Network Management Toolkit and the Local Network Award criteria.

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- Ms. Tiina Mylly, Regional Networks Manager, Africa and Europe, UNGC Headquarters
- Dr. Yilmaz Arguden, Representative of Global Compact Network Turkey and Chair of the GC Local Network Advisory Group
- Mr. Steve Kenzie, Representative of Global Compact Network UK and Deputy Chair of the GC Local Network Advisory Group

12:15 – 13:45 *Lunch and organized visit to USJE's plant (CSR in practice)*

13:45 – 14:00 *The Knowledge Sharing System*

Introduction to the recently added section of the KSS

- Ms. Tiina Mylly, Regional Networks Manager, Africa and Europe, UNGC Headquarters

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14:00 – 14:45 *SME Engagement and Reporting*

Overview of the SME signatory base and an update of the work Global Compact Headquarters has done in the area.

- Mr. Walid Nagi, Head, Local Networks, UNGC Headquarters

14:45 – 15:15 *LNAG Update*

- Dr. Yilmaz Arguden, Representative of Global Compact Network Turkey and Chair of the GC Local Network Advisory Group
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15:15 – 15:30 Coffee break

15:30 – 17:00 *Post 2015 and the future*

Update on the Post-2015 and the role of the Global Compact Headquarters and Local Networks

- Mr. Walid Nagi, Head, Local Networks, UNGC Headquarters
- Ms. Tiina Mylly, Regional Networks Manager, Africa and Europe, UNGC Headquarters

17:00 – Visit to Skopje landmark (optional/ informal)

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Thursday, 30th of October 2014
M6 Conference and training Centre¹, Skopje

- 8:30 –** Departure to M6 Conference and training Centre
- 9:00 – 10:30** *Local Network capacity building: Training on COP reporting*
- 10:30 – 10:45** Coffee break
- 10:45 – 12:00** *Local Network capacity building: Training on COP reporting (continued)*
- 12:00 – 14:00** *Sharing experiences between Local Networks*
- Strategic Planning Process
- Mr. Henrik Munthe, Contact person, Global Compact Network Nordic Countries
 - Ms. Eva Geluk, Contact person, Global Compact Network Belgium
- Preparation of COP21
- Ms. Charlotte Frérot, Contact person, Global Compact Network France
- Discussion
- Closing remarks and conclusions
- 14:00 –** Lunch

¹ The venue is conveniently located on the way to the airport. The participants with afternoon flights can bring their luggage with them in the morning and leave directly to the airport

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