

Taking stock of UNGPs implementation efforts in Latin America

Parallel session

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Short description: This multi-stakeholder session provides an opportunity for sharing experiences, challenges and lessons learned in efforts to promote implementation of the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights in Latin America. It aims to facilitate a forward-looking discussion involving perspectives of governments, civil society and business actors. Among ongoing efforts, it will address developments relating to national action plans on business and human rights in the region.

Speakers:

- Introductory remarks: Dante Pesce, UN Working Group on Business and Human Rights
- Moderator: Maurizio Lazala, Deputy Director, Business and Human Rights Resource Centre

Government perspectives

- Paula Gaviria, Presidential Advisor on Human Rights, Office of the Presidential Advisor on Human Rights, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Colombia
- Verónica Zubia, NAP coordinator, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Chile

Civil society perspectives

- Caio Borges, Coordinator, Conectas Human Rights
- Andres Aylwin, Observatorio Ciudadano Chile
- Fernanda Hopenhaym, PODER