



Committed to Human Rights

With regard to business and human rights there are many new and important developments on national and international level. Tourism businesses need to answer a number of detailed questions such as:

- *Are employees paid fairly by hotels and suppliers?*
- *Do fishermen have access to beaches despite a new hotel building?*
- *Does the local population have access to the right to water?*

The Roundtable Human Rights in Tourism is a non-profit association and international multi-stakeholder initiative promoting human rights in tourism.

We offer our members a valuable exchange of best practice and the opportunity to network through working groups, conferences and expert dialogues

Members of the Roundtable include tourism SMEs, large tourism business, travel associations, certification bodies, multipliers and NGOs.

Based on the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights we commit ourselves to human rights responsibility and due diligence.





To date we have created a number of practical and user-friendly guidance documents and tools that can be used free of charge by the tourism industry:

- A **Management Guideline** for tour operators to develop a human rights strategy
- **Specific guidelines:** Recommendations for standards in the transport sector and a Guideline for travel products in fragile contexts
- An **Online Training** to introduce human rights to experts and senior leaders within tourism business (German only).
- **Get Started Tool**



This **interactive** online tool especially helps small or medium-sized outbound tour operators and tourism companies to identify their business-related human rights risks.

Based on a simple **value chain approach**, it offers an **overview** to human rights related risks in tourism with various examples of real cases and **pragmatic guidance** on how to define priority risks and suitable measures:

humanrights-in-tourism.net/get-started

- **Human Rights Impact Assessment Tool**



Practice-oriented **step-by-step guidance** through the

process to systematically conduct a **destination specific value-chain based impact assessment**, and to develop an action plan for follow-up measures based on the impacts identified: humanrights-in-tourism.net/human-rights-impact-assessment

We encourage you to take action for human rights in tourism, participate in the work of the Roundtable and benefit from our guidance documents and information. Participation is open to all tourism industry participants that identify with and commit themselves to the principles of the Roundtable. Guests are also welcome.

Please find all materials and further information at: humanrights-in-tourism.net
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