GRI Topic Standards Project for Human Rights – Technical Committee members

2018 – 2021
Technical Committee members

In accordance with due process, the Global Sustainability Standards Board (GSSB) selected the following members to participate in the Technical Committee responsible for reviewing the approach to human rights disclosure in the GRI Standards. The members represent diverse, multi-stakeholder backgrounds and bring an excellent combination of relevant knowledge and experience in business and human rights. The Technical Committee served from 2018 to 2021.

Business constituency

Peter Hall
Senior Manager – Human Rights & Sustainability Compliance, Johnson & Johnson, Switzerland (from 2020)
Adviser on Business and Human Rights and CSR, International Organisation of Employers (IOE), Switzerland (2018-2020)

Matthias Thorns (served from 2020)
Deputy Secretary-General, International Organisation of Employers (IOE), Switzerland

Vanessa Zimmerman
Founder, Pillar Two, Australia

Civil society constituency

Tracey Davies
Director, Just Share, South Africa

Amol Mehra (served until 2020)
Executive Director, International Corporate Accountability Roundtable (ICAR), United States of America

Investment institution / Information users constituency

Margaret Wachenfeld
Managing Director, Themis Research, Belgium

Labor constituency

Kirstine Drew (served until 2019)
Senior Policy Advisor, Trade Union Advisory Committee to the OECD (TUAC), France

Dwight Justice (served from 2019)
Former Policy Advisor at International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC), Belgium

Mediating institution constituency

Tyler Gillard
Head of Due Diligence, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), France
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Caroline Rees
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