



GRI Standards – Translations

Call for Peer Reviewers for Traditional Chinese Translation

Thank you for your interest in learning more about becoming a Peer Reviewer in a GRI Standards translation project.

You can contribute to sustainable development by supporting GRI in making the GRI Standards available for a global audience.

A translation agency carries out the translations of the Standards and the Peer Reviewers' task is to review the result for accuracy and usability. The purpose is to ensure adherence to the terminology and practice by sustainability professionals in the respective native language communities. You may refer to [GRI - Delivering the GRI Standards in your language \(globalreporting.org\)](https://www.globalreporting.org) for additional details.

We are now commencing the translation of the following Standards into Traditional Chinese:

- GRI Universal Standards 2021 (GRI 1, 2 & 3)
- One Sector Standard (Oil and Gas)
- Changes to 31 Topic Standards (terms affected by the updated Universal Standards)

We aim to publish the Traditional Chinese Translation of Standards in July 2022.

Peer Reviewer role

Peer Reviewers are sustainability professionals who review the translated text for accuracy and usability. Together with other native speakers, they form a small committee to review translated documents provided by a professional translation agency.

All Peer Reviewers are expected to:

1. Read the translated glossary of terms and flag any terminology that does not accurately reflect the definition in English or that is not in line with the current business practice in the translation language. These terms will be the basis for the translation of the Standard;
2. Review the translated GRI Standards documents and assess how the language and terms are applied in the translated Standards;
3. Provide comments and other feedback on elements for adjustment by the translation agency and make additional suggestions for improvements.

Peer Reviewers will work following a work plan. According to the length and complexity of the material, Peer Reviewers will have one or two weeks to review a set of documents in each stage (there will be three stages in the process).

The GRI Standards Division and GRI Regional Office will coordinate the overall process and facilitate the discussion between the Peer Reviewers and the translation agency if needed.

There will be 3 to 4 members in the Peer Review committee and additional industry experts for the Oil and Gas Sector Standard.

Acknowledgment of Peer Reviewers

Peer Reviewers carry out their tasks on a *pro bono* basis without remuneration, but their names will be acknowledged in the published translations as well as through related GRI communications.

How to apply

If you would like to become a Peer Reviewer of a GRI Standards translation, please send us a message which includes your motivation for becoming involved. Please add your Curriculum Vitae or link to your LinkedIn profile that demonstrates how you meet the criteria listed below.

Please indicate if you are industry expert for the Oil & Gas Sector Standard.

Please send your application to translations@globalreporting.org by Monday 28 February 2022, as we aim to kick off the Peer Review process in early March 2022.

Peer Reviewers profile

Peer Reviewers will be selected according to the following set of criteria:

- native speaker of the languages of the translation project
- strong English language skills, including the ability to provide written feedback in English
- good knowledge about sustainability reporting
- experience with the GRI Standards (if applicable)
- familiarity with the needs of sustainability reporters and report users
- ability to complete the revision in the given time frame.