



# Standards Pioneers

## An exclusive online learning program for the GRI GOLD Community



The GRI Standards Pioneer is an online program created exclusively for the GOLD Community and designed to support the earliest adopters of the GRI Standards. Through a series of webinars, the program will provide you with special insights on the GRI Standards enabling you to share experiences and approaches with other organizations and with GRI.

The webinar series targets early adopters of the GRI Standards with the goal of providing cutting edge and practical information to support you through your 2017 reporting cycle. These webinars are an opportunity to gain first hand knowledge from the architects of the GRI Standards through in-depth presentations, experts insights and interactive Q&A sessions with the GRI Standards Department. The webinar series will enable you to become an expert in Standards reporting and position your organization at the forefront of reporting as an early adopters of the Standards.

The Standards Pioneer Program will be an opportunity for:

- Transitioning to the GRI Standards within a supportive, interactive setting
- Better reporting with the new GRI Standards
- Peer connecting with others in sustainability reporting
- Demonstrating leadership in reporting within an organization's location, industry and sector
- Access to exclusive benefits and supportive resources

**Make the most of your membership  
Register for the Standards Pioneers online sessions!**

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### LEARN FROM EXPERTS

- Online learning series, providing how-to and expert views
- Exclusive direct access to the experts of the Standards
- Peer learning and networking with other organizations
- Opportunity to discuss GRI Standards contents

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### PROFILE YOUR ORGANIZATION

- Showcase your profile on GRI's website with logo recognition
- Profiling opportunities during the Standards Launch events and on the GRI website, for example CEO/C-suite quote on benefits of GRI reporting

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### BECOME A PIONEER OF THE STANDARDS

- Be one of the first reporters publishing a Standards Report
- Profile your organization as a Standards Pioneer

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## Program Overview

The program is divided into three modules:

- **Module 1: Introduction**

The first module provided a kick off to the program. Listen to the recordings here: [November](#) / [December](#) 2016.

- **Module 2: Overview**

This module offered three online sessions during April and May 2017 and gave a first hands-on approach to the Standards.

- **Module 3: Expert views**

This module offers four online sessions during October and November 2017 with comprehensive expert views on relevant topic-specific standards, focusing on social, environment and economic topic specific standard.

Live webinars will be held twice a day to accommodate different time zones. Presentations from past webinars will be made available to Standards Pioneers on the GOLD private pages.



## Participation Commitments

The Standards Pioneers are committed to issue a GRI Standards report in the next reporting cycle and to participate in at least 3 online sessions.

The Standards Pioneer is a free Program offered exclusively to the GOLD Community members. Up to two members from each company can participate in the webinars. The registration link for each webinar will be shared with you prior to each session.

### GET IN TOUCH

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