



Chinese American Parent-Student Council of New York City

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Dear Friends:

I am pleased to confirm that Chinese American Parent-Student Council (CAPSC) reaffirms its support to the United Nations Global Compact and its Ten Principles in the areas of Human Rights, Labour, Environment and Anti-Corruption. This is CAPSC's Communication on Engagement with the United Nations Global Compact. We welcome feedback on its contents.

In this Communication of Engagement, we describe the actions that CAPSC has taken to support the UN Global Compact and its Principles as suggested for an organization like ours. We also commit to sharing this information with our stakeholders using our primary channels of communication.

Sincerely yours,

Yen Chou
President & Founder

PART II: DESCRIPTION OF ACTIONS/EVENTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE ORGANIZATION

- In March 2015, CAPSC, in addition to assisting the organization of the Ebola Relief Concert at the UN, convened a special discussion forum with companies and entrepreneurs to discuss various humanitarian efforts, calling for more collaboration and action among the public and private sectors with respect to environmentally friendly practices as well as support towards the UN CEO Water Mandate.
- In August 2015, CAPSC hosted a discussion panel featuring senior managers of small and medium enterprises (SMEs) who have integrated social responsibility into their business strategies and operations. This event allowed all stakeholders to gain a better insight on corporate sustainability and its immediate effects on communities, employees, and customers and gave an opportunity for knowledge sharing and cooperation/collaboration exchanges among business leaders and entrepreneurs.
- In October 2015, CAPSC organized a multi-stakeholder engagement luncheon with the Venerable Master Hsin Tao, a prominent dharma master, to discuss how businesses can contribute to interfaith dialogue, human rights, and peace development globally as well as corporate social responsibility.
- In conjunction with a press conference that CAPSC held in July 2015 in China & October 2015 in the United States to announce an initiative organized with UN Women to raise awareness of gender equality and women's empowerment, CAPSC convened a roundtable with young entrepreneurs and business leaders to discuss gender equality, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), corporate social responsibility, and the UN Global Compact.

PART III: MEASUREMENT OF OUTCOMES

CAPSC is committed to incorporating the principles of the UN Global Compact in many of its initiatives. The organization's programs, initiatives, and promotional efforts have attracted the attendance of more than 100 business leaders and entrepreneurs from a wide range of industries and professions. We are optimistic that as a result of our endeavors, it has translated to more businesses being cognitively aware of the UN Global Compact principles and led to the increased support of companies towards the mission and work of UN Global Compact.

Along with members of the business community, the organization has actively participated in local Global Compact events and webinars when feasibly possible.