

COMMUNICATION ON ENGAGEMENT (COE)



Fundacja
Kaleckiego

Period covered by this Communication on Engagement
From: 14/07/2016 To: 14/07/2018

Part I. Statement of Continued Support by the Chief Executive or Equivalent

12/07/2018

To our stakeholders,

I am pleased to confirm that the Kalecki Foundation 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 our 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 our organization 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,

Anna Gromada
On behalf of the Foundation Board

Part II. Description of Actions

Since the Foundation joined the Global Compact member on the 14th of July 2016, it has been incorporating the GC principles into internal operations as well as outside functioning in such spheres as academia, policy advocacy, the media and collaboration with other non-profits.

During this time, we

1. incorporated the GC principles into internal operations
2. Promoted the GC and its principles through:
 - Delivery of education on topics related to the Global Compact
 - Conduct of applied research and thought leadership to advance best practices
3. Promoted the UN Global Compact Ten Principles and educate a variety of audiences about sustainability.

In particular we focused on two principles:

- Principle 6: the elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation.
- Principle 3: Businesses should uphold the freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining.

Part III. Measurement of Outcomes

1. We published in 23 Poland's media outlets of various sizes and target audiences (Gazeta Wyborcza, Gazeta.pl, Rzeczpospolita, Krytyka Polityczna, Kultura Liberalna, Tok FM, Wysokie Obcasy, Polityka, Newsweek, Dziennik Opinii, Money.pl, Forsal.pl, Business Insider Polska, Oko.Press, Magazyn Kontakt, Polskie Radio, Program 1 Polskie Radio, Radio Lublin, Magazyn Pismo, Onet.pl, Res Publica, RDC, Telewizja Republika, Wyborcza.Biz, Mała Kultura Współczesna, Dwutygodnik). For most of them, we prepared more than one (usually 2-10) media materials on such issues as social rights, gender equality, sustainable economic growth and many others.
2. We wrote 3 reports on the sustainability: one on the sustainability of Poland's pension system, second on the sustainable economic growth envisioned in the Morawiecki Plan, third one on the sustainability of the eurozone.
3. We organised 4 debates at the Warsaw University on the topics of sustainable economic policy and 1 debate on the future of the euro.
4. Participated in 1 debate on New Etatism.

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5. We published 5 user-friendly infographics illustrating such topics as air pollution, regional differences in unemployment or differences between economic and social development.
6. We wrote 6 chapters in books on social and economic policy published by the Ebert Foundation and Krytyka Polityczna
7. In 2018, one of the Kalecki Foundation board members has become a Policy Consultant at the United Nations Children's Fund thereby strengthening the link between the NGO and the United Nations.