

COMMUNICATION ON ENGAGEMENT (COE)

Period covered by this Communication on Engagement: March 2019 to March 2021

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

From: Lance Pierce, Chief Executive Officer

To: Our stakeholders

I am pleased to confirm that NetHope 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,

Lance Pierce CEO

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Part II. Description of Actions

Describe the actions your organization has taken in support of the Global Compact. It is strongly recommended that the actions taken are related to one or more of the specific activities suggested.

Part III. Measurement of Outcomes

Include the most relevant qualitative and/or quantitative indicators to measure the outcome of the activities described in Part II.

ACTIONS	OUTCOMES
NetHope posted a comprehensive webinar education series in 2019 & 2020 on the ethical use of artificial intelligence & machine learning in the international development/NGO sector	1,000 practitioners in the international development/NGO sector were trained on the ethical use of Al/machine learning.
Partnered with Cisco's corporate social responsibility program to provide equipment and Internet connectivity to nonprofit organizations responding to climate change and climate change-induced disasters.	Networking equipment and Internet connectivity have (and continue) to be provided to refugee communities, internally displaced people, and homeless shelters across Latin America. Centra Europe, and Eastern Africa.
Provided capacity building training to women rights groups to enable better access and use of digital financial services to increase digital inclusion and access to microfinance and other poverty-reducing services.	Hundreds of women rights groups received training and access to mobile money-based services across sub-Saharan Africa including in Nigeria, Uganda, Kenya, and Rwanda.
Called attention to trafficking in persons (TIP) by designing a technology-based pilot to gather multilevel stakeholders to implement broad anti-trafficking activities.	In partnership with World Vision, scores of organizations used application to report on suspected trafficking activities across Albania and Russia.

