

# PEER LEARNING GROUPS

Bringing together sustainability professionals to connect, share and learn



## **PROGRAMME OVERVIEW**

Facing tough challenges in the constantly evolving world of sustainability and feeling the pressure from both consumers and shareholders, sustainability professionals across the globe are looking for opportunities to connect with their peers for insights and knowledge sharing.

Peer Learning Groups at the UN Global Compact create a safe space for companies to share their challenges, ideas for the future, and insights into emerging good practice with like-minded professionals, while gaining access to industry experts and unique networking opportunities.

Run in collaboration with Global Compact Local Networks, Peer Learning Groups in 2024 will focus on six priority issue tracks — climate action, gender equality, living wage, water resilience, finance & investment and SMEs — with the goal of moving companies forward in taking ambitious action on these issues.

### PRIORITY ISSUE TRACKS













#### WHAT YOU WILL GAIN

- A safe space for challenging and courageous conversations, facilitated by thematic expert
- A community, network and support system of sustainability professionals and industry experts
- Knowledge, insights and inspiration to advance your company's sustainability journey

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

To participate in UN Global Compact Peer Learning Groups, companies are required to meet the following criteria:

- Be a participant of the UN Global Compact in good standing
- Currently engaged with a Global Compact Local Network in your country or willing to join
- Able to appoint two representatives that can commit to joining 4 to 6 sessions annually
- Willing to candidly share, learn and engage with peers. Active participation and active listening are key to peer-to-peer learning

Companies of all sizes and levels of advancement are encouraged to apply.

# **TIMELINE**

Company registration: 24 January 2024 - 25 March 2024

Programme begins:
April 2024
(Please check exact dates with your Global Compact Local Network)

## **READY TO JOIN?**

Participation in Peer Learning Groups is available to companies of participating Local Networks on a first come, first serve basis. We encourage you to apply early. To find out if your Local Network participates in this year's Peer Learning Groups and to apply, visit <a href="mailto:unglobalcompact.org/peerlearning">unglobalcompact.org/peerlearning</a>.