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Global Impact Sourcing Coalition (GISC)

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BSR: Global Nonprofit Business Network

We are a global nonprofit organization that works with our network of more than 250 member companies and other partners to build a just and sustainable world. From our offices in Asia, Europe, and North America, we develop sustainable business strategies and solutions through consulting, research, and cross-sector collaboration.





Members: Global Impact Sourcing Coalition

Influential global buyers and providers of business services





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$oldsymbol{\Theta}$ Our Vision and Mission

Vision: Our vision is that all people in the world have the opportunity to obtain productive employment and decent work.

Mission: Our mission is to build more inclusive global supply chains through advancing wide-scale adoption of impact sourcing.

Impact Sourcing Defined

Impact Sourcing is a business practice where a company prioritizes suppliers that intentionally hire and provide career development opportunities to people who otherwise have limited prospects for formal employment.



The business case for Impact Sourcing comprises six key elements



Source: Everest Group (2016)

"The Case for Impact Sourcing" (2014). Available at: https://www.rockefellerfoundation.org/report/the-case-for-impact-sourcing/.



What We Do

We will achieve our mission and serve our members through three pillars.

CREATING A BETTER MARKET



IS Standard & Assurance Establishing Impact Sourcing as a trusted business practice and offering to buyers.



Partnerships & Ecosystem Facilitating partnerships and collaborative actions to advance impact sourcing.

BUILDING COMPANY CAPACITY



Buyers' IS Principles

Providing buyers' with a consistent approach and guidance to scale up impact sourcing



Impact Sourcing Toolkit Increasing company capacity through disseminating tools and resources

INCREASING AWARENESS AND DEMAND



Research & Business Case

Demonstrating the value of impact sourcing to business and society



Communication & Demand Raising awareness and increasing global demand for impact sourcing



What's Next: GISC 2018 Priorities

Impact Sourcing Standard • Broad roll out of Impact Sourcing Standard, assurance and promotion of companies in compliance with the Standard.

Impact Sourcing Challenge The Global Impact Sourcing Coalition is calling on its members to hire 100,000 impact workers by the end of 2020.

IS Supplier Directory Develop the worlds first IS Supplier Directory (IT-platform) that connects corporate buyers to suppliers committed to impact sourcing.

Buyers' Impact Sourcing Principles • Develop a set of 'Buyers' Impact Sourcing Principles' that lay out the steps buyers should take to enable their providers to scale up their inclusive hiring practices.



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👯 Why Join?

- Social Impact: Learn how to create jobs in your supply chain that achieve social impact for workers, families and communities
- **Tools:** Gain access to tested tools and methodologies to scale up impact sourcing
- **Knowledge Exchange:** Share global impact sourcing best practices with peers
- Leadership: Demonstrate leadership by joining members in the IS Challenge to hire 100,000 impact workers by the end of 2020
- **Reputation Enhancement**: Demonstrate your commitment to inclusive sourcing
- Vendor development: Access the world's only Impact Sourcing Directory of suppliers committed to impact sourcing to increase your vendor options.



Thank you!

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