



Webinar hosted by Acorn International

Managing Nuanced Human Rights Risks in Extraordinary Times

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From 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. CST

Webinars abound on emerging human rights legislation and high-profile risks for business and investors. What goes less noticed, and may represent a greater risk over time, are the everyday human rights issues that are prevalent even in US businesses. How aware are your clients about human trafficking, conditions analogous to slavery, and equitable access to information concerns? Where do their responsibilities for respecting human rights end and governments' responsibility for protecting those rights begin? How far down the supply chain is far enough for a company to perform human rights due diligence?

As social scientists with human rights assessment expertise worldwide, we have practical perspectives, lessons learned and case studies that are important supplements to understanding emerging international human rights legislation. This webinar is intended to offer attorneys practicing or considering practicing in the human rights field a deeper and broader perspective on how nuanced human rights risks affect and can be managed by businesses in the US and worldwide.

Acorn International's human rights experts will be joined by guest speaker **Ravishankar Krish**, **Director-Worldwide Environmental Affairs & Corporate Responsibility for Oxy**, to share industry perspectives on these challenges.

Participants can expect to hear and discuss:

- Implications of game-changing events of 2020 on how we think about nuanced human rights;
- Overview of human rights challenges as current risks to your clients;
- Current best practices for managing these risks;
- Case studies of risk mitigation (good and bad);
- Facilitated discussion: *what actions should be taken, best practices and how much due diligence is enough?*

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