

Update on the process to elaborate a legally binding instrument on business and human rights

A Side Event at the 14th Annual Forum on Business and Human Rights

Light lunch will be provided

**Date**

Monday 24 Nov
2025

**Time**

13:15 - 14:45

**Location**

Palais des Nations
Room Tempus (in
person)

Organized by:

The Permanent Mission of Ecuador to the UN Office
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With the co-sponsorship of:

The South Centre and Friedrich Ebert Stiftung

About the Event

Join us for an essential update on the State-led negotiations for a legally binding instrument (LBI) on business and human rights. This event will provide a briefing on the outcomes of the 11th session of the OEIGWG, including the completion of the first reading of the updated draft LBI (articles 12-24) and the 2026 roadmap.

Key Objectives

- Provide an update on progress from the 11th session of the OEIGWG.
- Exchange views on the 2025 intersessional thematic consultations and their contribution to the process.
- Identify avenues to foster stronger multi-stakeholder engagement for the next phases of the negotiation.

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