
Abbreviations

ANSA	armed non-state actor
BBO	backbone organization
BHR	business and human rights
CAS	conflict-affected setting
CBO	community-based organization
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women
CHRB	Corporate Human Rights Benchmark
COBHRA	community-based human rights impact assessment
CRC	Convention on the Rights of the Child
CRIA	child rights impact assessment
CSO	civil society organization
CSR	corporate social responsibility
DIHR	Danish Institute for Human Rights
EIA	environmental impact assessment
EITI	Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative
EMP	environmental management plan
ERM	enterprise risk management
ESDD	environmental and social due diligence
ESG	environment, social and governance
ESHIA	environmental, social and health impact assessment
ESIA	environmental and social impact assessment
ESMF	environmental and social management framework
ESMP	environmental and social management plan
ESPP	environmental and social protection policy
EU	European Union
FPIC	free, prior and informed consent
FTA	free trade agreement
GNI	Global Network Initiative
GRM	grievance redress mechanism
HIA	health impact assessment
HRBA	human-rights-based approach

HRDD	human rights due diligence
HRIA	human rights impact assessment
HRRA	human rights risk assessment
IA	impact assessment
IACtHR	Inter-American Court of Human Rights
IAIA	International Association for Impact Assessment
ICCPR	International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
ICESCR	International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
ICT	information and communication technologies
IFC	International Finance Corporation
IFI	international financial institution
IHL	international humanitarian law
IHRB	Institute for Human Rights and Business
IHRL	international human rights law
ILO	International Labour Organization
MDB	multilateral development bank
MNC	multinational corporation
NCP	national contact point
NGO	non-governmental organization
NHRI	national human rights institution
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OHCHR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
PPM	processes and production method
PPP	public-private partnership
PSIA	poverty and social impact analysis
RIA	regulatory impact assessment
SDGs	Sustainable Development Goals
SEA	strategic environmental assessment
SESA	strategic environmental and social assessment
SIA	social impact assessment
SPV	special purpose vehicle
SWIA	sector-wide impact assessment
ToR	terms of reference
TSIA	trade sustainability impact assessment
UDHR	Universal Declaration of Human Rights
UN	United Nations

UNDRIP	United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples
UNGC	United Nations Global Compact
UNGPs	United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights
UNHRC	United Nations Human Rights Council
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
VFM	value for money
WHO	World Health Organization
WTO	World Trade Organization

