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- World Investment Forum 15 Year Anniversary: Achievements and Challenges Ahead
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- Investment Trends and monitoring capacities across 10 SDG sectors (UNCTAD/DIAE/MISC/2019/4)

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- GITM 28: Global FDI Flows Slipped Further in 2017 (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2018/1)
- GITM 27: Foreign Direct Investment and Economic Zones in ASEAN (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2017/5)



- GITM Special Edition: Investment and Trade in Services: The Out-sized of Holding and Intra-Firm Services, June 2017
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- ASEAN Investment Report 2017: FDI and Economic Zones in ASEAN, ASEAN Secretariat and UNCTAD



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- Special issue no.4 (2020): Investment Policy Responses to the Covid-19 Pandemic
- Special issue no.3 (2019): National Security-Related Screening Mechanisms for Foreign Investment: An Analysis of Recent Policy Developments
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- No. 1 (2007). Intellectual Property Provisions in International Investment Arrangements
- No. 4 (2006). Latest Developments in Investor-State Dispute Settlement
- No. 3 (2006). The Entry into Force of Bilateral Investment Treaties (BITs)
- No. 2 (2006). Developments in International Investment Agreements in 2005
- No. 1 (2006). Systemic Issues in International Investment Agreements (IIAs)
- No. 4 (2005). Latest Developments in Investor-State Dispute Settlement
- No. 2 (2005). Recent Developments in International Investment Agreements
- No. 1 (2005). South–South Investment Agreements Proliferating



2.4.2 Ad Hoc Documents

- Non-binding Guiding Principles for Investment Policies (2023)
- Policy brief on international investment agreements and climate action (2022)
- Handbook on Special Economic Zones in Africa: Towards Economic Diversification across the Continent (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2021/3)
- International Investment Agreements and their Implications for Tax Measures: What tax policymakers need to know (2021)
- International Investment Agreements Reform Accelerator (2020)
- Guiding Principles for Investment Policymaking for the countries of the D-8 Organization for Economic Cooperation. (2020)
- UNCTAD Reform Package for the International Investment Regime (2018)
- UNCTAD Reform Package for the International Investment Regime (2017)
- Global Action Menu for Investment Facilitation (2016) (available in English, Spanish and French)
- Investment Facilitation: A Review of Policy Practices (2017)
- Policy options for IIA reform: treaty examples and data (supplementary material to World Investment Report 2015)
- APEC handbook for IIAs negotiators (2013)

2.4.3 UNCTAD Series on International Investment Policies for Development

- Investor–State Disputes: Prevention and Alternatives to Arbitration: Proceedings of Symposium held on 29 March 2010 (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/IA/2010/8)
- Investor–State Disputes: Prevention and Alternatives to Arbitration (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2009/11)
- The Role of International Investment Agreements in Attracting Foreign Direct Investment to Developing Countries (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2009/5)
- The Protection of National Security in IIAs (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2008/5)
- International Investment Rule-making: Stocktaking, Challenges and the Way Forward (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2007/3)



- Identifying Core Elements in Investment Agreements in the APEC Region (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2008/3)
- Investment Promotion Provisions in International Investment Agreements (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2007/7)
- Investor–State Dispute Settlement and Impact on Investment Rulemaking (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2007/3)
- Investment Provisions in Economic Integration Agreements (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2005/10)
- Preserving Flexibility in IIAs: The Use of Reservations (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2005/8)
- International Investment Agreements: Trends and Emerging Issues (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2005/11)
- Investor-State Disputes Arising from Investment Treaties: A Review (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2005/4)
- South-South Cooperation in International Investment agreements (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2005/3)
- International Investment Agreements in Services (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2005/2)
- The REIO Exception in MFN treatment Clauses (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/7)

2.4.4 UNCTAD Series on Issues in International Investment Agreements

- International Investment Agreements: Key Issues, Volumes I, II and III (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/10 (Vol. III), UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/10 (Vol. II), UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/10 (Vol. I)).
- State Contracts (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/11)
- Competition (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/6)
- Key Terms and Concepts in IIAs: a Glossary (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2004/2)
- Incentives (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2003/5)
- Transparency (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2003/4)
- Dispute Settlement: Investor-State (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2003/5)
- Dispute Settlement: State-State (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/2003/1)
- Transfer of Technology (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/28)
- Home Country Measures (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/24)
- Illicit Payments (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/25)



- Host Country Operational Measures (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/26)
- Social Responsibility (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/22)
- Environment (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/23)
- Transfer of Funds (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/20)
- Flexibility for Development (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/18)
- National Treatment (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/11 Vol.IV)
- Taxation (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/16)
- Employment (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/19)
- Taking of Property (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/15)
- Admission and Establishment (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/10 Vol.II)
- Trends in International Investment Agreements: An Overview (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/13)
- Lessons from the MAI (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/Misc.22)
- Fair and Equitable Treatment (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/11 Vol.III)
- Transfer Pricing (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/11 Vol.I)
- Scope and Definition
- Most-Favoured Nation Treatment (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/10 Vol.III)
- Foreign Direct Investment and Development (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/10 Vol.I)
- Investment-Related Trade Measures (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/10 Vol.IV)

Issue Series II

- Investor-State Dispute Settlement: A Sequel
- Transparency: A Sequel
- Expropriation: A Sequel
- Scope and Definition: A Sequel
- Most-Favoured-Nation Treatment: A Sequel
- Fair and Equitable Treatment: A Sequel

2.4.5 Bilateral Investment Treaties (BITs)

- BITs 1995–2006: Trends in Investment Rulemaking
- BITs 1959-1999 (2000)
- BITs in the mid-1990s (1998)



2.4.6 International Investment Instruments: A Compendium

- Vol. XIV (2005)
- Vol. XIII (2005)
- Vol. XII (2002)
- Vol. XI (2002)
- Vol. X (2002)
- Vol. IX (2002)
- Vol. VIII (2002)
- Vol. VII (2002)
- Vol. VI (2002)
- Vol. V, Regional Integration, Bilateral and Non-governmental Instruments (2000)
- Vol. IV, Multilateral and Regional Instruments (2000)
- Vol. III, Regional Integration, Bilateral and Non-governmental Instruments (1996)
- Vol. II, Regional Instruments (1996)
- Vol. I, Multilateral Instruments (1996)

2.5 Investment Policy Reviews (IPR)

2.5.1 Investment Policy Review Series

- West African Economic and Monetary Union (WAEMU)
(UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2023/2)
- Togo (UNCTAD/DIAE/2023/2)
- Seychelles (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2020/1)
- Côte d'Ivoire (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2019/5)
- Angola (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2019/4)
- Armenia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2019/3)
- Chad (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2019/1)
- Lebanon (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2017/11)
- Cabo Verde (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2018/2)



- South-East Europe (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2017/6)
- The Gambia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2017/5)
- Tajikistan (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2016/1)
- Madagascar (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2015/4)
- Kyrgyzstan (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2015/3)
- Bosnia and Herzegovina (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2015/1)
- Sudan (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2014/5)
- République du Congo (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2014/4)
- Bangladesh (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/4)
- Mongolia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/3)
- Republic of Moldova (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/5)
- Djibouti (Summary) (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/1)
- Djibouti (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/1)
- The Investment Policy Reviews - Shaping investment policies around the world (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2011/9)
- Mozambique (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2012/1)
- The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2011/3)
- Guatemala (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/9)
- El Salvador (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/20)
- Sierra Leone (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/14)
- Belarus (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/10)
- Burundi (UNCTAD/PCB/2009/17)
- Burkina Faso (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/4)
- All Investment Policy Reviews (CD - Rom) (UNCTAD/ITE/PCB/2008/4/CD)
- Mauritania (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2008/5)
- Nigeria (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2008/1)
- Dominican Republic (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2007/9)
- Viet Nam (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2007/10)
- Zambia (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/14)
- Morocco (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/16)
- Rwanda (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/11)
- Colombia (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2005/11)
- Kenya (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2005/8)



- Benin (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2004/4)
- Sri Lanka (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2003/8)
- Lesotho (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2003/4)
- Algeria (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2003/9)
- Nepal (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc/2003/1)
- Ghana (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.14/Rev.1)
- Botswana (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.10)
- Ethiopia (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.4)
- United Republic of Tanzania (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.9)
- Mauritius (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.1)
- Ecuador (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.2)
- Peru (UNCTAD/ITE/IIP/Misc.19)
- Uganda (UNCTAD/ITE/IPP/Misc.17)
- Egypt (UNCTAD/ITE/IIP/Misc.11)
- Uzbekistan (UNCTAD/ITE/IIP/Misc.13)

2.5.2 Implementation Reports and Other Studies

- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Mauritania (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2023/1)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Tajikistan (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2022/1)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Uzbekistan (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2021/3)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Ecuador (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2021/2)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Nepal (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2019/6)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Nigeria (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2018/6)
- Investment Policy Review Implementation Report: Lessons Learned (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2018/3)



- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Mauritius (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2017/9)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Dominican Republic (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2016/2)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Botswana (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2016/4)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Benin (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2016/3)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Morocco (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2015/2)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Colombia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2014/1)
- Report on the implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Zambia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2014/2)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Lesotho (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/6)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review for Kenya (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2012/6)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review for Rwanda (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2011/8/rwanda)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review of Ethiopia (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/7)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review of the United Republic of Tanzania (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/6)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review: Ghana (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/5)
- The Investment Policy Review Programme: A Framework for Attracting and Benefiting from FDI (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2008/3)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review: Uganda (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/15)
- Report on the Implementation of the Investment Policy Review for Egypt (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/1)
- Investment compass users' guide (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2005/10)



- Algérie: Evaluation des capacités de promotion des investissements de l'ANDI (UNCTAD/WEB/ITE/IPC/2005/8)

2.6 Investment Advisory Series B - FDI Case Studies

- How to Prevent and Manage Investor-State Disputes - Lessons from Peru (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/PCB/2011/9)
- How to Utilize FDI to Improve Transport Infrastructure - Ports: Lessons from Nigeria (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2011/8)
- How to Attract and Benefit from FDI in Mining - Lessons from Canada and Chile (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/11)
- How to Attract and Benefit from FDI in Small Countries - Lessons from Estonia and Jamaica (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/4)
- How to Integrate FDI and Skill Development - Lessons from Canada and Singapore (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/5)
- How to Create and Benefit from FDI-SME Linkages - Lessons from Malaysia and Singapore (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/18)
- How Post-Conflict Countries Can Attract and Benefit from FDI - Lessons from Croatia and Mozambique (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/15)
- How to Utilize FDI to Improve Transport Infrastructure – Roads - Australia and Peru (2009)
- How to Utilize FDI to Improve Infrastructure – Electricity - Chile and New Zealand (2009)

3. INVESTMENT PROMOTION AND FACILITATION

3.1 Investment Promotion Agency Observer

- IPA Observer 14: Investment Promotion and its Impact on Gender Equality: Moving the Needle on SDG 5 (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2023/6)
- IPA Observer 13: Investment Promotion in LDCs: A Needs Assessment (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2022/2)



- IPA Observer 12: The Digital Transformation of Investment Promotion Agencies (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2022/9)
- The IPA Observer No. 11: Promoting investment in health post-pandemic: A global trend? (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2021/4)
- The IPA Observer No. 10: Mainstreaming gender equality in investment promotion, (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2020/7)
- The IPA Observer No.9 Special Issue: Post-COVID-19: Investment Promotion Agencies and the “New Normal.”, (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2020/5)
- The IPA Observer No.8 Special Issue: Investment promotion agencies: striving to overcome the covid-19 challenge, (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2020/2)
- The IPA Observer No. 7: Promoting Investment for Sustainable Development in Cities, (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/INF/2019/1)
- The IPA Observer No. 6: Investment Facilitation: The perfect match for investment promotion, (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/PCB/2017/4)
- The IPA Observer No. 5: Promoting Green FDI: Practices and Lessons from the Field (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/PCB/2015/6)
- The IPA Observer No. 4: Outward Investment Agencies: Partners in Promoting Sustainable Development (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/PCB/2015/4)
- The IPA Observer No. 3: Skills and Foreign Direct Investment Promotion: What Can an Investment Promotion Agency Do? (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/PCB/2014/2)
- The IPA Observer No.2: Investment Promotion in an Era of GVCs: Maximizing impact through business linkages (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/2013/1)
- The IPA Observer No.1: Optimizing Government Services: A Case for Joint Investment and Trade Promotion? (UNCTAD/WEB/DIAE/PCB/2013/1)

3.2 Investment Advisory Series A - Investment Promotion

- Investment Advisory Series No. 10: Facilitating investment in the Sustainable Development Goals
- Investment Advisory Series No. 9: Investing in the Sustainable Development Goals: The Role of Diplomats (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2021/1)
- Investment Advisory Series No. 8: Promoting Investment in the Sustainable Development Goals (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2018/4)



- Investment Advisory Series No. 7: Promoting Low-Carbon Investment (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2013/2)
- Investment Advisory Series No. 6: Investment Promotion Handbook for Diplomats (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2011/2)
- Investment Advisory Series No. 5: Promoting Foreign Investment in Tourism (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/16)
- Investment Advisory Series No.4: Promoting Investment and Trade: Practices and Issues (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/9)
- Investment Advisory Series No. 3: Evaluating Investment Promotion Agencies (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2008/2)
- Investment Advisory Series No. 2: Investment Promotion Agencies as Policy Advocates (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2007/6)
- Investment Advisory Series No. 1: Aftercare: A Core Function in Investment Promotion (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2007/1)

3.3 ASIT Advisory Studies

- A Survey of Support by Investment Promotion Agencies to Linkages, Advisory Studies No. 18 (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2005/12)
- The world of investment promotion at a glance: A survey of investment promotion, ASIT Advisory Studies, No. 17 (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/3)
- Tax incentives and foreign direct investment: A global survey, ASIT Advisory Studies, No. 16 (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc.3)
- Investment regimes in the Arab world: Issues and Policies, ASIT Advisory Studies, No. 15 (2000)
- Handbook on Outward Investment Agencies and Institutions, ASIT Advisory Studies, No. 14 (1999)
- Survey of best practices in investment promotion, ASIT Advisory Studies (1997)

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- The Impact of International Tax Reforms on Special Economic Zones (UNCTAD/DIAE/INF/2023/1)



- Joint Report by the Office to the President of the Republic of Armenia and UNCTAD: Investment Promotion Strategy in times of the global crisis and beyond (2020)
- UNCTAD- UN Habitat Discussion Paper on Special Economic Zones and Urbanization (UNCTAD-UNHabitat/2020/1) (2020)
- Investing in the Sustainable Development Goals: The Role of Diplomats (issues note) (2019)
- Mobilizing Investment for the Sustainable Development Goals: A Strategic Approach (UNCTAD/DIAE/MISC/2017/5)
- La Promoción de Inversión Extranjera en las Regiones del Perú (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/3)
- Good governance in investment promotion and facilitation programme booklet (2004)

3.4 Blue Book on Best Practice in Investment Promotion and Facilitation

- Nigeria (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2009/7)
- Zambia (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/Misc/2006/3)
- Ghana (UNCTAD/ITE/IPC/2006/13)
- Kenya (dite_pcbb_iprs0003) (2005)
- Tanzania (dite_pcbb_iprs0004) (2005)
- Uganda (dite_pcbb_iprs0005) (2005)
- Cambodia (dite_pcbb_iprs0001) (2005)
- Lao PDR (dite_pcbb_iprs0002) (2005)

3.5 Investment Guides

- iGuide: Antigua and Barbuda
- iGuide: Bangladesh
- iGuide: Barbados
- iGuide: Benin
- iGuide: Bhutan
- iGuide: Burkina Faso
- iGuide: Burundi
- iGuide: Cambodia



- iGuide: Curaçao
- iGuide: Comoros
- iGuide: Congo, Republic of the
- iGuide: East African Community
- iGuide: Ethiopia
- iGuide: Jamaica
- iGuide: Kenya
- iGuide: Lao People's Democratic Republic
- iGuide: Madagascar
- iGuide: Malawi
- iGuide: Mali
- iGuide: Mauritania
- iGuide: Mongolia
- iGuide: Morocco
- iGuide: Morocco, The Oriental Region
- iGuide: Mauritania
- iGuide: Mozambique
- iGuide: Nepal
- iGuide: Nigeria
- iGuide: Rwanda
- iGuide: Saint Lucia
- iGuide: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
- iGuide: Tanzania
- iGuide: The Silk Road Region
- iGuide: Uganda
- iGuide: Uzbekistan
- iGuide: Zambia

Publications

- Investment Guide to the Silk Road (UNCTAD/DIAE/2014/3)
- An Investment Guide to the Oriental Region of Morocco - Opportunities and Conditions (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/10)



- Investment Guide to Rwanda, Opportunities and Condition (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2012/4)
- Guide de l'Investissement au Burkina Faso, Opportunités et Conditions (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2012/3)
- An Investment Guide to Kenya, Opportunities and Conditions (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2012/2)
- An Investment Guide to Zambia - Opportunities and conditions (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/8)
- An Investment guide to the Lao People's Democratic Republic - Opportunities and Conditions 2010 (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2010/02)
- The Silk Road (UNCTAD/DIAE/IA/2009/6)
- Rwanda (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2006/3)
- Mali: Opportunities and Conditions (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2006/2)
- The East African Community (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2005/4)
- Kenya (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2005/2)
- Tanzania (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2005/3)
- Uganda: Opportunities and Conditions (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2004/3)
- Mauritania (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2004/4)
- Ethiopia: Opportunities and Conditions (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2004/2)
- Cambodia (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2003/6)
- Nepal (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/2003/2)
- Mozambique (UNCTAD/ITE/IIA/4)
- Bangladesh (UNCTAD/ITE/IIT/Misc.29)

4. RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT

4.1 Principles for Responsible Agricultural Investment

- The Impact of Larger-Scale Agricultural Investments on Local Communities: Updated Voices from the Field (WB/UNCTAD/2017)
- Investment Contracts for Agriculture: Maximizing Gains and Minimizing Risks (WBG/2015/DP3)



- The Practice of Responsible Investment Principles in Larger-Scale Agricultural Investments - Implications for corporate performance and impact on local communities (WBG/2014/DP3)
- Principles for Responsible Agricultural Investment that Respects Rights, Livelihoods and Resources (2011)
- Report to G20 Development Working Group: Options for Promoting Responsible Investment in Agriculture (2011)

4.2 Sustainable Stock Exchanges

- Gender equality in corporate leadership: analysis of issuers on stock exchanges in G20 countries (2022)
- Gender equality in corporate leadership (Regional Analysis) (2022)
- Igualdad de Género en el liderazgo corporativo (2022)
- Market Monitor: Voluntary Carbon Markets (2022)
- How exchanges can advance gender equality – Updated guidance and best practice (2022)
- Policy Brief: Carbon emissions in public markets (2021)
- Policy Brief: The net zero movement (2021)
- Action Plan to Make Markets Climate Resilient: How stock exchanges can integrate the TCFD recommendations (2021)
- Model Guidance on Climate Disclosure: A template for stock exchanges to guide issuers on TCFD implementation (2021)
- Policy Brief: Stock exchange guidance on human rights disclosure (2021)
- How Derivatives Exchanges can Promote Sustainable Development - An action menu (2021)
- Policy Brief: Gender equality on corporate boards (2021)
- How exchanges can embed sustainability within their operations: A blueprint to advance action (2019)
- United Nations SSE Initiative: 10 Years of Impact and Progress (2019)
- How securities regulators can support the Sustainable Development Goals - A sharing of experiences (2018)
- Sustainable Stock Exchanges Report on Progress (2018)



- How Stock Exchange can Grow Green Finance (2017)
- The Role of Stock Exchanges in Fostering Economic Growth and Sustainable Development (2017)
- How Stock Exchanges can Advance Gender Equality (2017)
- Sustainable Stock Exchanges Report on Progress (2016)
- Green Finance: What can Stock Exchanges do? (2016)
- Climate, Carbon & Stranded Assets: What do they mean for Stock Exchanges? (2015)
- Sustainable Development Goals: What they mean for Stock Exchanges? (2015)
- Model Guidance on Reporting ESG Information to Investors: A Voluntary tool for Stock Exchanges to Guide Issuers (2015)
- Communication to Stakeholders: Framework for adaptation by Stock Exchanges (2015)
- Sustainable Stock Exchanges Report on Progress (2014)
- Best Practice Guidance for Policymakers and Stock Exchanges on Sustainability Reporting Initiatives (2013)
- Sustainable Stock Exchanges Report on Progress (2012)
- Sustainable Stock Exchanges Report: Real Obstacles, Real Opportunities (2010)

4.3 Corporate social responsibility and responsible investment

- > Promoting standards for responsible investment in value chains - Report to the High-Level Development Working Group
- > Corporate Social Responsibility in Global Value Chains - Evaluation and monitoring challenges for small and medium sized suppliers in developing countries (UNCTAD/DIAE/ED/2012/3)
- > Investment and Enterprise Responsibility Review - Analysis of investor and enterprise policies on corporate social responsibility (UNCTAD/DIAE/ED/2010/1)

4.4 Institutional Investors

- A Sustainability Integration Framework for Institutional Investors (UNCTAD/DIAE/2023/5)



- Sustainability integration by public pension and sovereign wealth funds (2022)
- ESG ETFs 2021: Current trends and the potential for sustainable development (2021)
- The rise of the sustainable fund market and its role in financing sustainable development (2021)
- How public pension and sovereign wealth funds mainstream sustainability: Practices of the frontrunners and a proposed integration framework (UNCTAD/DIAE/2020/3)
- Leveraging the Potential of ESG ETFs for Sustainable Development (UNCTAD/DIAE/2020/1)

4.5 Development Dimensions of Intellectual Property Rights

4.5.1 Guides and Tools

- Tool Box for Policy Coherence in Access to Medicines and Local Pharmaceutical Production, (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2017/2)
- The Convention on Biodiversity and the Nagoya Protocol: Intellectual Property Implications: A Handbook on the Interface between Global Access and Benefit Sharing Rules and Intellectual Property (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2014/3)
- Investment in Pharmaceutical Production in the Least Developed Countries: A Guide for Policymakers and Investment Promotion Agencies (UNCTAD/DIAE/PCB/2011/5)
- Guidelines for the examination of pharmaceutical patents: Developing a public health perspective, WHO-ICTSD-UNCTAD, by Carlos Correa, Professor, University of Buenos Aires
- Resource Book on TRIPS and Development: An authoritative and practical guide to the TRIPS Agreement, Cambridge University Press (2005)
- Intellectual Property Rights: Implications for Development, Policy Discussion Paper (2003)



4.5.2 Policy Briefs

- Policy Brief No. 10: The Structural Changes in the Global Pharmaceutical Marketplace and Their Possible Implications for Intellectual Property - by Brian Tempest, Partner, Hale & Tempest and former CEO, Ranbaxy (2011)
- Policy brief No.7: The Research and Experimentation Exceptions in Patent Law: Jurisdictional Variations and the WIPO Development Agenda, Evans Misati, Kenya Industrial Property Office and Kiyoshi Adachi, UNCTAD (2010)
- Policy Brief No. 5: The Bayh-Dole Model in Developing Countries: Reflections on the Indian Bill on Publicly Funded Intellectual Property, Bhaven N. Sampat, Assistant Professor, Department of Health Policy and Management, Columbia University (2009)
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