

Corporate Sexual Responsibility

- Ethical partnerships to abolish prostitution

March 7, 2013, 10.30-12.30 am UN Church Center, Boss room 8th floor 777 UN Plaza, New York, NY 10017

The Swedish Sex Purchase Act has been successful in combating prostitution and achieving greater equality between women and men. But men still buy sex abroad. One third of all sex purchases abroad take place while on business travel. It is time for the private sector to take action and introduce codes of conduct against sex purchase and other forms of sexual exploitation. This event will provide an opportunity to share and discuss perspectives on best practices to combat prostitution through Corporate Social Responsibility.

Speakers:

Letty Asworth, General Manager Global Diversity, Delta Air Lines

Christina Bain, Director Program on Human Trafficking and Modern Slavery, Harvard Kennedy School

Ted Bunch, Educator, Activist and Lecturer, Co-founder and co-director of A call to men

Charlotte Holgersson, PhD and Senior Researcher Gender, Organisation and Management, KTH Royal Institute of Technology

Ursula Wynhoven, General Counsel, UN Global Compact Office

Stephanie Thögersen, Project manager, Corporate Compass, Swedish Women's Lobby

Gertrud Åström, President, Swedish Women's Lobby

Moderator: Christine Bader, Lecturer & Visiting Scholar, Columbia University



