

Contact Group 1: Operating Principles

13/12/23 2:00-3:30PM

Relevant Mandate:

- Develop a draft proposal on operating principles, based on INF/10, including to identify principles that are missing.

Homework for colleagues from co-facilitators:

For the five elements which were designated as possible new principle, but with divergent view, consider possible draft text for further consideration by the contact group.

Row #	list of elements Wednesday 13 December contact group 1	Comment
1	safe and healthy working environment & workers, including informal workers, cooperative workers	Possible new principle, Divergent view
2	capacity building	Possible new principle, Divergent view
3	ethical considerations in relation to conduct of research	Possible new principle, Divergent view
4	Unique scientific knowledge within and among regions	Possible new principle, Divergent view
5	gender equality/ gender mainstreaming	Standalone principle, divergent view
6	racial and social equality	Possible addition to (i)
7	intergenerational equity	Possible addition to (i)
8	balanced between developed and developing countries	Possible addition to (e)
9	Prevention	Divergent view
	transparency in work and decision-making	Addressed in (a)
	coordination and cooperation	Addressed in (f)
	complementarity	Addressed in (f)
	good governance	Addressed in Inst. Arr.
	multi-stakeholderism	Addressed in Inst. Arr.
	climate positive approach	Possible criteria for prioritization
	accessibility	Could be addressed in existing principle
	information on chemicals/materials	Possible future work
	product lifecycle approaches	Possible future work
	environmental social governance	Possible future work

	sustainability	Possible future work
	comprehensive, systems-wide approach	Possible future work
	workers, including informal workers, cooperative workers	Merged with 1
	cost effectiveness	Removed
	social acceptability	Removed