

“OPPORTUNITIES FOR BUSINESSES TO PROMOTE CHILD RIGHTS IN COBALT ARTISANAL AND SMALL-SCALE MINING”

Time & Date: Dec. 8, 2021, 2 pm-3:30 pm (CET) via [Zoom](#)

1:55-2:00 pm	Registration and informal welcome
2:00 – 2:05pm	Opening remarks <i>Florian Westphal, CEO Save the Children Germany</i>
2:05-2:10 pm	Audience poll
2:10 – 2:35 pm	Presentation of report and key findings <i>Ines Kaempfer, CEO, The Centre for Child Rights and Business (The Centre)</i>
2:35 – 2:50 pm	Q&A
2:50 – 3:20 pm	<p>Panel Discussion:</p> <p><i>Panel Moderator: Mark Robertson, Senior Vice President, Communications and Outreach, The Centre for Child Rights and Business</i></p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Claudia Becker, Purchasing & Supplier Network, Supply Chain Sustainability, BMW Group, Germany • Marie-Chantal Kaninda, Vice President, Head of Corporate Affairs, Glencore • Josee-Blandine Ongotto, Project Manager, ILO COTECCO project by ILA/OCFT – USDOL, DRC • David Sturmes, Director of Programmes and Operations, The Impact Facility • Anna Thinius, Manager Sustainable Supply Chains, Save the Children Germany <p>Focus areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child rights in ASM in the DRC • The role of government and approach to ASM and the debate on formalisation • How the private sector and government can work alongside each other to improve the situation on the ground • Programmes underway to improve workers’ and children’s lives • Corporate involvement, opportunities and the way forward
3:20 – 3:30 pm	Q&A
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