

The Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung cordially invites you to a parallel event to the  
14<sup>th</sup> session of the UN Human Rights Council on

**TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010, 4.00 – 6.00 PM**  
**GENEVA, PALAIS DES NATIONS, ROOM XXVII**

**THE PROTECT, RESPECT AND REMEDY FRAMEWORK**  
**DEBATE ON RECENT DEVELOPMENTS WITH JOHN RUGGIE**  
**FOLLOWED BY A PANEL DEBATE ON THE REVIEW OF THE**  
**OECD GUIDELINES ON MULTINATIONAL ENTERPRISES**

This side event will be split into two separate panel discussions:

The first panel will be an opportunity for an open debate with John Ruggie on his current report to the HRC. In his previous reports, the SRSG has proposed and then elaborated his “Protect, Respect and Remedy Framework”. This debate shall give an opportunity to explore how and where this framework has been taken up and show the current developments surrounding the mandate.

The second panel will focus on the upcoming update of the OECD Guidelines on Multinational Enterprises and claims for the inclusion of human rights concerns, as elaborated by NGOs and Trade Unions, often drawing from the framework laid out by the SRSG. We want to debate with civil society, national delegations and human rights institutions how human rights aspects can be strengthened in the review of the OECD GL and what the process would entail for different geographical regions.

**Welcome**      *Britta Utz* (Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Berlin)

**Discussion 1**

**Protect, Respect and Remedy Framework: recent and future developments**

**Discussant**      *John Ruggie* (SRSG on Business and Human Rights)

**Discussion 2**

**Human Rights aspects in the update of the OECD Guidelines on MNEs**

**Panelists**

- ❖ *Victor Ricco* (CEDHA)
- ❖ *Kristine Drew* (TUAC)
- ❖ *Gerald Pachoud* (Special Adviser to SRSG John Ruggie)

**Moderation**      *Felix Kirchmeier* (Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Geneva)