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Environment is Top Concern for Sustainable Tourism in Ngapali

Myanmar Centre for Responsible Business (MCRB) co-hosted a multistakeholder workshop on responsible tourism in Ngapali from 11-13 May 2016, together with Hanns Seidel Foundation (HSF). A workshop report will be published soon, but in the meantime you can read about stakeholder concerns about environmental issues and destination management.

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MCRB seeks input on performance of Pwint Thit Sa companies

Research is underway for the 3rd Pwint Thit Sa/Transparency in Myanmar Enterprises report which will be published in August. The report looks at published data by companies on their websites. We are also interested in receiving feedback from other stakeholders on actual company performance compared to their public commitments.

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Business and Human Rights Guide for Companies in Myanmar

We are revising the <u>Business and Human Rights</u> <u>Guide</u>, and looking to include good practice examples of respect for human rights by companies or relevant NGO initiatives in Myanmar.

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Myanmar Mining Sector-Wide Impact Assessment (SWIA)

The Mining Sector-Wide Impact Assessment (SWIA) team are on the fourth and final round of field research looking at tin mining in Mawchi and Dawei regions. Their findings will be incorporated into the draft SWIA, which we plan to consult on in September.

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Investment and Respect for Indigenous People's Rights in Myanmar

Vicky Bowman contributed to a discussion in Bangkok in May by the UN Special Rapporteur on Indigenous Peoples on IPs and investment treaties drawing on MCRB's <u>Briefing Paper on Business and Indigenous Peoples' Rights in Myanmar</u> and looking at Myitsone dam as a case study.

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Responsible Business 101

MCRB has recently delivered 'Responsible Business 101' training for local SMEs in Hpa-an and Toungoo (with Kawlah Foundation/Peace Nexus), Mawlamyaing (with National Enlightenment Institute) and to Irrawaddy Green Towers.

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Creating Shared Value in Myanmar

COMING SOON: A workshop in July for telecoms operators and tower, fibre and construction companies to share lessons learned on labour, safety and community engagement in the network rollout; and a position paper from the Australia-Myanmar Chamber of Commerce Responsible Investment Working Group, which MCRB co-chairs, on 'Incentivising Shared Value'

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