



Invitation to Co-Chair the B20 Task Force on Integrity & Compliance

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Dear Dr. Yilmaz Argüden

We are honoured to invite you to serve as a **Co-Chair of the B20 Task Force on Integrity & Compliance**. This distinguished role offers an extraordinary opportunity to contribute to global policy development at the highest levels while advancing South Africa and Africa's priorities on the international stage.

The Business 20 (B20) is the official business engagement forum of the G20, representing the collective voice of the global business community in shaping international economic policies. The B20 convenes leading CEOs, senior executives, and industry pioneers worldwide to develop actionable policy recommendations that drive sustainable and inclusive growth.

In 2025, South Africa will host the G20 and its associated forums for the first time, marking a defining moment for the African continent. As a central platform for business engagement, the B20 provides unique opportunities to influence outcomes that affect industries and economies globally. Hosting the B20 in South Africa represents not only a historic milestone but also a chance to showcase the ingenuity, resilience, and leadership of South African and African businesses on the global stage.

Business Unity South Africa (BUSA) is hosting B20 South Africa and has established a dedicated secretariat and governance structure to ensure the successful delivery of this initiative, co-chaired by BUSA President Mr Mxolisi Mgojo and BLSA Chairman Ms Nonkululeko Nyembezi.

The Task Force on Integrity & Compliance

The Integrity & Compliance Task Force will actively engage in discussions on anti-corruption measures, ethical business practices, compliance with regulatory standards and the promotion of corporate governance in order to develop recommendations to combat corruption, enhance transparency, and foster robust compliance systems. The focus will include aligning global regulatory frameworks and encouraging responsible and ethical business conduct.

Your Role as Co-Chair

As Co-Chair, your expertise and leadership will be vital to the task force's success. Specifically, you will:

- Collaborate in Leadership: Work alongside the Chair and fellow Co-Chairs to guide the task force's agenda and deliver high-impact recommendations.

- **Shape Policy Recommendations:** Provide strategic insights to aid the development of innovative, constructive and impactful policy recommendations that harness the potential to address leading challenges and to transform economies and societies.
- **Engage Stakeholders:** Collaborate with a diverse group of global executives, policymakers, and experts to enrich the task force's outcomes with a range of perspectives.
- **Leverage Resources:** Benefit from the support of a leading global consultancy, which will provide rigorous analysis, research, and operational assistance.
- **Participate Actively:** Attend regular task force meetings, fortnightly co-chair sessions, and discussions with the Knowledge Partner between February 2025 and August 2025.
- **Support Advocacy Efforts:** Assist in presenting the task force's recommendations to the B20 Chair, ensuring they are effectively conveyed to the G20 presidency.

By assuming this important role, you will help shape critical policy recommendations while positioning South Africa as a leader in the global anti-corruption and integrity dialogue to build a more inclusive, sustainable and prosperous future for all.

Next Steps

We would be delighted to discuss this opportunity further and address any questions you may have. A team member will contact you shortly to arrange a follow-up discussion, or you are welcome to reach out directly to me or Anthony Costa, B20 South Africa Secretariat Lead, at AnthonyC@B20southafrica.org.

Your leadership is crucial to the success of the Integrity & Compliance Task Force and the broader B20 agenda. We sincerely hope you will join us in this transformative endeavour.

Yours sincerely,

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