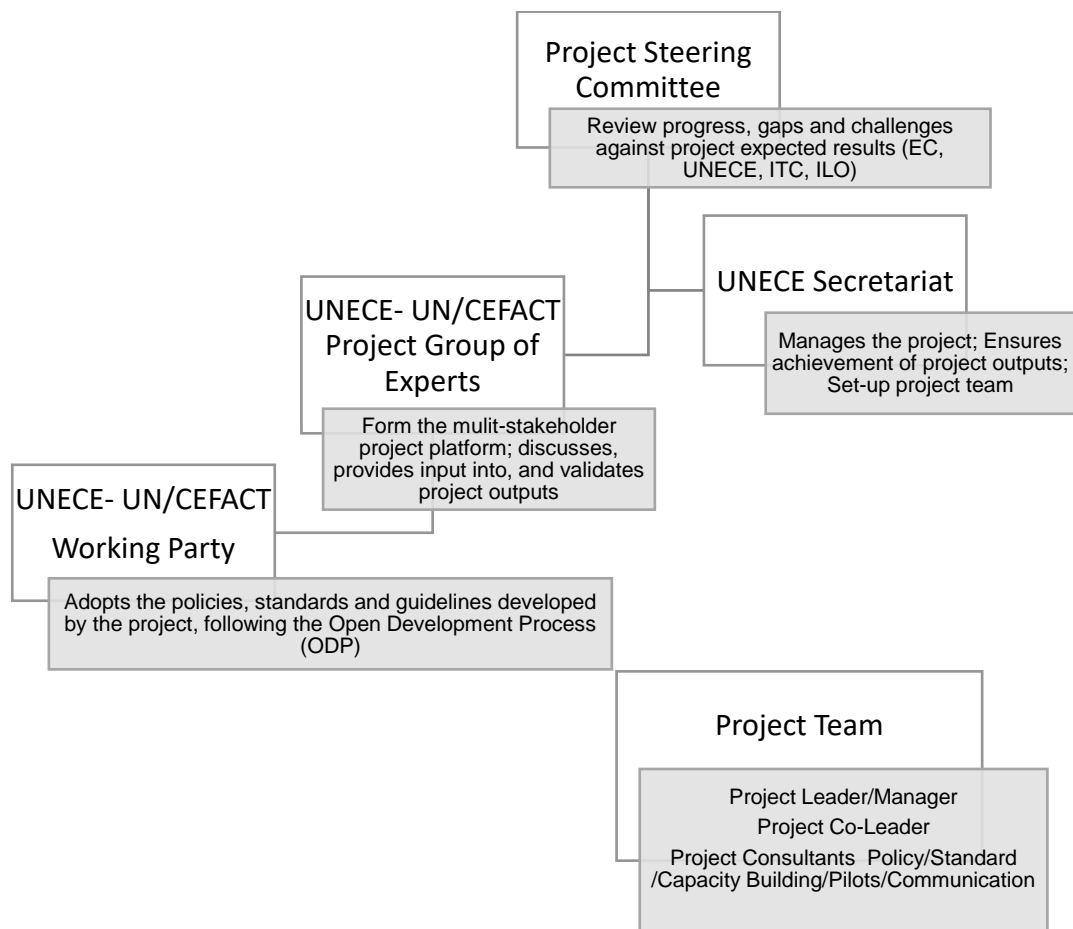




# UNECE-UN/CEFACT "Transparency and Traceability for Sustainable Value Chains in Garment and Footwear"

## 1. Project Governance structure

The key Action deliverables for UNECE, detailed in the document 0.1 Description of Project Action “Enhancing transparency and traceability of sustainable value chains in the garment and footwear industry”, will be implemented according to the following project governance structure and the development and approval of key project outputs will follow the Open Development Process (ODP)<sup>1</sup> procedure of UN/CEFACT, which will ensure they will formally have the status of UN tools.



<sup>1</sup> UN/CEFACT Open Development Process for process type of work and deliverables:  
[http://www.unece.org/fileadmin/DAM/cefact/cf\\_plenary/2016\\_plenary/CF\\_2016\\_017E\\_ODP.pdf](http://www.unece.org/fileadmin/DAM/cefact/cf_plenary/2016_plenary/CF_2016_017E_ODP.pdf)

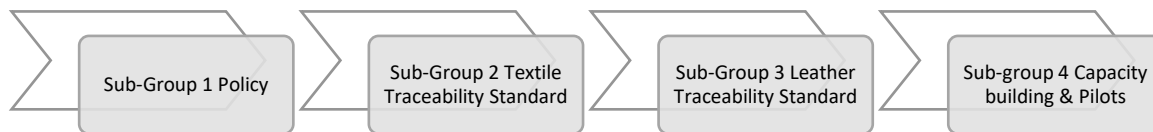
## 2. Project Group of Experts' Composition and Modus Operandi


Following a Call for Expression of Interest addressed by the UNECE Secretariat to project stakeholders, as of **23 October 2019**, **101 experts** expressed interest to provide in-kind expertise in support of the project work. Below, these experts, forming the Group of Experts for the UNECE-UN/CEFACT project “Enhancing transparency and traceability for sustainable value chains in the garment and footwear”, are listed according to four project Sub-Groups, based on respective areas of interest and expertise.


The Call for Expression of Interest launched in December 2018 is ongoing, and participation to the project Group of Experts will be open during the entire project duration. Project information and outputs are shared also with a wide network of more than **300 stakeholders representatives**, globally.


**Note:** *The Group of Experts for [UN/CEFACT](#) projects are composed of specialists with the collective expertise to address specific tasks defined for it and should be drawn from: (a) Governmental institutions; (c) Civil society; (d) Private sector associations; (d) Consumer organizations; (b) Business; (e) International organizations; and (f) Academia.*

*Participation in UN/CEFACT Group of Experts is on a voluntary basis. All members of the Group of Experts must register as experts of UN/CEFACT in accordance with [relevant procedures](#). The Group of Experts shall meet virtually at least once every two months, and physically at least twice a year, preferably in conjunction with an official UN/CEFACT meeting such as the Forum. The Group of Experts can establish sub-groups to prepare projects requiring specific expertise. The UNECE Secretariat provides necessary support to the Group of Experts and its sub-groups within available resources.*




 **Sub-group 1** → Develops a **Policy Recommendation** on Traceability and Transparency for Sustainable Value Chains in the Garment and Footwear Industry.

 **Sub-group 2** → Develops a **Standard** for Electronic Information Exchange for the **Textile Sector** for traceability and transparency of sustainable value chains (BRS/CCBDA/XML/EDIFACT).


























 **Sub-group 3** → Develops a **Standard** for Electronic Information Exchange for the **Leather Sector** for traceability and transparency of sustainable value chains (BRS/CCBDA/XML/EDIFACT).



**Sub-group 4**  Conducts **Pilots, Training** and **Awareness** raising for traceability and transparency of sustainable value chains.























	Organization	Expert	Sub-Group(s)
1.	Adidas AG	Frank Henke	
2.	Aite Group	Enrico Camerinelli	
3.	Hecho x Nosotros and animaná	Adriana Marina	
4.	Animaná	Nicolas Maffey	
5.	esmod	Anne Gwenn Alexandre	
6.	Better Cotton Initiative	Nikita Grabher-Meyer	
7.	Better Cotton Initiative	Kerem Saral	
8.	Bocconi/MFI	Francesca Romana Rinaldi	
9.	C&A Foundation	Windham Stewart, Olivia	
10.	Camera Moda	Chiara Luisi	
11.	Candiani S.P.A	Remo Cali	
12.	Freedom Fund	Ben Vanpeperstraete	
13.	Cittadellarte Fashion B.E.S.T.	Olga Pirazzi	
14.	Cittadellarte Fashion B.E.S.T.	Paolo Naldini	
15.	COTANCE	Gustavo Gonzalez-Quijano	
16.	CNTAC	Liang Xiaohui	
17.	Educhain	Marek Termanowski	
18.	Educhain	Mark Balovnev	
19.	Euratex	Mauro Scalia	
20.	Euratex / Creamoda	Jo van Landeghem	
21.	Euratex / ENEA	Piero de Sabbata	
22.	Europroject	Roberto Mollica	
23.	Fur Europe	Enrico Iacovizzi	
24.	Federation of the European Sporting Goods Industry	Luca Boniolo	
25.	Geek Chic TLV	Viktoria Kanar	
26.	German Leather Federation VDL	Andreas Meyer	
27.	Global Fashion Agenda	Jonas Eder-Hansen	
28.	Italian Ministry of Economic Cooperation (MiSE)	Benedetta Francesconi	

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29.	Italian Ministry of Economic Cooperation (MiSE)	Candia Savastano	
30.	Government, The Netherlands (RVO)	Frans van Diepen	
31.	Gruppo Tessile Industriale SPA	Alberto Frignani	
32.	GS1	Markus Mueller	
33.	GS1	Timothy Marsh	
34.	Independent expert	Jan Merckx	
35.	H&M	Pernilla Halldin	
36.	Independent expert	Heinz Zeller	
37.	Independent expert	Andrea Redaelli	
38.	ICEC	Sabrina Frontini	
39.	IFTF	Paul Stockall	
40.	ILO	Jane Colombini	
41.	Independent expert	Nina Shariati	
42.	MAMUDA Nigeria	Emanuele Tappella	
43.	OECD	Jennifer Schappert	
44.	Kering	Chiara Morelli	
45.	Kering	Luca Canevelli	
46.	Politecnico di Milano	Hakan Karaosman	
47.	Ratti S.p.A.	Fabrizio Goggi	
48.	Sourcemap	Leonardo Bonanni	
49.	Sustainable Apparel Coalition	Baptiste Carriere-Pradal	
50.	Textile Exchange	Evonne Tan	
51.	Textile Exchange	Anne Gillespie	
52.	University College Dublin	Donna Marshall	
53.	UNPAC	Maurizio Maggioni	
54.	UNPAC	Marco Frediani	
55.	UNIC	Maurizia Contu	
56.	UNIDO	Ivan Kral	
57.	Open Apparel Registry	Natalie Grillon	
58.	Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS)	Rahul Bhajekar	
59.	Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS)	Claudia Kersten	

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60.	Stardust	Adam Herbenson	
61.	Ecochain	Roel Drost	
62.	Modint	Miriam Geelhoed	
63.	LUKSO Blockchain	Fabian Vogelsteller	
64.	Open Apparel Registry	Katie Shaw	
65.	Authenticae Ltd	Karl Flowers	
66.	Government, the Netherlands (RVO)	Niki Dieckmann	
67.	H&M	Merel Krebbers	
68.	ITC: Ethical Fashion Initiative	Vincent Oduor	
69.	JBC nv	Valerie Geluykens	
70.	Sustainable Apparel Coalition	Jason Kibbey	
71.	TUV Rheinland Group	Rakesh Vazirani	
72.	Wollsdorf Ledel International GmbH	Matteo Ward	
73.	Avery Dennison	Debbie Shakespeare	
74.	Avery Dennison	Greta Moser	
75.	Organic Cotton Accelerator	Thomas Mason	
76.	Minespider	Ella Cullen	
77.	Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS)	Mark Sebastian	
78.	Sistema Moda Italia	Alessandra Guffanti	
79.	HODLG	Jean-Christophe Finidori	
80.	Sustainable Apparel Coalition	Holly Syrett	
81.	Adidas AG	Philipp Meister	
82.	Minespider	Nathan Williams	
83.	Individual Expert	Meg Jones	
84.	Stardust Materials	Jose Gasque	
85.	Sourcemap	Juliette Barre	
86.	VF Corporation	Mary Francis	
87.	Leatherteq Limited	Alexandra Pelka	
88.	Blue Collars Srl/ Candiani Denim	Danielle Arzaga	
89.	GIZ GmbH	Franzisca Markschlaeger	
90.	Chain Ops	Nicolas Merle	

	Organization	Expert	Sub-Group(s)
91.	Triangularity	Virginia Cram-Martos	 
92.	U.S. Hide, Skin and Leather Association (USHSLA)	Stephen Sothmann	 
93.	Lenzing AG	Carlo Covini	 
94.	Swedish School of Textiles, University of Borås	Rudrajeet Pal	 
95.	COSE361	Stéphane Popescu	
96.	John Lewis Partnership	Nadia Youds	 
97.	Textile Exchange	Hanna Denes	
98.	GS1 Global Office	Lena Coulibaly	
99.	European Commission DEVCO	Ebba Aurell	
100.	European Confederation of Flax and Hemp (CELC)	Marie Demaegdt	
101.	Stella McCartney Ltd	Debra Guo	
102.	Stella McCartney Ltd	Zuzana Mocilenkova	
103.	Fashion Revolution	Sarah Ditty	 
104.	Fashion Revolution	Ilishio Lovejoy	 
105.	HECHO POR Nosotros	Andre Johnsen	
106.	liz muller & partners	Liz Muller	  
107.	Diverse Recycling Solutions	Melissa Rusinek	  
108.	National Wildlife Federation	Mauricio Bauer	
109.	National Wildlife Federation	Rafael De Andrade	
110.	Vivienne Westwood	Isabella Tonelli	
111.	British Fur Trade Association (BFRA)	Nicholas DunMcAfee	
112.	GEFEG	Miriam Greiff	 
113.	Global Reporting Initiative	Pamela Carpio	
114.	World Fair Trade Organization	Giorgio Dal Fiume	
115.	Hecho por Nosotros	Paulo Sartor	
116.	Hecho por Nosotros / WFTO LA	Sarah Macia	
117.	Hecho por Nosotros	Marina Reina	
118.	Hecho x Nosotros and animaná	Georgina Tayler	 
119.	Hecho por Nosotros	Pranav Khanna	
120.	Hecho por Nosotros	Belen Pappolla	
121.	Hecho por Nosotros	Martha Marin	
122.	Hecho por Nosotros	Tricia Langman	

	Organization	Expert	Sub-Group(s)
123.	Berbrand	Emanuele Bertoli	
124.	ENEA	Gessica Ciaccio	
125.	ECOM AGROINDUSTRIAL CORP	Luca Masardi	
126.	WEBA	Caroline Otto	
127.	Alba-Gruppe	Benjamin Fuchs	
128.	IFTF	Claudia Proietti	
129.	Haelixa	Gediminas Mikutis	
130.	Convergence Tech	Erik Zvaigzne	
131.	PrimeAsia Leather Company / CICB	Fernando Bellese	
132.	ZDHC	Frank Michel	
133.	Albini Group	Stefano Albini	
134.	Beira Moda Ltd	Antoinette Fionda	
135.	OEKO-TEX	Cedric Brunner	
136.	A Transparent Company	Neliana Fuenmayor	
137.	Textile Genesis	Amit Gautam	
138.	Shipchain	John C. Monarch	
139.	Furla	Alessandra Sala	
140.	University College Dublin	Colm McLaughlin	
141.	Association pour l'assurance qualité des fabricants de bracelets cuir	Aurelien Debeyer	
142.	Brazilian Leather Sustainability Certification (CSCB)	Rogério de Souza Cunha	
143.	GCS Consulting GmbH	Andreas Schneider	
144.	Fashion for Good	Emily Franklin	
145.	ECOM AGROINDUSTRIAL CORP	Luca Massardi	
146.	pOsti	Virgilio Maretto	
147.	pOsti	Stefano Silvi	
148.	Legal projects	Claudia Di Bernardino	
149.	Jita digital	Jerome Rousselot	
150.	Leather and Hide Council of America, (LHCA)	Kevin Latner	
151.	Hecho por Nosotros	Tesja Kersten	

	Organization	Expert	Sub-Group(s)
152.	ICMQ India / IICCI	Cesare Ceccani	 
153.	ICMQ India	Ilaria Pierozzi	
154.	Texil+mode	Anja Merker	
155.	Ralph Lauren	Dario Querci	
156.	KTH Royal Institute of Technology	Tarun Kumar Agrawal	  
157.	Independent expert	Deborah Taylor	  
158.	Textiles Scotland	Jaki Love	
159.	Clean Clothes Campaign	Paul Roeland	
160.	JBS Leather	Kim Araujo Camoes De Sena	
161.	Authenticae Ltd	Inge Flowers	
162.	Chain Ops	Tal Madhala	
163.	Burberry	Rui Ramos Fontoura	
164.	State Enterprise Center for Identification Systems/IDS, Minsk, Belarus	Alexey Dravitsa	
165.	Trust Trace	Shubham Kulshrestha	
166.	Darmstadt University of Applied Sciences - Society for Institutional Analysis – sofia	Julian Schenten	   
167.	Italian Ministry of Economic Cooperation (MiSE)	Raffaella Mastrella	
168.	LVMH	Cathelijne Klomp	
169.	Ecovadis	Simon Gargonne	
170.	INDITEX	Jose Maria Alvarez	



## 4. Project Communication

In order to provide visibility to the project activities and outputs, **a communication plan** for awareness raising worldwide about responsible production and consumption in the sector (including the design of promotional materials such as a video, leaflets and brochures, media campaigns) will be developed. This project activity will be designed and implemented during the entire project duration. A closing conference for peer learning and sharing of lessons learned on the implementation of project outputs will be organized and conducted at the end of the project in 2021.

## 5. Project Updated Timeframe (as of Oct 2019)

This table provides an update on the project implementation timeframe based on the project action modalities and main activities for UNECE, detailed in the document 0.1 Description of Project Action “Enhancing transparency and traceability of sustainable value chains in the garment and footwear industry”.

Project inception	01/01/2019
Requirements gathering and signature of project agreement	01/07/2019
O1. Multi-Stakeholder Policy Dialogue Platform and Development of Policy recommendation	01/04/2022
A1.1 Project Groups of Experts composition	31/10/2019
A1.2 Project stakeholders’ identification and engagement	28/02/2020
A1.3 Development of Draft Policy Recommendation	01/06/2020
A1.4 Public review of Draft Policy Recommendation	01/09/2020
A1.5 Exit of Draft Policy Recommendation	01/11/2020
A1.6 Submission and adoption of Policy Recommendation by UN/CEFACT Plenary	01/04/2021
A1.7 Launch of the Call for Action	01/04/2021
A1.8 Multi-stakeholders Policy Dialogue Meetings (2 per year)	01/04/2022
O2. Development of Transparency and Traceability Standard for the textile and Leather Value Chain	01/12/2020
A2.1 Map the traceability requirements (business and sustainability) and identify value chains sustainability hotspots and relevant standards and certifications	01/04/2020
A2.2 Design a set of standards to track and trace sustainable textile and leather value chains	01/06/2020
A2.3 Public review of draft Standards	01/09/2020
A2.4 Exit of draft Standards	01/11/2020
A2.5 Submission and adoption of Standards by UN/CEFACT Working Party	01/12/2020

A2.6 Pilot the use of the transparency and traceability framework for 1 country and 4 companies	01/12/2020
O5. Conduct of capacity building and awareness raising	01/12/2020
A5.1 Design of training and coaching sessions	01/04/2021
A5.2 Conduct of training and coaching sessions	01/02/2022
A5.3 Develop and implement a project communication strategy	01/04/2022
A5.4 Conduct a concluding Action Conference	01/04/2022
Project completion	01/07/2022