

Global Impact Review

Executive summary

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Introduction

Grant Thornton International Limited (GTIL) has produced the first Global Impact Review for the global network. The aim is to create an initial understanding of our impact on our clients, people, markets, communities and wider society.

Prepared by sustainability advisers from Grant Thornton Sweden and Grant Thornton Israel in collaboration with GTIL, this review is the result of extensive work gathering data, interviewing key stakeholders and compiling case studies from across our global network. The review contains the most recently updated accessible data as of 1 January 2020.

The review provides some baseline data as well as highlighting the areas where data is missing or can be improved. It is split into four sections (Clients, People, Organisation and Communities and wider society) which is based on the strategic pillars in the Growing Together 2020 global strategy.





Looking forward

This project has been an important first step towards establishing a common understanding of sustainability within Grant Thornton and has highlighted best practice examples and processes in the network; as well as gaps and opportunities. We recognise the importance of further developing our approach towards corporate responsibility and look forward to continuing this journey in the years to come.

The experience of a global pandemic in 2020 has highlighted how quickly individuals and organisations can respond to extraordinary circumstances. We will use this work – that shows our impact position in a pre-Covid environment – to help us navigate the new business environment we are going to see as the next phases of change become clear.