

## 10:00 - 18:00

■ Market Place

## 10:00 - 12:15

■ GRI Organizational Stakeholder General Assembly (*closed event*)

■ GRI Global Action Network for Transparency in the Supply Chain (*closed event*)

## 12:30 - 13:30

■ Video Program: Documentaries on Sustainability

## 14:00 - 17:15

■ **Opening Plenary**

### Navigating towards a sustainable global economy

It's clear that the current economic model is unsustainable. We need to *Rethink*. The following decade will be crucial. Thus the third Amsterdam Global Conference has set itself the challenge of crafting an action agenda for the period up to 2020.

## 17:30 - 18:15

■ GRI Training Community Celebration (*closed event*)

## 17:30 - 19:15

■ GRI Organizational Stakeholder Celebration (*closed event*)

## Session Category

- Plenary/Main Hall Sessions
- Learning Sessions
- Shaping the Future Sessions
- Academic Conference
- Other Sessions

# Thursday 27 May, 2010

## 09:00 - 18:00







■ Market Place

## 09:00 - 10:15

■ **Governments Main Hall Session**

### Partner or regulator: Can government make the invisible hand do the right thing?

Based on the hard lessons of the recent global financial crisis, this session will explore what conclusions governments have drawn and how their role in *Rebuilding* the economy to ensure sustainability should be defined.

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-  The Future Steps in Developing the GRI Guidelines
  -  Learn about ISO 26000 and the GRI Guidelines
  -  Reporting for SMEs: Learn from Small Pioneers
  -  The Role of Media in Shaping the Future of a Transparent Economy
  -  Learn about the GRI Certified Software and Tools
  -  Sustainability Reporting Panel
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## 11:00 - 12:15

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### Financial Markets Main Hall Session

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#### On price and value: Helping markets make sustainable choices

How should sustainability *Reporting* evolve to meet the information needs of a sustainable economy? Can the leading sustainability ratings and indexes equip markets to mitigate risk and generate value?

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-  The Future of Stakeholder Engagement Using Interactive Technology
  -  Learn about Regulatory Approaches around the Globe
  -  Learn about Reporting in Emerging Economies
  -  Learn about "The Economics of Ecosystems and Biodiversity" (TEEB)
  -  The Future of NGO Reporting
  -  Assurance of Sustainability Reporting
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## 12:30 - 13:00

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-  All You Want To Know About GRI Publications
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-  Video Program: Documentaries on Sustainability
  -  A Small Country Can Be Big: Sustainability Reporting in the Netherlands
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## 12:30 - 13:45

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-  UN Global Compact and GRI - Creating a Value Platform for Sustainability
  -  Workshop: Become a Leader on Sustainability Issues in Your Company
  -  Workshop: Employee Motivation and Responsible Management
  -  Mining & Metals Sector Supplement
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## 13:15 - 13:45

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-  All You Want to Know About GRI Training Programs
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## 14:00 - 15:15

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### Business Main Hall Session

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**From mitigation to innovation: Can reporting help companies become sustainable?**

How can *Reporting* help to inform corporate decision making and engage stakeholders in managing today's eco-efficiency, innovating tomorrow's business model, and ensuring good corporate governance?

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 Learn about Sustainability in China

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 How Financial Services Shape the Future of Reporting

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 Main Drivers for the Future of Reporting: GRI & Volans Research Program

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 Learn how State-Owned Companies Take the Lead in Reporting

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 Sustainability Reporting and XBRL - Learn about the Applications

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 Carbon Disclosure Panel

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## 16:00 - 17:15

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### Readers' Main Hall Session

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**Readers' Views: Is sustainability reporting progressing?**

The second biennial GRI Readers' Choice Awards will grant us unique insight into readers' views on sustainability reporting's effectiveness. The session will explore the readers' verdict and will aim to identify what *Reporting* entities can do to better meet their readers' expectations.

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 Integrated Reporting: Learn from Real Examples

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 The Future of Reporting: Do Accountants Get It?


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 Learn about Earth Charter Principles and the GRI Guidelines

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 Digital Tools in the Future of Reporting

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 Learn how Reporting Drives Gender Equality

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 NGO Accountability

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## 18:00 - 19:45

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 Readers' Choice Awards Ceremony

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## 09:00 - 16:00

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### Integrated Reporting Main Hall Session

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#### Closing the gap: Should financial and non-financial accounting merge?

This session will seek to identify the drivers and obstacles in the transformation towards integrated reporting. Is integrated *Reporting* the blueprint for corporate reporting in a sustainable economy?

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 How to Define Report Content: Learn Materiality from Practitioners

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 Learn about Transparency in the Supply Chain

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 Future Trends on Reporting and Product Disclosure

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 Green Economy Coalition

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 Learn about Current Approaches to External Assurance

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 Workshop: Employee Motivation and Responsible Management

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### 2020 Vision Main Hall Session

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#### Making it all add up: Action in 2010 for Universal Sustainability Disclosure in 2020

Leaders representing the most widely used global ESG frameworks will reflect on the discussions in the previous main hall sessions. With a cross section of stakeholders they will discuss what government, financial markets, business, civil society and labor organizations can do to ensure a timely transition to a transparent and sustainable economy.

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 The Future of Reporting in the Supply Chain

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 Learn How to Get Stakeholder Input for Sustainability Reports

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 Learn about Trends in Online Sustainability Reporting

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 The Future of Reporting on Human Rights

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 The Future of Sustainability Reporting in the Food Processing Industry

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 Workshop: Become a Leader on Sustainability Issues in Your Company

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## 13:00 - 15:15

### Closing Plenary

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#### Signposts on the road to sustainability: Where do we go from here?

Leaders from business, politics and civil society will sum up their views on how to achieve a transition to a sustainable economy. The GRI Chairman will close the conference reflecting on the lessons GRI should draw from participants' discussions and recommendations.