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Ben Eavis leads DLA Piper's pro bono and responsible business program for the Middle East region working with a number of leading NGOs and UN bodies including UNICEF, UNHCR and OHCHR.

- Pro Bono

He is also a trusted adviser to global NGOs, corporations, UN agencies and governments on sustainability, social impact, business and human rights and reputational risk management.

Ben creates, launches and manages programs in complex legal environments to serve the unmet legal needs of the community. Our pro bono work in the Middle East focuses on upholding the Rights of Refugees and Stateless People, providing practical legal skills training at law schools across the Middle East region, providing extensive legal research to our pro bono clients, enabling them to advance their work in the region and providing legal support via clinics to individuals who cannot afford representation.

## Prior Experience

Prior to DLA Piper, Ben was the Vice President, Corporate Responsibility for PVH covering supply chain and offshore operations. He led a large team responsible for upholding labour standards across PVH's global supply chains and promoting environmental sustainability through efficient resource use and product stewardship.

Ben has also held senior Corporate Affairs and Responsible Business roles with PepsiCo, Sainsbury's, Burberry and Allied Domecq.

He has almost 20 years' experience of working in sustainability and responsible business and during this time has lived and worked across Asia Pacific, the Middle East and in global roles based in the UK and US.

## Education

- University of Bath, MSc in Responsibility and Business Practice
- University of Sheffield, BA in Geography

## Publications

### How general counsel and lawyers must help deliver sustainability and ESG outcomes

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The global climate and biodiversity breakdown demands an entirely new way of doing business. This will have profound effects on the roles of lawyers and professional services firms as we transform in line with the demands and expectations of our clients, stakeholders at all levels, wider society, and our planet.

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