

Empowering Female Refugees



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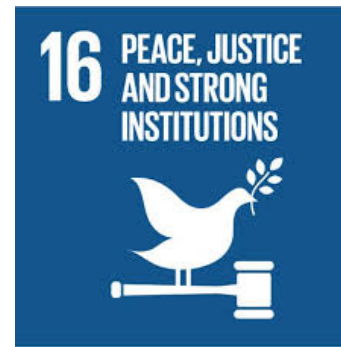
**Human Rights and Labor Working Group
Global Compact Network Brazil**

The pilot project

Objective: to empower a group of women that are refugees or asylum-seekers in São Paulo (Brazil) by offering guidance and access to job opportunities and networking. Also, the project raised awareness to companies about the employment of refugees.

Period: November to June 2016

This project address to:



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The partners



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The Activities and Results

- **33** refugees participated in at least 1 of **3** workshops about their rights, entrepreneurship skills and how to prepare to the Brazilian job market
- **21** received career coaching sessions;
- **18** job interviews, **6** direct hirings, **3** indirect



- **1** refugee offered her catering services at several events and participated in a women entrepreneurship course (Consulado da Mulher).
- **1** refugee obtained a place to host her social business

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- **200** business representatives in **3** raising awareness events and a webinar;
- **Lojas Renner** started a program to offer sewing courses to refugees
- **Sodexo** will offer 3 vacancies per month for female refugees



- **Raising awareness products:** video and FAQ about hiring of refugees in Brazil
- **Closing event:** dialogue on how companies can help in the integration of refugees in Brazil with the participation of 10 refugees

Feedback from participants



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Thank you!
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