

STOPPING HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN THE TIME OF COVID-19: A CONVERSATION WITH LORI L. COHEN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF ECPAT-USA

In honor of the United Nations World Day Against Trafficking in Persons on July 30, Julie Myers Wood spoke with Lori L. Cohen, Executive Director of ECPAT-USA, a leading anti-trafficking policy organization in the United States, about what corporate institutions should be aware of right now so that they might contribute to the fight against human trafficking.



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