

# Sustainable Development and Mining Working Together

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# ICMM member companies

## Australia

BHP Billiton

Lihir Gold

MMG

## South Africa

African Rainbow Minerals

AngloGold Ashanti

Gold Fields

## Brazil

Vale

## Switzerland

Xstrata

## Canada

Barrick Gold

Goldcorp

Teck

## United Kingdom

Anglo American

Lonmin

Rio Tinto

## Japan

Mitsubishi Materials

Nippon Mining & Metals

Sumitomo Metal Mining

## United States

Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold

Newmont

# What is SD leadership?

**Leadership:** walking the talk – a public statement of sustainability commitments supported by actions that deliver on the public promise of the CEO



**Leadership:** addressing both what (the substance) and how (the process) it is done

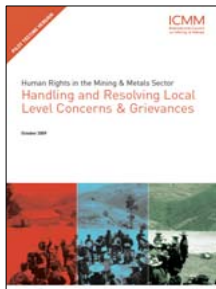
# Key Challenges

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- People
- Environment
- Partnership for Sustainable Outcomes

# Key challenges: People

- pressing need to address poverty, nutrition and health, particularly in emerging nations
- rising expectations of local communities
- increased demand for transparency
- growing emphasis to respect human rights, including indigenous peoples' values and concerns



# Key Challenges - Environment

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- Increasing emphasis on ecosystem services

- Action needed on climate change



- Growing concerns about water, energy, biodiversity

- Planning for Integrated Mine Closure



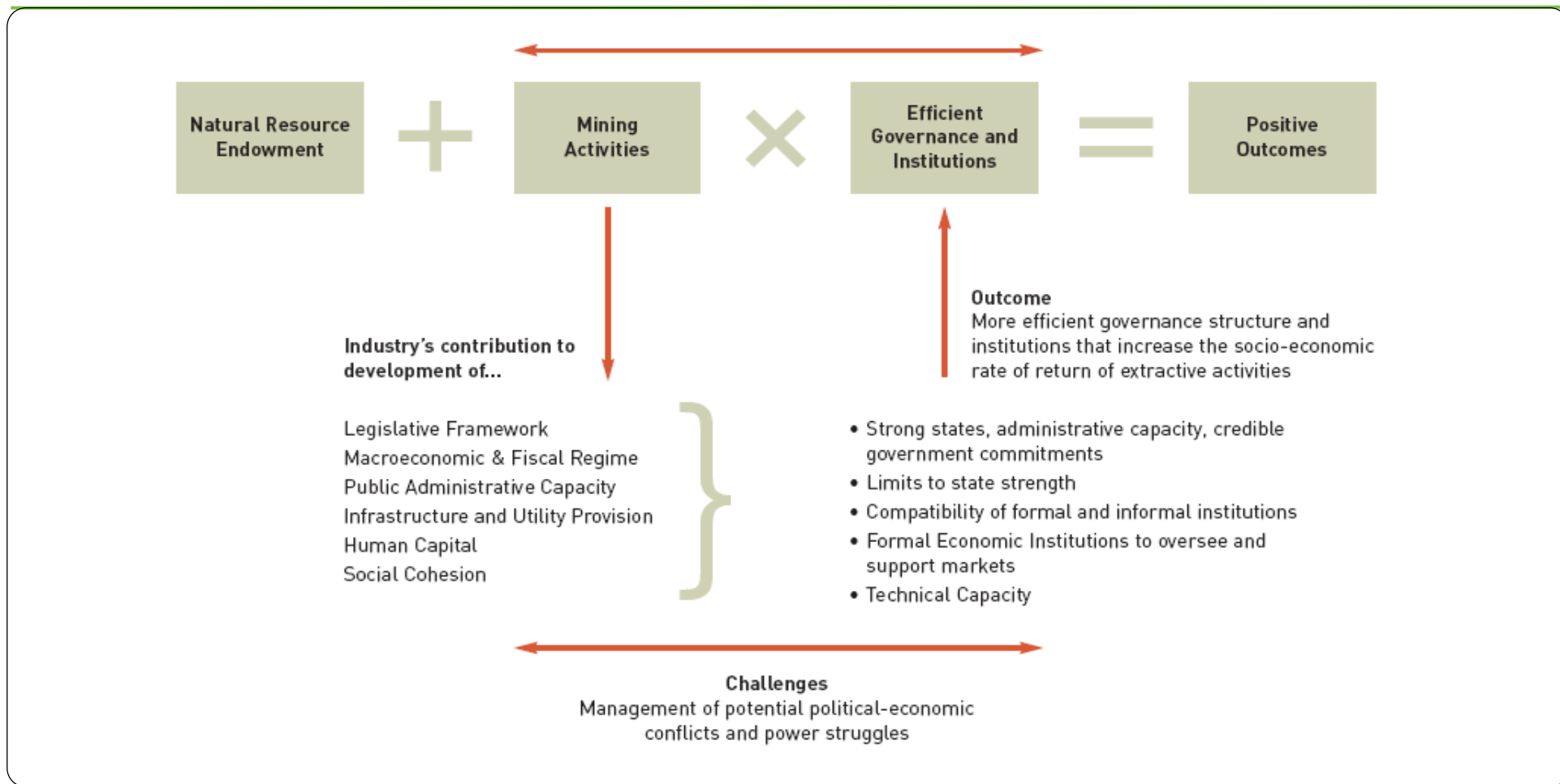
# Key Challenges: Partnerships

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- What are the **critical success factors** that have enabled some countries to benefit from substantial resource endowments and avoid the so-called resource curse?
- What **practical steps** might be taken by the industry, governments, local communities and aid agencies to build these success factors?



# Setting the scene for partnership: the governance framework and capacity building...





# Mining: Partnerships for Development

ICMM member companies have committed, at a CEO-level, to work in partnership in six priority areas

- Poverty reduction
- Revenue management
- Regional development planning
- Local content
- Social investment
- Dispute resolution



# Publications

