#### **EMPOWERING ANTI-CORRUPTION AGENCIES:**

Defying Institutional Failure and Strengthening Preventive and Repressive Capacities

## Ten guiding principles on how to avoid the institutional failure of ACAs

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- Rule 1: Think first, then act (on why & how creating an ACA)
- Rule 2: Reach pro-active forms of consensus (not immobilising ones)
- Rule 3: Avoid traps and gaps in the authority's statutes
- Rule 4: Promote a leadership and a social composition with integrity and dedication
- Rule 5: Define a strategy of resource management



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Rule 6: Create communication strategies and an IT-based complaints system

Rule 7: Flexibility, adaptability and informality

Rule 8: Build up strategic alliances

Rule 9: Integrate the ACA into international cooperation networks

Rule 10: Anchor ACA action in civil society



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