

Contents

1. Introduction and Overview: Poverty, Human Rights, and Sen's 'Capability Approach'	1
2. Is Poverty Relevant to the Characterization of Fundamental Freedoms and Human Rights? The Broader Debates in Ethics and Political Theory	24
3. Poverty and Human Rights: Sen's Contributions in Ethics	66
4. Poverty and Human Rights: Sen's Contributions in Economics	97
5. Poverty and Human Rights: The International Legal Framework	140
6. Freedom from Poverty as a Basic Human Right: Formal Analysis Using Deontic Logic	195
7. Conclusion: Towards a 'Working Model' of International Accountability and Responsibility in the Field of Global Poverty and Human Rights	235
References	249
Index	261