

# *Supporting INDC through the Iberoamerican Network of Climate Change Offices (RIOCC)*

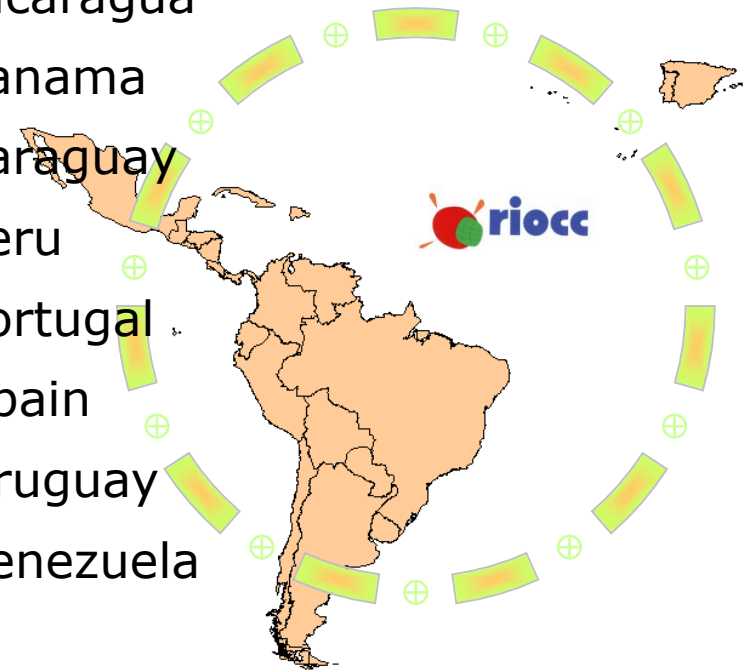


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## The Ibero-American Network of Climate Change Offices (RIOCC)

→ Created in 2004, **brings together 21 climate change offices**

- Argentina
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Chile
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- Guatemala
- Honduras
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Portugal
- Spain
- Uruguay
- Venezuela



- Ibero-American Summit of Heads of State
  - Ibero American Forum of Environment Ministers

❖ RIOCC

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➤ The general aim of the RIOCC Network is **to keep a permanent and fluid dialogue among the iberoamerican countries** to better understand the climate change priorities and challenges of the region and to promote the exchange of information and experiences. Also:

- To promote the integration of climate change within the national strategies of sustainable development
- To collaborate on impacts and adaptation to climate change
- To facilitate the development of mitigation projects in the region
- To strength institutional capacity of the Climate Change Offices
- To enhance capacity and knowledge building: research, training, information exchange
- To promote an effective implementation of the UNFCCC
- South-South cooperation
- etc.



# “Regional workshop on Tools & Methodologies for the design of Contributions to the Paris Agreement”

March 2015



- Organized by **UNDP & Spain** (Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment and the Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation)
- Framed as a follow up of the INDCs regional dialogues carried out in 2014 by UNDP but **with a more technical approach**.
- **Objective:** Exchange of experiences, methodologies and tools (specific models for mitigation projections and analysis of information) used by countries and organizations.
- Sessions and **discussions for the identification of specific needs** both on the design of contributions and on its future implementation.
- **Technical visits** in Madrid: “Control Centre of Renewable Energies (CECRE)” and “Waste management Center (Valdemingomez)”
- Spain made available a domestic tool developed by the Spanish Climate Change Office **M3E (Modelling Mitigation Measures in Spain)”** for the design of mitigation measures and policies in different sectors:

[www.magrama.gob.es/es/cambio-climatico/planes-y-estrategias/Hoja de Ruta 2020 tcm7-351528.pdf](http://www.magrama.gob.es/es/cambio-climatico/planes-y-estrategias/Hoja_de_Ruta_2020_tcm7-351528.pdf)

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- **26 participants from 19 countries**, as well as representatives from: UNDP & UNEP, the Andean Development Corporation (CAF), the World Bank (WB) and the European Commission (EC).
- Thanks to the discussions during the workshop, UNDP and Spain have been able to articulate **additional support for the preparation of the INDCs** of some countries in the region
- Spain together with other RIOCC countries and other organizations will promote the organization of **webinars and teleconferences on specific issues** highlighted by participants.

[http://www.larioce.es/es/actividades-capacitacion/Actividades\\_2015.aspx](http://www.larioce.es/es/actividades-capacitacion/Actividades_2015.aspx)



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