

Framework Convention on Climate Change

## Second Workshop in 2024 under the Sharm el-Sheikh Dialogue on Article 2, paragraph 1(c), of the Paris Agreement, and its complementarity with Article 9 of the Paris Agreement

## Information about the resource persons

## Valeria Rosales Padilla Sustainability Manager Banistmo



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With more than 18 years of experience in banking, she has been Head of Corporate Sustainability at HSBC El Salvador and Corporate Sustainability Coordinator for Latin America, developing sustainability policies for the region and implementing global environmental and educational programs in 12 Latin American countries.

In 2012 she began his role as Sustainability Manager for HSBC Panama, a role she now maintains at Banistmo, after the acquisition of HSBC by the Bancolombia Group. In this position, she has promoted Sustainability as part of the organization's DNA, promoting sustainable business, eco-efficiency in its operations, the analysis of environmental, social and climate change risks, the inclusion of sustainability throughout the value chain and corporate citizenship.

During her role as Sustainability Manager at Banistmo, she has led the Sustainability strategy at the national level. She is currently part of the Board of the Sustainability Commission of the Banking Association of Panama from where he promoted the creation of the Sustainable Finance Protocol of Panama. She is part of the national Initiative for Gender Parity, the Sustainable Finance Working Group of Panama and a member of the Board of Directors of United Way Panama.