



Training Program Government of Colombia: Regional Collaboration Center for Latin America UNFCCC - RCC LatAm

Date and time: Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th May 2024 | 10:00 - 11:00 am (Panama time)

Session: Virtual

Organizer: RCC LatAm

Language: Spanish

Title: Training Program to strengthen capacities on Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs)3.0

Introduction:

Aligned with the temperature objectives outlined in the Paris Agreement, the commitment remains steadfast in keeping the goal of limiting global warming to 1.5 degrees Celsius within reach. Essential to this endeavor is the development of Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) that are not only technically robust but also firmly rooted in national ownership and drive, intertwined with sustainable development objectives, and, critically, executable and financially viable.

Besides, the emphasis lies in enhancing ambition and offering guidance, especially for the LatAm region to the outcomes of the Global stock take and the new update of the NDC3.0. Introducing the Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) training program, our aim is to furnish participants with a comprehensive grasp of the involved in crafting impactful NDCs.

Tailored specifically for government representatives, this program is designed to impart the requisite knowledge and expertise to formulate ambitious yet pragmatic NDCs that contribute significantly to the global climate agenda. Encompassing various facets of NDC development, from target establishment to mitigation strategies, adaptation measures, financial frameworks, and implementation mechanisms, this training endeavors to empower participants to navigate the complexities of NDC updating with confidence and efficacy

Program Objectives:

- Present the key messages from the first Global Stock Take that were discussed at COP28 in Dubai and continue to move forward with updating NDC 3.0
- Provide additional guidance for the design of NDCs
- Explore in-country experiences to inform the setting of ambitious and achievable targets in NDCs through country case studies.
- Understand adaptation measures and resilience-building strategies to address climate impacts.
- Identify financing options and mechanisms for the implementation of NDCs.
- Provide additional guidance for information on the Progress Update of NDCs.



Duration: The program is scheduled for two days, with each session lasting 90 minutes per day.

Target Audience: The training program is designed for government officials, policymakers, climate change practitioners, researchers, and professionals working in the fields of climate change, sustainability, and environmental policy.

Agenda:

Day 1- Wednesday, May 8		
TIME	CONTENT	PANELIST / MODERATOR
10' 10:00- 10:10 am	Welcome and Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction • Agenda for the day. 	UNFCCC Team [TBC] Nadia Gonzalez UN Climate Change RCC Latin America
20' 10:10 - 10:30 am	Module 1: Introduction to NDCs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key messages from GST. • Overview of country requests for updated NDCs in the Latin America region. 	Nadia Gonzalez UN Climate Change RCC Latin America Jeniffer Hana NDC Partnership Support Unit; Regional Director, LAC
15' 10:30 - 10:45 am	Module 2: Guidance on the NDC Design Process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key steps involved in designing NDCs. • National priorities and setting long-term goals. • Stakeholder engagement and consultation processes. 	Nadia Gonzalez UN Climate Change RCC Latin America
5' 10:45 – 10:50 am	Q&A	
20' 10:50 – 11:20 am	Module 3: New Round of NDC: Planning for Target Setting in NDC3.0 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience setting new target in the NDC3.0. Countries' Cases: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The plans to set new target setting in NDC 3.0. principals' sectors upon which 	Ecuador, Director of Climate Change Mitigation at the Undersecretary of Climate Change of the Ministry of Environment, Water and Ecological Transition .



	<p>ambition will be increased based on the definition of implementation gaps.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Experience in Monitoring, Reporting, and Verification (MRV). ○ Strategies for translating qualitative goals into quantitative ones (indicator construction). 	<p>Chile, Javiera Lecourt, Professional of the Climate Change Division of the Ministry of Environment of Chile. Coordinator of the NDC 2025 development process</p>
<p>5' 11:20 – 11:30am</p>	<p>Q&A</p>	
<p>Day 2 - Thursday, May 9</p>		
TIME	CONTENT	PANELIST
<p>5' 10:00- 10:05 am</p>	<p>Summary and Agenda</p>	<p>Nadia Gonzalez UN Climate Change RCC Latin America</p>
<p>20' 10:05 - 10:25 am</p>	<p>Module 4: Mitigation- Adaptation Strategies and Measures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of mitigation options across various sectors. • Progress, Monitoring and Evaluation of the implementation of actions and processes in Adaptation. 	<p>Nadia Gonzalez UN Climate Change RCC Latin America</p> <p>Dra. Pilar Bueno Rubial Researcher at CONICET. Executive Director of Argentina 1.5 Undersecretary of Climate Change and Just Ecological Transition of the city of Rosario</p>
<p>25' 10:25 am – 10:45am</p>	<p>Module 5: Financing NDC Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate finance tracking and reporting • Overview of financial mechanisms and instruments. • Domestic and international financing options for NDC implementation. • Another mechanism for implementing the NDCs. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Art 6 cooperation 	<p>Sebastian Lema, Director in Climate Finance and Markets, Center for Clean Air Policy (CCAP)</p> <p>Ana Dominguez UN Climate Change RCC Latin America.</p>
<p>25' 10:45 am</p>	<p>Modulo 6: Information on Progress Update NDC.</p>	<p>Nadia Gonzalez</p>



11:10 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Report on NDC Progress• Requirements for the NDC Progress Report• How to collect data for the NDC Progress Report.	UN Climate Change RCC Latin America Sandra Bravo, Technical Advisor on Transparency and NDCs, UNEP
5' 11:15 – 11:20 am	Q&A	
2' 11:20 – 11:30 am	Cierre	Fabiana Rodrigues Lead the UNFCCC Regional Collaboration Centre for Latin America.