



Joint workshop AUGM–CG

Strengthening academic collaboration between Latin America and Europe

5-6th December, Montevideo, Uruguay

Aulario del Área Social y Artística Udelar, Sala 308, Av. Gonzalo Ramírez 1915

Programme

Short summary

The programme is aimed to identify and develop interests for collaboration across the two regions, pathways for partnerships across education, research and mobility. The event is structured around the understanding of universities, international organizations and government priorities through panel discussions and keynote presentations.

The event will provide a platform for interaction and exchange of ideas within a framework that allows for impactful partnership development.

December 5th - 9.00 – 17.00 hrs

Online access

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8.45 Accreditation

9.00 – 9.15 Welcome words

- Rodrigo Arim (Rector of Universidad de la República - Udelar) representing Rectors Council of AUGM.
- Ludovic Thilly (Chair of the Coimbra Group Executive Board)
- Álvaro Rico (Executive Secretary of AUGM)

9.15 – 10.30 Panel discussion Coimbra Group – Grupo Montevideo

Rectors and Vice-rectors perspective

Rectors and vice-rectors round table discussion on priorities for cooperation between Latin America and Europe, opportunities, challenges and measures of success (5 minutes each)

AUGM:

- Rodrigo Arim (Udelar)
- Victor Moriñigo (Universidad Nacional de San Luis)
- Larisa Carrera (Universidad Nacional del Litoral)

Discussion (10 minutes)

Coimbra Group:

- Danny Donoghue (Durham University & Representative of the CG Executive Board)
- László Borhy (Eötvös Loránd University Budapest)
- Dana Samson (University of Louvain)
- Dorothy Kelly (University of Granada)
- Peter Lievens (KU Leuven)

Discussion (10 minutes)

Moderation and synthesis:

Chair of the Coimbra Group Latin America Working Group Soledad García Ferrari (CG Rectors)

Executive Secretary Grupo Montevideo Álvaro Rico (AUGM Rectors)





10.30 -10.45 Coffee break

10.45 - 11.45 Panel discussion – International organisations

Institutional perspective

Institutions to present interests and opportunities for bi-regional cooperation. Current programmes for development and collaboration (15 min each).

Interventions by:

- UNESCO - Ernesto Fernandez Polcuch, Director of the Regional Science Office
- EURAXESS - Charlotte Grawitz, Regional Representative
- EU-LAC Foundation - Anna Barrera, Senior Programme Manager – (*online*)
- **Representative of Delegation of the European Union**

Moderation and synthesis: Cecilia Arriagada Correa (Universidad de Playa Ancha)

11:45 – 12:45

EU Represented Embassies (10 minutes presentations)

- Embassy of France
- Embassy of Spain
- Embassy of Italy (tbc)
- Embassy of Portugal (tbc)
- Embassy of UK (tbc)

Moderation and synthesis: *Gonzalo Vicci (UdelaR)*

12.45 – 13.45 Lunch

13.45 – 14.45 Keynote speakers

Topic: Why Latin America matters. Cooperation for bi-regional development

- Rodrigo Arocena (Universidad de la República) (20 min)
- Hans Offerdal (University of Bergen) (20 min)

Moderation and synthesis: Mara Constantinescu (Leiden University)

14.45 – 15.45 Keynote speakers:

Topic: Open Science / A critical view on rankings

- Judith Sutz (Universidad de la República) (15 min)
- Francisco Mendonça (Universidad Federal de Paraná) (15 min)
- André Brasil (Center for Science and Technology Studies, Leiden University) (15 min)
- Pilar Aranda Ramírez, (Universidad de Granada) (15 min)

Moderation and synthesis: Graciela Humbert Lan (Universidad Nacional de La Plata)

15.45 – 16.15 Beneficiaries: students, researchers and civil society

Interventions by:

- ESN - Miguel Hernández Blanco, Liaison Officer for the Americas (*online*)
- Organización Continental Latinoamericana y Caribeña de Estudiantes and Federación de Estudiantes Universitarios del Uruguay - Daniela de Polsi
- Mauro Guevara - Study BuenosAires – Director (*online*)
- Observatorio de Cooperación Ciudad y Universidad AUGM – Directora, Prof. Sara Lauría (*online*)





Moderation and synthesis: Soledad García Ferrari (University of Edinburgh)

16.15 - 17.00 Workshop A

Presentation of concrete ideas for future projects (Framework for roadmap on December 6th):

Framework: EVALUATE – EU project focused on the evaluation of Strategic International Partnerships (15 min) presented by Mara Constantinescu (Leiden University)

- Development of policy guidelines (models for joint teaching across all levels of education) – Silva Bortolussi (Università degli Studi di Pavia) (10 min)
- Research themes – Hans Offerdal / Soledad Garcia Ferrari (10 min)
- AUGM Proposals for collaboration – Álvaro Rico AUGM (10 min)

16.15 – 17.00 Rectors meeting (University Rectory, Av. 18 de Julio 1824, 1st floor)

20.30 Dinner, Parrillada Don Andrés – Lucas Obes 1054

Invitation of AUGM and UdelaR.

Note: The organizers will provide transportation for the dinner. The meeting point to take the bus is: Hotel Dazzler, 21 de Septiembre 2752 at 19.45. Return to the same point at 22.30hrs.

December 6th - 9.00 – 17.00 hrs

Online access

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9.00 – 10.00 Panel discussion: support for global research and education cooperation

Institute Pasteur (20 min)

Carlos Batthyány, Director

European Commission (15 min)

European Commission, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation - International Cooperation I (Europe, Americas, thematic coherence):

Daniel Kiapes, Policy Officer – *online*

Discussion (15 min)

Moderation and synthesis: Danny Donoghue (Durham University & Representative of the CG Executive Board)

10.00 – 10.45 – Panel discussion: What enables global cooperation for research? Best practices from Latin American and Europe

Representatives AUGM

Representatives CG

10.45 - 11.00 Coffee break



11.00 – 12.00 European Alliances and their international dimension

Overview and brief description of represented alliances.

-Arqus, Charm EU, Circle U, EC2U, Una Europa

Presented by: Soledad García Ferrari (University of Edinburgh)

12.00 – 13.00 Workshop B

Roadmap based on the concrete ideas presented on December 5th:

Roadmap for future exchanges and collaboration between CG and AUGM

Trends in internationalisation and collaboration formats in the full range of academic activities, including the exchange of students and researchers; use of ICT, physical and virtual exchanges, advances in new collaboration processes, among others.

13.00 Free Lunch

15.00 – 16.30

Panel discussion: Relationships between academia and society: the relevance of Universities in the achievement of Sustainable Development Goals.

Keynote speakers:

-Javier Taks Coordinator of environment academic committee of AUGM

-Carina Guzowski Coordinator of Energy Academic Committee of AUGM

- Ferdinando Fava (University of Padova)

20.00 Dinner

Invitation of CG