

Seminar: Local Actions for Sustainable Development Goals



Universidad Nacional de Colombia ([UNAL](#)), University College Cork ([UCC](#)) Ireland, and the [EU-LAC](#) Foundation are delighted to co-organise this *Sustainability Seminar - Local Actions for the Sustainable Development Goals* ([SDGs](#)).

University communities, local partner organisations, students, and staff from Colombian HEIs will gather at UNAL Caribe, UNAL Bogota and UNAL Amazonas, with colleagues from UCC Ireland, to explore community engagement toolkits to develop new partnerships in Sustainability and Climate Action to address issues through a co-creative process, in situ, with local communities.

Over the 4 days we will share experiences, research projects and propose new ideas with an aim to inform EU LAC bi-regional policies and inspire more HEI's to become involved in current global challenges and bi-regional cooperation.

Register for:

San Andres 1 & 2 November [here](#)

Bogota 4 November (In person and online) [here](#)

Amazonas 8 November [here](#)

PROGRAM

Day 1 – November 1 st		
UNAL CARIBE – SAN ANDRES ISLAND		
Time	Session	Location
8:30 – 9:00	Registration	UNAL CARIBE
9:00 – 10:00	<p>Workshop: Imagining 2050 Workshop</p> <p>Gerard Mullally, lecturer and Deputy Head in the Department of Sociology and Criminology in the School of Society, Politics and Ethics, University College Cork, specializing in the areas of environment, community, sustainable development and climate change.</p>	UNAL CARIBE
10:00 – 10:30	<p>Coffee break UNAL CARIBE</p>	
10:30 – 11:30	<p>Workshop: Action-orientated TDR and collaborative governance</p> <p>Evan Boyle, postdoctoral researcher with the Department of Sociology and Criminology, University College Cork and the MaREI Centre.</p>	UNAL CARIBE
11:30 – 12:00	<p>CeMarín & Sustainable Campus UNAL</p> <p>Santiago Arango, Visiting Professor Aarhus University, Denmark Professor UNAL.</p>	UNAL CARIBE
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
13:00 – 16:00	Visit to Botanical Garden & Local Community Projects	SAN ANDRÉS
16:00 – 17:00	<p>Storytelling Toolkit for Climate Action</p> <p>Cristina Bendek, Caribbean author and journalist</p>	SAN ANDRÉS

Day 2 – November 2nd
UNAL CARIBE – SAN ANDRES ISLAND

Time	Session	Location
8:30 - 9:00	<p>Colombian & San Andres Context & Challenges</p> <p>Adriana Santos, director UNAL Caribe</p> <p>Johannie Lucía James Cruz, director - Instituto de Estudios Caribeños</p>	UNAL CARIBE
9:00 - 10:00	<p>Hackathon</p> <p>Santiago Arango, John Barimo, Gerard Mullaly & Evan Boyle.</p>	UNAL CARIBE
10:00 - 11:00	<p>SDG Workshop: Open-Source Resources to Catalyse the Integration of Sustainability into Your Project</p> <p><i>John Barimo, Engaged Research Officer at University College Cork in support of the UNIC European University of Post-Industrial Cities with the aim of improving, understanding or investigating issues of public interest or concern which includes societal or global challenges.</i></p>	UNAL CARIBE
11:00 – 12:00 (COL) 16:00 – 17:00 (IRL)	<p>Welcome and Introduction</p> <p>Camilo Younes, UNAL Research VP</p> <p>Prof. John O’Halloran, UCC President</p> <p>Dr. Adrian Bonilla, Executive Director EU LAC Foundation</p> <p>Fiona Nic Dhonnacha, Ambassador of Ireland</p> <p>Patricia Cortes, Ambassador of Colombia</p>	UNAL CARIBE - Virtual
13:00 – 16:00	Hackaton (continued)	UNAL CARIBE
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
15:00 – 16:00	Final presentations	
16:00 – 17:00	Closing Session	

Day 3 – November 4th		
UNAL BOGOTÁ		
Time	Session	Location
8:30 - 9:30	Registration	UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez
9:30 - 10:15	Welcome remarks Fiona Nic Dhonnacha , Ambassador of Ireland Adrian Bonilla , Executive Director EU LAC Foundation John O’Halloran , President UCC Camilo Younes , UNAL Research VP Ismael Peña , UNAL Bogotá VP María Alejandra Guzman , <i>Dean - Faculty of Engineering</i>	UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez <i>Live Transmission</i>
10:15 - 10:30	Keynote GOAL NGO Bernard McCaul , <i>Director GOAL - Deputy Director of Programme Design and Innovation & Regional Director for LAC and Country Director for Central America.</i>	UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez <i>Live Transmission</i>
10:30 – 11:00	UCC Sustainability Research & PG Opportunities Cliona Maher , <i>Latin America Officer for University College Cork (UCC)</i> Gerard Mullally , <i>Lecturer and Deputy Head in the Department of Sociology and Criminology in the School of Society, Politics and Ethics, University College Cork (UCC)</i> Evan Boyle , <i>postdoctoral researcher with the Department of Sociology and Criminology, University College Cork (UCC) and the MaREI Centre</i> John Barimo , <i>Engaged Research Officer at University College Cork (UCC) in support of the UNIC European University of Post-Industrial Cities.</i>	UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez <i>Live Transmission</i>
11:00 – 12:00	Seminar: SDG Toolkit Seminar: Open-Source Resources to Catalyse the Integration of Sustainability into Your Curriculum (For Staff) John Barimo , <i>Engaged Research Officer at University College Cork (UCC) in support of the UNIC European University of Post-Industrial Cities.</i>	UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez <i>Live Transmission</i>
11:00 – 12:00	Internationalisation for Global Citizenship & SDGs - Erasmus + Applications (For Staff)	UNAL BOGOTÁ

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	<p>Cliona Maher, <i>Latin America Officer for University College Cork (UCC)</i></p> <p>Elizabeth Colucci, <i>Global Projects Director for the OBREAL Global Observatory</i></p>	<p>Edificio Facultad Ciencias Económicas – Auditorio 1</p> <p><i>Live Transmission</i></p>
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
13:00 – 14:30	<p>Conversations & Workshops: Imagining 2050 Workshop (For students)</p> <p>Gerard Mullally, <i>Lecturer and Deputy Head in the Department of Sociology and Criminology in the School of Society, Politics and Ethics, University College Cork, specializing in the areas of environment, community, sustainable development and climate change.</i></p>	<p>UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez</p> <p><i>Live Transmission</i></p>
	<p>Workshop: Action-orientated TDR and collaborative governance (For Students)</p> <p>Evan Boyle, <i>postdoctoral researcher with the Department of Sociology and Criminology, University College Cork(UCC) and the MaREI Centre</i></p>	
13:00 – 13:30	<p>Workshop – Green Campus Strategy & Journey (For Staff)</p> <p>Maria Kirrane, <i>Sustainability Officer for University College Cork (UCC)</i></p>	<p>UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Facultad Ciencias Económicas – Auditorio 1</p> <p><i>Live Transmission</i></p>
13:30 – 14:00	<p>Community Engagement – Cooperation and technologies exchange for climate change mitigation.</p> <p>Nataly Díaz, <i>Academic Coordinator - TRAJECTS¹ Latin America HUB</i></p>	<p>UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Facultad Ciencias Económicas – Auditorio 1</p> <p><i>Live Transmission</i></p>
14:30 – 15:00	<p>Oceans: Gran Sea Flower Caribe & EU Marine Protected Areas</p> <p>Paula Zapata, <i>PhD, MSc. Marine Biologist and Professor of research methods at UPB.</i></p>	<p>UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Parainfo Juan B. Gómez</p> <p><i>Live Transmission</i></p>

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	David Whyte , <i>postdoctoral researcher with the Department of Sociology and Criminology, University College Cork and the MaREI Centre</i>	
15:00 – 17:00	SDG Toolkit Application Workshop (Invite Only) John Barimo , <i>Engaged Research Officer at University College Cork (UCC) in support of the UNIC European University of Post-Industrial Cities.</i>	UNAL BOGOTÁ Edificio Insignia de Ingeniería Julio Garavito Armero – Paraninfo Juan B. Gómez

Day 4 - Tuesday 8 November		
UNAL AMAZONAS		
10:00h - 12:30h	SDG Workshop: Open-Source Resources to Catalyse the Integration of Sustainability into Your Project (Staff & Students) John Barimo , <i>Engaged Research Officer at University College Cork in support of the UNIC European University of Post-Industrial Cities with the aim of improving, understanding or investigating issues of public interest or concern which includes societal or global challenges.</i>	UNAL Amazonas