



EXPLORANDO EL INTERCAMBIO DE DATOS SOBRE MIGRACIÓN EN AMÉRICA LATINA

Programa

8:30	Bienvenda
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9:00-9:45 Introducción Mary McEniry

(Directora del Data Sharing for Demographic Research Project, Universidad de

Michigan)

10:00-11:30 Perspectiva América Latina

Jorge Martinez (Chile, CELADE/CEPAL) Fernando Lozano (México, CRIMM) Marcela Cerrutti (Argentina, CENEP)

11:30-12:15 Perspectiva de los participantes

12:15-12:45 Posibilidades

12:45-1:15 Plan de acción

1:15 Resumen

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Workshop on data sharing in the LAC region-August 2014 (Lima, Peru)

ALAP has an extensive cross country network of researchers organized by theme who have to some degree discussed how country specific data can be used in cross national studies in the region. The proposed workshop will complement and build on these discussions by using a group of "champion" scientists (experts in their field, respected in the field and who will be able to engage the larger demographic community in this effort) to lead a discussion on a particular topic relevant to the region and to begin to synthesize, compile and harmonize existing survey data from different Latin American countries relevant to the topic.

Given its importance (and after consultation with the ALAP board of directors), we first turn to the topic of migration. We have identified a working group of leading scientists working in the

LAC region for the topic of migration. These senior scientists all come from leading institutions and members of ALAP within the region: Fernando Lozano (Mexico, CRIMM), José Marco (Brazil, NEPO/UNICAMP), Jorge Barquero (Costa Rica), Marcela Cerrutti (Argentina, CENEP) and Julio Ortega, Ecuador.

Prior to the August ALAP congreso we will work with this group of scholars to identify broad key research questions and corresponding survey data in the LAC region that when compiled and harmonized could be helpful in conducting comparative cross national studies. Each of the selected scholars will then present relevant migration survey data from their perspective countries at the workshop and opportunities for harmonization across countries. ICPSR will present and discuss relevant US migration data from its data collection. Follow-up from the workshop will result in the writing of a concrete plan of action moving forward to seek funding for cross national data sharing projects on migration.

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