

First Meeting of the Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development

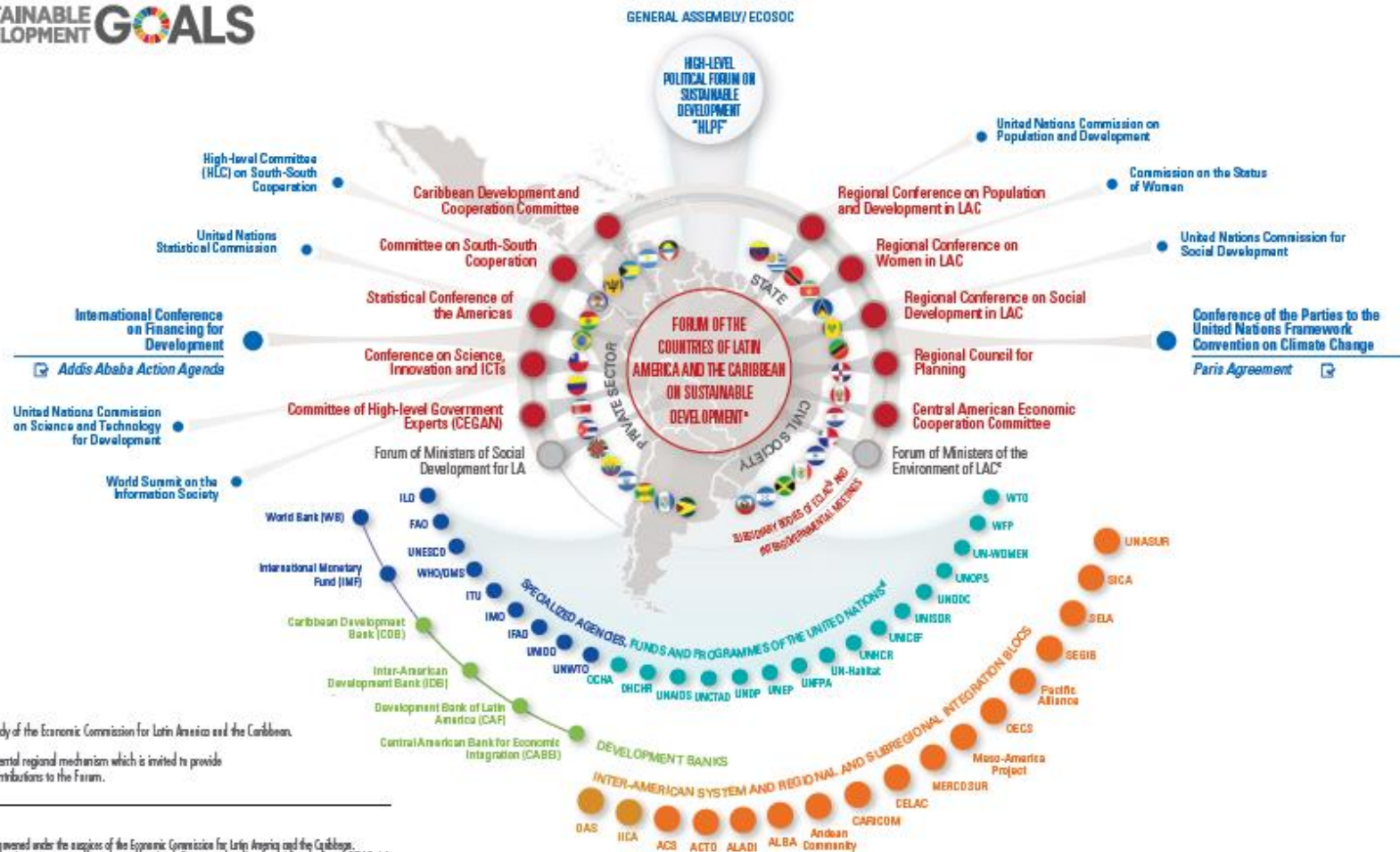


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REGIONAL AND GLOBAL DIMENSIONS OF THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development



- Subsidiary body of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean.
- Intergovernmental regional mechanism which is invited to provide inputs and contributions to the Forum.

* The Forum will be convened under the auspices of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean.
 † Due to space considerations some names have been abbreviated. For a complete list of subsidiary bodies of ECLAC visit <http://www.eclac.org/en/organs/subsidiaries>.
 ‡ UNEP/ECLAC acts as Secretariat. The Forum has also an Interagency Technical Committee composed by UNEP, UNDP, ECLAC, WFP and WB.
 § This is a nonexhaustive list. For a complete list of specialized agencies, funds and programmes of the United Nations visit <http://www.un.org/content/dam/asean/aseanchart02015>.

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), "Establishment of the Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development", resolution adopted at the thirty-sixth session of ECLAC, 27 May 2016.



ECLAC's support to the integration of the SDGs in national development plans and budgets

- **Strengthen institutional architecture;**
- **integration SDGs into national development planning;**
- **Capacity Building;**
- **Develop a regional observatory on planning for sustainable development.**



ECLAC's support to strengthening statistical capacities to measure the SDGs

- **Promote regional and national strategies for statistical development**
- **Strengthen regional and national data systems**
- **Promote regional and South-South cooperation**
- **Empower ECLAC's Statistical Conference of the Americas and its institutional support to the LAC members of the IAEG /HLG-SDGs: Regional indicators framework**
- **Enhance capacity of the National Statistical Systems**



The Regional Forum

*Bridge platform between the global and the national level
to strengthen the implementation of the 2030 Agenda and promote regional priorities*



HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Forum of the
countries of Latin
America and the
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Development



Subsidiary
bodies and
intergovernmental
meetings

UN System
Regional
Coordination
Mechanism

Regional and
Subregional
integration blocks

Development banks



The Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development

- The Forum will meet annually under the auspices of ECLAC
- Collaboration of regional and sub-regional organizations
- Promotes peer reviewing mechanism
- Participatory and multi-stakeholder
- Considers special needs: SIDS, high & middle-income countries, least developed countries





HIGHLIGHTS

- **Presentation of Reports**
- **Peer Reviews**
- **Analysis of the three dimensions of development**
- **Special session on artificial intelligence**
- **Special session on means of implementation**





OUTCOME DOCUMENTS

- **Annual report on regional progress and challenges in relation to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Latin America and the Caribbean**
- **Financing the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Latin America and the Caribbean “The challenges of resource mobilization”**
- **Agreed conclusions and recommendations of the first meeting of the Forum of the countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development**
- **Summary of the Chair of the Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development.**





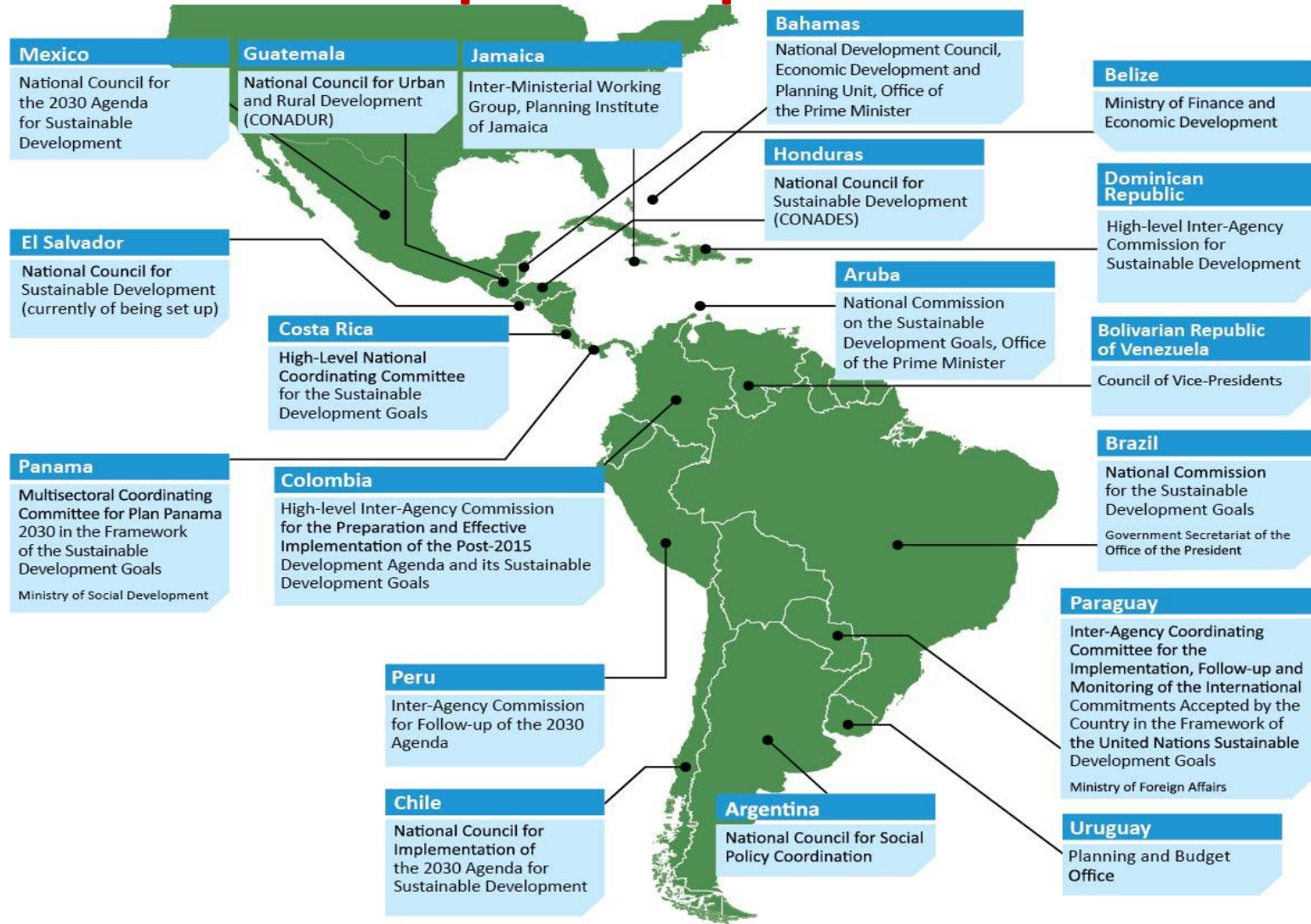
RELEVANT OUTCOMES

Participating States:

- ***Reaffirmed their commitment to the 2030 Agenda***
- ***Acknowledged 2017 VNRs from 11 countries of the region:***
Argentina, Belize, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Panamá, Perú and Uruguay
- ***Welcomed Peer learning opportunities***
- ***Generating a network of national implementation authorities, through the analysis of:***
 - i. institutional arrangements***
 - ii. measurement challenges***
 - iii. policy challenges and national priorities***



National coordination mechanisms for 2030 Agenda follow-up and implementation





RELEVANT OUTCOMES

- **Integration of the three dimensions of sustainable development is recognized as central to achieving the 2030 Agenda. The main challenges to this integration were identified:**
- **the conceptual challenge**
 - **the technical challenge**
 - **the institutional challenge**
 - **the challenge of evaluating the level of integration between economic, social and environmental policies.**



Thematic Cycles of the High Level Political Forum

HLPF 2017: “Eradicating poverty and promoting prosperity in a changing world”	HLPF 2018: “Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies”	HLPF 2019: “Empowering people and ensuring inclusiveness and equality”
<p>SDG 1. End poverty in all its forms everywhere</p> <p>SDG 2. End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture</p> <p>SDG 3. Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages</p> <p>SDG 5. Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls</p> <p>SDG 9. Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation</p> <p>SDG 14. Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development</p>	<p>SDG 6. Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all</p> <p>SDG 7. Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all</p> <p>SDG 11. Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable</p> <p>SDG12. Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns</p> <p>SDG15. Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss</p>	<p>SDG 4. Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all</p> <p>SDG 8. Promote sustained, inclusive & sustainable economic growth, full & productive employment decent work for all</p> <p>SDG 10. Reduce inequality within and among countries</p> <p>SDG 13. Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts*</p> <p>SDG 16. Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels</p>

SDG17. Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development



More information on the website of the Forum: <http://foroalc2030.cepal.org/2017/en>

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Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean Reaffirmed their Collective Commitment to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development as Forum Concluded in Mexico

PROGRAMME

Mon,
Apr
24
2017

Access Plaza Juárez. Secretariat of Foreign Affairs of Mexico

The registration of participants to the Forum has closed. Individuals who registered online and received confirmation e-mail can withdraw their credentials on Monday, April 24 and Tuesday, April 25

10:00 am to 06:00 pm

ANNUAL REPORT ON REGIONAL PROGRESS



Annual report on regional progress and challenges in relation to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Latin America and the Caribbean

America and the Caribbean

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OUTCOME

ABOUT THE EVENT

At the thirty-sixth session of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), held in Mexico City from 23 to 27 May 2016, the member States adopted resolution 700 (XXXVI), Mexico Resolution, which established the Forum of the Countries of Latin America and the Caribbean on Sustainable Development as a regional mechanism to follow up and review the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, including the Sustainable Development Goals and targets, its means of implementation, and the Addis Ababa Action Agenda. The Economic and Social Council subsequently endorsed the establishment of the Forum in its resolution 2016/12.

MOBILE APPLICATION



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