Seventeenth Conference of Ministers and Heads of Planning of Latin America and the Caribbean
Santiago (hybrid meeting), 17–18 January 2023

Twenty-ninth meeting of the Presiding Officers of the Regional Council for Planning of the Latin American and Caribbean Institute for Economic and Social Planning (ILPES)
Santiago (hybrid meeting), 19 January 2023

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME
(Santiago time, GMT-3)

Tuesday, 17 January

10.00 – 10.30 a.m. Opening session of the seventeenth Conference of Ministers and Heads of Planning of Latin America and the Caribbean

- Héctor Alexander, Minister of Economy and Finance of Panama, in his capacity as Chair of the Regional Council for Planning of the Latin American and Caribbean Institute for Economic and Social Planning (ILPES)
- Raúl García-Buchaca, Deputy Executive Secretary for Management and Programme Analysis of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)

10.30 – 11 a.m. Coffee break

11 a.m. – noon Panel 1 – Foresight as a tool for building innovative and participatory public policies

- Opening remarks
- Presentations by country delegations

Noon – 12.30 p.m. Statements by delegations
12.30 – 1.30 p.m.  **Panel 2 – The open State and citizen participation at the heart of the new public service**
- Opening remarks
- Presentations by country delegations

1.30 – 2.00 p.m.  Statements by delegations

2 – 3.30 p.m.  Lunch break

3.30 – 4.30 p.m.  Side event: Gender mainstreaming in planning

4.30 – 5 p.m.  Coffee break

5 – 6 p.m.  Side event: Presentation of the book *Patrones de desarrollo económico en los seis países de Centroamérica (1950-2018)* (ECLAC subregional headquarters in Mexico)

6.30 p.m.  Reception hosted by the Government of Panama

**Wednesday, 18 January**

10 – 11 a.m.  **Panel 3 – The role of innovation in public institutions in accelerating full implementation of the Goals of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development**
- Opening remarks
- Presentations by country delegations

11 – 11.30 a.m.  Statements by delegations

11.30 a.m. – noon  Coffee break

Noon – 1 p.m.  **Panel 4 – The challenges of a new public service in the territory**
- Opening remarks
- Presentations by country delegations

1 – 1.30 p.m.  Statements by delegations

1.30 – 3 p.m.  Lunch break

3 – 5 p.m.  Workshop on foresight for development
Thursday, 19 January

Closed session for delegations

10.00 – 10.20 a.m.  Opening session of the twenty-ninth meeting of the Presiding Officers of the Regional Council for Planning of ILPES

10.20 – 10.30 a.m.  Adoption of the agenda and organization of work.

10.30 – 11 a.m.  Report on the activities carried out by the Latin American and Caribbean Institute for Economic and Social Planning (ILPES) since the eighteenth meeting of the Regional Council for Planning

11 – 11.30 a.m.  Statements by delegations

11.30 a.m. – noon  Presentation of the programme of work of the Latin American and Caribbean Institute for Economic and Social Planning (ILPES) for 2023

Noon – 12.30 p.m.  Coffee break

12.30 – 1 p.m.  Preparations for the nineteenth meeting of the Regional Council for Planning of the Latin American and Caribbean Institute for Economic and Social Planning (ILPES)

1 p.m. – 1.30 p.m.  Consideration and adoption of agreements.

1.30 – 2 p.m.  Closing remarks

- Representative of ECLAC
- Representative of Panama