Technical and Vocational Education and Training for labour inclusion and greater equality in Latin America and the Caribbean

ECLAC Seminar – Norwegian Government
13th and 14th of March of 2019
Raúl Prebisch conference room, Santiago

Day 1

9:00 – 10:00   **Inaugural session**
Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary, ECLAC: "The inefficiency of inequality"
Beate Stirø, Norwegian ambassador in Chile

10:00- 10:40   **Keynote speaker**
Anna Hagen Tønder, FAFO: "Technical and Vocational Education and Training in Norway"

10:40 – 11:00   Coffee break

11:00 – 13:00   **Session 1: The present and the future of work: inclusion challenges**

Moderator: Laís Abramo, Social Division Director of ECLAC

- Jürgen Weller, ECLAC: "Technological change and the challenges for the employment generation"
- Simone Cecchini, ECLAC: "Social and labour inclusion: the double challenge for public policies aimed at overcoming poverty and reducing inequality"
- Lucia Scuro, ECLAC: "Transformations in the labour market and women's economic autonomy"

Comments:
- Gabriel Vianni, Unión Industrial Argentina y miembro empleador del Consejo de Administración de la OIT
- Alejandra Angriman, Trade Union Confederation of Workers of the Americas (TUCA-CSA)

13:00 - 14:30   **Lunch**

14:30 – 16:00 Session 2: Technical and Vocational Education and Training as a pathway to inclusion

Moderator: Ernesto Espíndola, Social Development Division of ECLAC
- Leandro Sepúlveda, Universidad Alberto Hurtado, Chile: "Technical-professional education in Latin America: challenges and opportunities for gender equality"
- Wayne Wesley, Caribbean Examination Council: "Technical-professional education and social inclusion in Caribbean countries"
- Andrés Tomaselli, international consultant: "Technical education in Ecuador: the profile of its users and its effects on labour market and productive inclusion"
- Paulina Araneda, Grupo Educativo, Chile: "Study of the improvements in secondary education in Dominican Republic"
- Discussion

16:00 – 16:15   Coffee break

16:15 – 18:00	Session 3: The construction of an effective Technical and Vocational Education and Training system

Moderator: Eduardo Ramírez, Technical and Technological Education Undersecretary of SENESCYT, Ecuador (to be confirmed)
- Borhene Chakroun, UNESCO: "The challenges of technical vocational education at a global level"
- Daniela Trucco, ECLAC: "Technical professional education outlook in Latin America and the Caribbean"
- Marcelo Feres: "Technical professional education and training in Brazil" (to be confirmed)
- Claudia Jacinto, Instituto de Desarrollo Económico y Social (IDES), Argentina: "Linkages between secondary and professional education in Argentina: built by actors or promoted by policies?"
- Discussion

Day 2

9:00 – 10:30	Session 4: Women in Technical and Vocational Education and Training systems in Latin America

Moderator: to be defined
- Hortensia Moreno: "Women's trajectories: Technical-professional education and work in Mexico"
- Cristina Bloj: "Women's trajectories: Technical-professional education and work in Argentina"
- Carolina Muñoz: "Labour market training for the economic autonomy of women in poverty situations: the case of Chile"
- Alma Espino: "Labour market training for the economic autonomy of women in poverty situations: the case of Uruguay"
- Discussion

10:30 – 12:00	Session 5: Identification and anticipation of skills demand. Experiences in the developed world

Moderator: to be defined
- Fabio Manca, OECD "Skill needs anticipation in Europe" (to be confirmed)
- Nils Martin Stølen, Statistics Norway: "Forecasting demand and supply of labour by education"
- Michael Tiemann, Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training (BIBB), Germany: "Methods for anticipating the demand of skills and some recent results, the case of Germany"
- Erwin Gómez, Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC): "Canadian Occupational Projection System in Canada: recent output and developments"
- Discussion

12:00-12:15   Coffee break

| 12: 15 – 13:30 | **Session 6: Identification and anticipation of skills demand: experiences in Latin America** |

Moderator: to be defined
- Fernando Vargas, Centro Interamericano para el Desarrollo del Conocimiento en la Formación Profesional (CINTERFOR): "Skills gaps in Latin America"
- Sonia Albornoz, ECLAC: "Experiences of identification and anticipation of skills demand in Latin America"
- Alexis Cruz, Ministerio de Economía Planificación y Desarrollo, Dominican Republic: "Models of labor demand projections in Dominican Republic"
- Felipe McRostie, Observatorio Laboral - SENCE, Chile: "Models of labour market demand identification by occupations in Chile"
- Discussion

| 13:30 – 14:30 | **Lunch** |

| 14:30 – 16:00 | **Session 7: Labour market information systems** |

Moderator: Gisele Morínigo Veiluva, Ministerio de Trabajo, empleo y seguridad social de Paraguay
- Sonia Gontero, ECLAC: "The construction of labour market information systems in Latin America"
- Stefano Farné, Observatorio del Mercado de Trabajo y la Seguridad Social de la Universidad Externado de Colombia
- Mariana Eugenio Almeido, Ministério do Trabalho do Brasil, Observatório Nacional do Mercado de Trabalho
- Deyanira Matrille, Labour Department, Dominican Republic, Observatorio del Mercado Laboral Dominicano
- Iliana Vaca-Trigo, División de Asuntos de Género, CEPAL: "Indicadores que visibilizan las brechas de género en el mercado laboral"
  Discussion

| 16:00 – 16:15 | **Coffee break** |

| 16:15 – 17:45 | **Session 8: Financing Technical and Vocational Education and Training** |

Moderator: to be defined
- Michael Hanni, ECLAC: "Financing Technical and Vocational Education and Training systems in Latin America and the Caribbean"
- Giorgio Brosio: "Inequalities, territorial impact and (decentralized) provision of education"
- Oscar Cetrángolo: "Financing and education spending in Latin America"
- Alejandra Macias Centro de Investigación Económica y Presupuestaria, "Public financing of Trade and Vocational Education in México"
- Andrés Palma: "Financing de educational reform in Chile" (to be confirmed)
  Discussion

| 17:45 – 18:00 | **Closing session ECLAC** |