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#### **9° SESSION** UN-GGIM: Americas

#### AmeriGEO Advancing Inter-American Cooperación

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Session 5

November 28, 29 and 30 Santiago de Chile, ECLAC

### Agenda

Provide an overview of 2022 Activities and looking ahead to 2023

- 2022 Accomplishments
  - Workplan
  - Capacity Development
  - Data, Información and Knowledge
  - Communications
- 2023 Collaboration





AGUASCALIENTES DECLARATION Better together: Geospatial information for decision making in the Americas<sup>1</sup>

The Joint Virtual Session of UN-GGIM: Americas and AmeriGEO 9 September 2020

We, the participants of the UN-GGIM: Americas and AmeriGEO Joint Virtual Session, held on 9 September 2020, having had preparatory discussions and meetings to strengthen and improve collaboration between both bodies on the use of Earth observations, geographic, statistical and other information (hereafter referred to as geospatial data), hereby issue this **Declaration on** "Better together: Geospatial information for decision making in the Americas".

## **Inter-American Cooperation**

Communications	Capacity Development	Data, Information & Knowledge
Work Plans   Joint development to build synergy		
Inter-American Academy   Promote Open Learning		
<b>UN DRR Toolkit  </b> <i>Knowledge resources for disaster risk resilience</i>		
<b>Open Science  </b> UN DRR Mapathon promote awareness build skills		
Sustainable Development   Toolkit and cooperation to advance SDG's		

### Disaster Risk Resilience Toolkit

Partnership to Advance use of EO for DRR

The toolkit provides users with direct access to open source EO tools, services and methodologies, as well as technical guidance, to fill knowledge gaps on hazards, vulnerabilities and exposure at country level.



The four use cases currently in the toolkit demonstrate how:

- In **Honduras**, a precipitation and flood forecasting tool helped state-owned power company manage reservoir before a major hurricane, reducing damage and economic losses;
- In **Haiti**, an EO-based service supported post-disaster needs assessment and recovery planning following the 2021 earthquake and a tropical storm;
- In Uganda, a crop monitoring and early warning system enabled proactive drought response, and;
- In **Ecuador**, EO methodology and tools enabled Sendai Framework reporting for indicator B-5a on the impact of flooding.

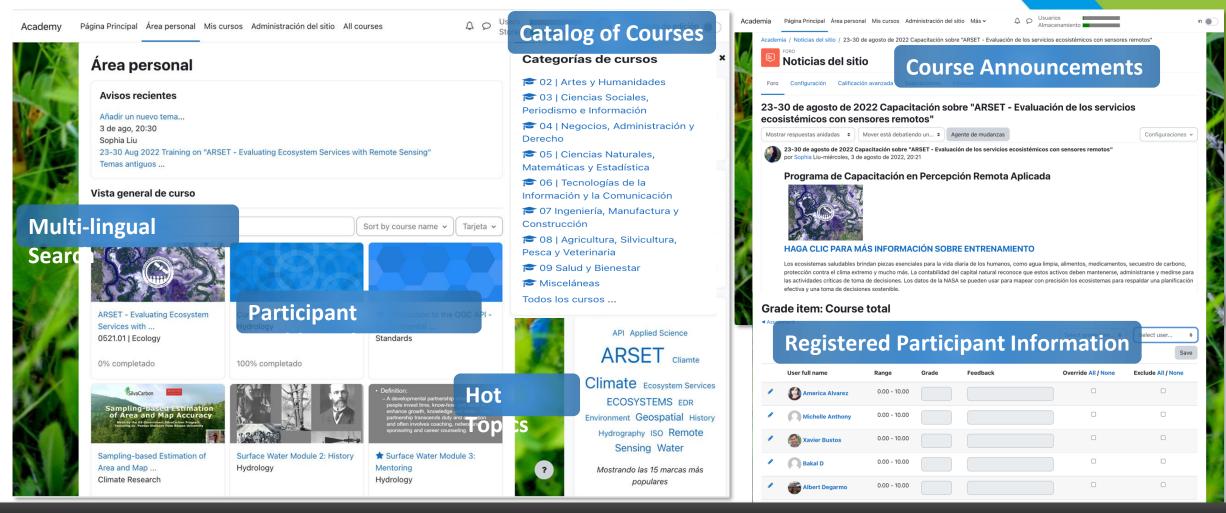
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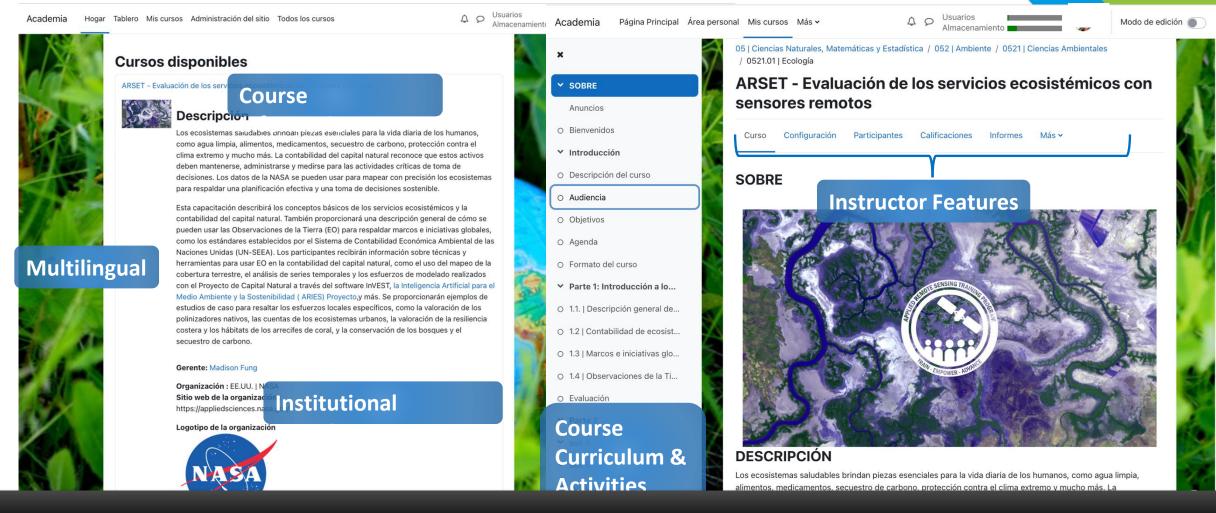


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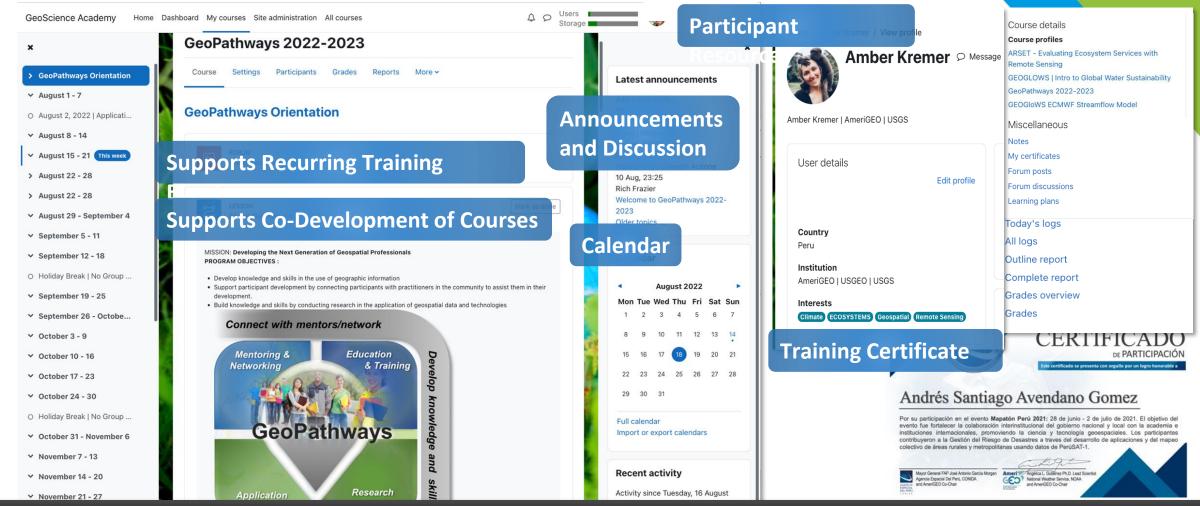
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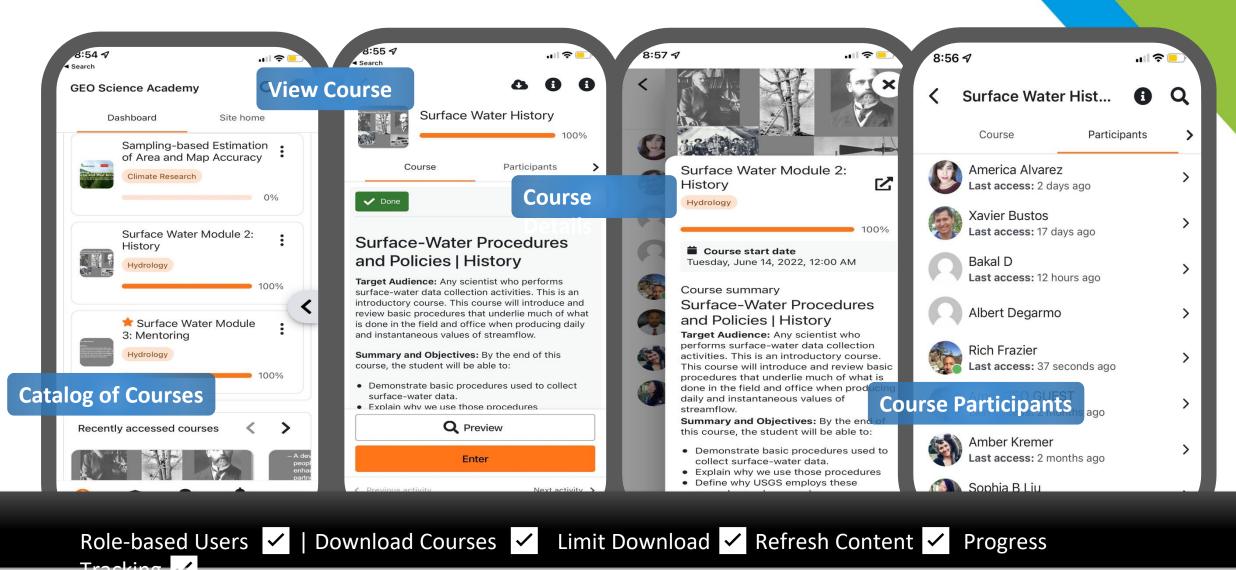
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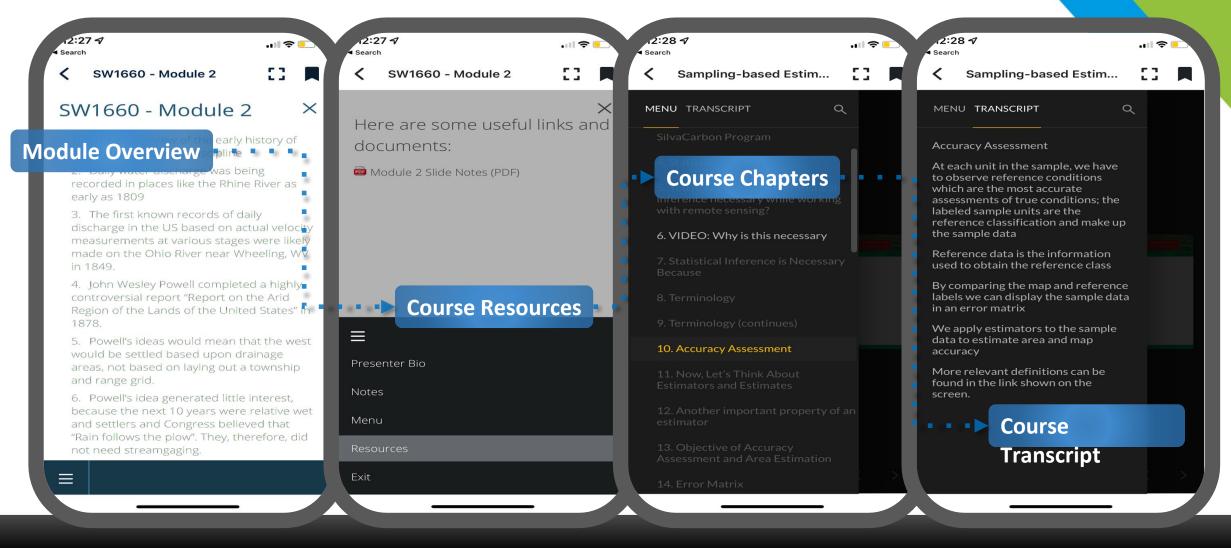


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## Summary

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# **Capacity Development**

- Development of a workplan
- Joint meetings to discuss opportunities to
- Promoting Regional Open Learning Opportunities