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## Meeting of Research Centres and Study Associations based in Europe dedicated to the analysis of Latin America and the Caribbean and the Bi-regional Relations between Europe and Latin America and the Caribbean

### - Agenda -

**Dates:** 28 - 29 April 2022  
**Organisation:** EU-LAC Foundation, Ibero American-Institute (IAI), GIGA Institute for Latin American Studies (GIGA-ILAS)  
**Format:** on-site event  
**Venue:** Simon Bolivar Hall, Ibero-American Institute (IAI)  
Potsdamer Strasse 37, 10785 Berlin

#### Thursday, 28 April 2022, 10:00-18:00 (CEST)

##### 10:00 – 10:15 **Welcoming remarks and brief introduction**

Adrián Bonilla – EU-LAC Foundation  
Barbara Göbel – Ibero-American Institute (IAI)  
Merike Blofield – GIGA - Institute of Latin American Studies (ILAS)

##### 10:15 – 10:55 **Presentation of research centres / associations**

*Each centre and association will be asked to send, one week before the event, a profile of their institution (including information about the legal nature, institutional structure, staff and member entities, thematic research focus, main forms of knowledge dissemination and advocacy, link to website). These profiles will be shared among all participants. In this session of the Berlin meeting, the representatives of each research centre/association will be able to highlight the most relevant information of this institutional profile in short interventions of no more than 3 min per centre.*

*Moderation: Anna Barrera*

##### 11:05 – 12:35 **Recent global challenges and their impact on the research agendas of the centres and associations**

*Open dialogue among participants, based on guiding question (1)*

*Moderation: Adrián Bonilla*

##### 12:35 – 14:00 **Lunch Break**



**14:00 – 15:30 Recent global scenarios and their implications for the centres' and associations' transfer of information and knowledge**

*Open dialogue between the participants, based on guiding question (2)*

*Moderation: Peter Birle*

**15:35 – 17:05 The challenges and opportunities that emerged for EU-CELAC bi-regional cooperation against the background of the new global scenarios**

*Open dialogue among participants, based on guiding question (3)*

*Moderation: Bert Hoffmann*

**17:10 – 17:50 Presentation and discussion of recent publications**

**Gaspard Estrada – Political Observatory of Latin America and the Caribbean (OPALC), CERI – Sciences Po**  
*“Latin America. The Political Year 2021”*

**Jerónimo Giorgi and Mélanie Barragán – Editorial Latinoamerica21**  
*“Atlas 21: The post Covid-19 world. Paradigm shift?”*

*Moderation: Anna Barrera*

**Friday, 29 April 2022, 09:30-13:00 (CEST)**

**09:30 – 11:00 The impact of research centres and associations on decision-making processes at national and European level**

*Open dialogue between participants, based on guiding question (4)*

*Moderation: Merike Blofield*

**11:05 – 12:35 Shared interests, complementarities and possible joint efforts between the research centres and associations**

*Open dialogue between participants, based on guiding question (5)*

*Moderation: Barbara Göbel*

**12:40 – 13:00 Final reflections**

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