Fourth meeting of the Presiding Officers of the Regional Conference on Population and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean

Santiago, 9–10 October 2019

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME
Celso Furtado conference room

Wednesday, 9 October

8.30 – 9 a.m. Registration
8.30 – 9 a.m. Meetings of heads of delegation
9 – 9.25 a.m. Opening session
   • Remarks by Raul García-Buchaca, Deputy Executive Secretary for Management and Programme Analysis of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)
   • Remarks by Gloria Montenegro Figueroa, Minister for Women’s Affairs and Vulnerable Populations of Peru, in her capacity as Chair of the Presiding Officers of the Regional Conference on Population and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean
   • Remarks by Pablo Salazar, Regional Adviser on Population and Development of the Regional Office for Latin America and the Caribbean of the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)
9.25 – 9.30 a.m. Adoption of the agenda
9.30 – 10 a.m. Report of the Chair
               Report of the secretariat
10 – 10.45 a.m. Report of the working group on indicators for regional follow-up of the Montevideo Consensus on Population and Development

- Presentation by the coordinator of the working group

10.45 – 11.15 a.m. Coffee break

11.15 a.m. – noon Prototype of the virtual platform to contribute to the regional follow-up of the Montevideo Consensus on Population and Development

- Presentation by the secretariat

Noon – 1 p.m. Reports by governments on progress in the implementation of the Montevideo Consensus on Population and Development

1 – 2.30 p.m. Recess

2.30 – 4 p.m. Reports by governments on progress in the implementation of the Montevideo Consensus on Population and Development (continued)

4 – 4.30 p.m. Coffee break

4.30 – 6 p.m. Panel on “Good practices in the implementation of the Montevideo Consensus on Population and Development”

Moderator: Juan Carlos Alfonso Fraga, Director of the Centre for Population and Development Studies (CEPDE) of the National Office of Statistics and Information (ONEI) of Cuba

- Raúl Horacio de Jesús Cantú, Director-General for Population Programmes and International Affairs of the Secretariat of the National Council for Population (CONAPO) of Mexico

- Elena Ramos Tenorio, Director-General of Population, Development and Volunteerism of the Ministry of Women’s Affairs and Vulnerable Populations of Peru

- Pablo Álvarez, President of the Sectoral Commission on Population and Development of the Office of Planning and the Budget of Uruguay

6.30 p.m. (Reception)

Thursday, 10 October

9 – 10.30 a.m. Panel on “Opportunities and challenges of the demographic transformation for sustainable development”

Moderator: Juan Daniel Oviedo, Director of the National Administrative Department of Statistics (DANE) of Colombia

- Verónica Cerdas Benavides, Auditor in the Office of the Comptroller-General of the Republic of Costa Rica

- Roland Pardo Saravia, Deputy Director of Social Policy of the Economic and Social Policy Analysis Unit (UDAPE) of the Plurinational State of Bolivia
• Nimia Torres, Director of Results-based Management of the Technical Secretariat of Planning for Economic and Social Development of Paraguay
• Andre Richards, Senior Demographer in the Population and Health Unit of the Planning Institute of Jamaica

10.30 – 11 a.m. Coffee break

11 – 11.45 a.m. Panel on “Synergies with other subsidiary bodies of ECLAC in the framework of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”
Moderator: Fabiana del Popolo, Coordinator of the Demography and Population Information Area of the Latin American and Caribbean Demographic Centre (CELADE)-Population Division of ECLAC
• Lucía Scuro, Social Affairs Officer in the Division for Gender Affairs of ECLAC
• Laís Abramo, Chief of the Social Development Division of ECLAC
• Xavier Mancero, Chief of the Social Statistics Unit of the Statistics Division of ECLAC

11.45 a.m. – noon Preparatory process of the fourth session of the Regional Conference on Population and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean

Noon – 12.30 p.m. Other matters
• The Nairobi Summit on ICPD25: Accelerating the promise, Nairobi, 12–14 November 2019 (presentation by UNFPA)
• Report on the Regional Intergovernmental Conference on Ageing and the Rights of Older Persons in Latin America and the Caribbean, by the Chair of the Conference
• Report on the publication Migración y desarrollo sostenible: la centralidad de los derechos humanos. Textos seleccionados 2008-2019

12.30 – 12.45 p.m. Consideration and adoption of agreements

12.45 – 1 p.m. Closing session