

Worlddidac Delegation to Ecuador

Presentation Ecuador Education Challenge to match with Advanced EDTECH Solution

Worlddidac Delegation virtual visit to Ecuador

Date:

November Tuesday 9th, to Thursday 11th, 2021.

Virtual from 14:00 to 17:00 (GMT+1/CET), 08:00 to 11:00 (GMT-5)

Participants:**From Ecuador:**

Ministry of Education MINEDUC, National Secretary for Education, Science and Technology SENEYT, advanced private and public universities of Ecuador, leader VET institutes y colleges public and private of Ecuador, another actor for education.

From Worlddidac:

Participants are either manufacturers and/or suppliers of EDTECH solutions targeting ISCED levels 3-5.

Why Ecuador:

After years of educational reform and policy design, Ecuador is one of the Latin-American countries with the highest potential in its education infrastructure. National programs as well as international donors such as the World Bank, IDB, EBRD, MCC are focusing on the most challenging educational activities to offer Ecuador as one of the most favorite destinations for foreign investment for decades to come. Educational stakeholders in Ecuador will need to know the most advanced educational solutions to offer the best return on investment that the educational system need to consider.

Why Worlddidac (www.worlddidac.org):

Worlddidac is the only global trade association of manufacturers and suppliers of EdTech solutions, not representing any national interest from one education system over another. Innovation and competitive advantages offered by Worlddidac members make the association worth considering for conferences, exhibitions, research papers, and partnerships, driving the world of education as an indispensable support toward enriching national economies for more qualification and socio-economic progress.

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CONCEPTUAL NOTE AND PRELIMINARY AGENDA

OBJECTIVES OF THE EVENT

- Promote the exchange and link between academia, industry, the state and international cooperation in the promotion of technical education in Ecuador.
- Connect organizations, companies, and experts to foster dialogue, partnerships, and initiatives to advance educational development and promote innovation.
- Collaborate with policy makers to identify, address and resolve gaps in education.
- Encourage companies that value integrity and business ethics and want to have a positive impact on education to join us.

FORMAT OF THE EVENT:

The event has been divided into 6 working groups over 3 days with sessions of 90 minutes. Each session will be aimed at a specific group of participants divided into:

- **Group 1 and 2:** Government institutions in charge of education in Ecuador
- **Group 3 and 4:** Ecuadorian public and private universities of greater relevance in EDTECH.
- **Group 5 and 6:** Ecuadorian public and private VET institutes of greater relevance in EDTECH.

Each group of participants during the 90 minutes of the session, will be able to present their position regarding their activities on EDTECH and, in turn, receive high-level EDTECH solution presentations from the participating companies.

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AGENDA

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SCHEDULE	PROGRAM	PARTICIPANTS
LATAM: 8:00-9:30 (GMT-5) EUROPE: 14:00-15:30 (GMT+1/CET) Group 1 Government institutions in charge of EDTECH Technical Education in Ecuador.	Presentation Ecuador Education Challenge to match with Advanced EDTECH Solution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00-8:05 (14:00-14:05) General presentation (Dr. Nader Imani WD president; Xavier Mendieta LATAM WD ambassador) 8:05-8:35 (14:05-14:35) Focus of the main activities on EDTECH technical education (latest reforms of secondary EDTECH system, current demand, current and future VET programs, ...) from the point of view of the main authorities of the government institutions in charge of technical education in Ecuador. 8:35-9:10 (14:35-15:10) Presentations from participating companies of their respective top innovative EdTech solutions. 9:10-9:25 (15:10-15:25) Q&A 9:25-9:28 (15:25-15:28) Small video about WorldSkills 9:28-9:30 (15:28-15:30) Finals words from WD LATAM 	EC: MINEDUC his Excellency the Minister of Education and responsible from his Ministry Other actors involved in EDTECH. WD: List of Participating companies. (TBD)
LATAM: 9:35-11:05 (GMT-5) EUROPE: 15:35-17:05 (GMT+1/CET) Group 2 Government institutions in charge of EDTECH Technical Education in Ecuador.	Presentation Ecuador Education Challenge to match with Advanced EDTECH Solution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:35-9:40 (15:35-15:40) General Presentation (Dr. Nader Imani WD president; Xavier Mendieta LATAM WD ambassador) 9:40-10:10 (15:40-16:10) Focus of the main activities on EDTECH technical education (latest reforms of secondary EDTECH system, current demand, current and future programs, ...) from the point of view of the main authorities of the government institutions in charge of technical education in Ecuador. 10:10-10:45 (16:10-16:45) Presentations from participating companies of their respective top innovative EDTECH solutions. 10:45-11:00 (16:45-17:00) Q&A 11:00-11:03 (17:00-17:03) Small video about WorldSkills 11:03-11:05 (17:03-17:05) Finals words from WD LATAM 	EC: SENESCYT Director of the National Secretariat of Education Science and Technology and the different secretaries in charge of EDTECH Other actors of technical education EDTECH WD: List of Participating Companies.: (TBD)

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DATE: November Wednesday 10th, 2021

SCHEDULE	PROGRAM	PARTICIPANTS
LATAM: 8:00-9:30 (GMT-5) EUROPE: 14:00-15:30 (GMT+1/CET) Group 3 Ecuadorian public and private universities of greater relevance in EDTECH	Presentation Ecuador Education Challenge to match with Advanced EDTECH Solution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00- 8:05 (14:00-14:05) General presentation (Dr. Nader Imani WD president; Xavier Mendieta LATAM WD ambassador) 8:05-8:35 (14:05-14:35) <i>Focus from the academy, of the main activities on technical education EDTECH (latest reforms to the system, current demand, current and future programs, ...) from the point of view of the main authorities of the universities.</i> 8:35-9:10 (14:35-15:10) Presentations from participating companies of their respective top innovative EDTECH solutions. 9:10-9:25 (15:10-15:25) Q&A 9:25-9:28 (15:25-15:28) Small video about WorldSkills 9:28-9:30 (15:28-15:30) Finals words from WD LATAM 	EC: Director and head of faculties of at least 5 of the best universities in the country. WD: List of Participating companies. (TBD)
LATAM: 9:35-11:05 (GMT-5) EUROPE: 15:35-17:05 (GMT+1/CET) Group 4 Ecuadorian public and private universities of greater relevance in EDTECH	Presentation Ecuador Education Challenge to match with Advanced EDTECH Solution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:35-9:40 (15:35-15:40) General Presentation (Dr. Nader Imani WD president; Xavier Mendieta LATAM WD ambassador) 9:40-10:10 (15:40-16:10) <i>Focus from the academy, of the main activities on technical education EDTECH (latest reforms to the system, current demand, current and future programs, ...) from the point of view of the main authorities of the universities.</i> 10:10-10:45 (16:10-16:45) Presentations from participating companies of their respective top innovative EDTECH solutions. 10:45-11:00 (16:45-17:00) Q&A 11:00-11:03 (17:00-17:03) Small video about WorldSkills 11:03-11:05 (17:03-17:05) Finals words from WD LATAM 	EC: Rectors and head of faculties of at least 5 of the best universities in the country. WD: List of Participating companies. (TBD)

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DATE: November Thursday 11th, 2021

SCHEDULE	PROGRAM	PARTICIPANTS
8:00-9:30 (GMT-5) EUROPE: 14:00-15:30 (GMT+1/CET) Group 5 Ecuadorian public and private VET Institutes of greater relevance in EDTECH	Presentation Ecuador Education Challenge to match with Advanced EDTECH Solution. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00- 8:05 (14:00-14:05) General Presentation 8:05-8:35 (14:05-14:35) <i>Focus VET of the main activities on technical education EDTECH (latest reforms to the system, current demand, current and future programs, etc.) from the point of view of the main authorities of technical institutions.</i> 8:35-9:10 (14:35-15:10) Presentations from participating companies of their respective top innovative EDTECH solutions. 9:10-9:25 (15:10-15:25) Q&A 9:25-9:28 (15:25-15:28) Small video about WorldSkills 9:28-9:30 (15:28-15:30) Finals words from WD LATAM 	EC: Principals and head authorities from at least 5 of the leading VET institutes of the country. WD: List of Participating companies. (TBD)
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The event will be simultaneously translated from English to Spanish and vice versa.

Note: Per availability of Ecuadorian decision-makers the agenda date is subject to confirmation (2 to 3 weeks)

