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ACADEMIC NETWORK AMERICAS

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ACTIVITIES
Work Plan 2023- 2024

- UN-GGIM: Americas
- Academic Network

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COMMUNICATION

- Incorporate the Academic Network's website into the new UN-GGIM: Americas site
- Social Media

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UN-GGIM:Americas Academic Network

Objetive

The primary objective of the UN-GGIM Academic Network Americas (ANA) is to academically support the aims and objectives of the United Nations Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management (UN-GGIM) in the Americas region.

The Academic Network Americas will facilitate access to research and education for UN-GGIM by producing knowledge in the region's main languages. The UN-GGIM Academic Network Americas will be comprised of recognized universities and education centers involved in the research and development of geospatial information and related matters in different parts of the Americas. Academic Network Americas will be a subsidiary of the UN-GGIM World Academic Network and membership will be on a volunteer basis.

Functions

The following are the main functions of the Academic Network Americas:

- Provide academic advice to the UN-GGIM: Americas Committee of Experts on subjects involving strategic knowledge, research, education and training in geospatial information management.
- Provide a coordination and dialogue forum for academics and researchers from the geospatial information management community with a view to advancing activities related to the competencies and qualifications needed for the administration, management, and use of geospatial information.
- Serve as a subsidiary arm for UN-GGIM World Academic Network and its related organizations and affiliated members so that they can achieve their visions and goals based on needs in the Americas.
- Undertake activities that foster collaboration amongst universities and research centers in the Americas; this includes identifying and addressing common research topics and overarching trends.
- Elaborate academic strategies according to the UN-GGIM Americas Plan of Action.
- Identify the challenges and opportunities in which UN-GGIM World Academic Network and UN-GGIM: Americas can promote inclusion and development based on an academic response.
- Promote links with the UN-GGIM Americas Private Sector Network.
- Advise on UN-GGIM capacity building programs in the Americas region.
- Identify and inform UN-GGIM concerning gaps in academic knowledge or problems that may exist or arise, and propose initiatives when appropriate to address such questions and challenges.
- Encourage countries in the Americas to undertake research and academic work that contributes to the UN Sustainable Development Goals and other areas related to the UN-GGIM Americas specific agenda.
- Encourage the development and sharing of geospatial analytical tools and technologies in the Americas.

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Términos de Referencia (ToR) de la Red Académica de las Américas de UN-GGIM (ANA) Español — DESCARGAR

Términos de Referencia (ToR) de la Red Académica de las Américas de UN-GGIM (ANA) English — DESCARGAR

Informe reporte de la Red Académica 2024 — DESCARGAR

Procedimiento de Admisión para la Red Académica de UN-GGIM: Américas (ANA) — DESCARGAR

Plan de trabajo 2024 - Red Académica — DESCARGAR

Reporte Red Académica 2022 - 2023 — DESCARGAR

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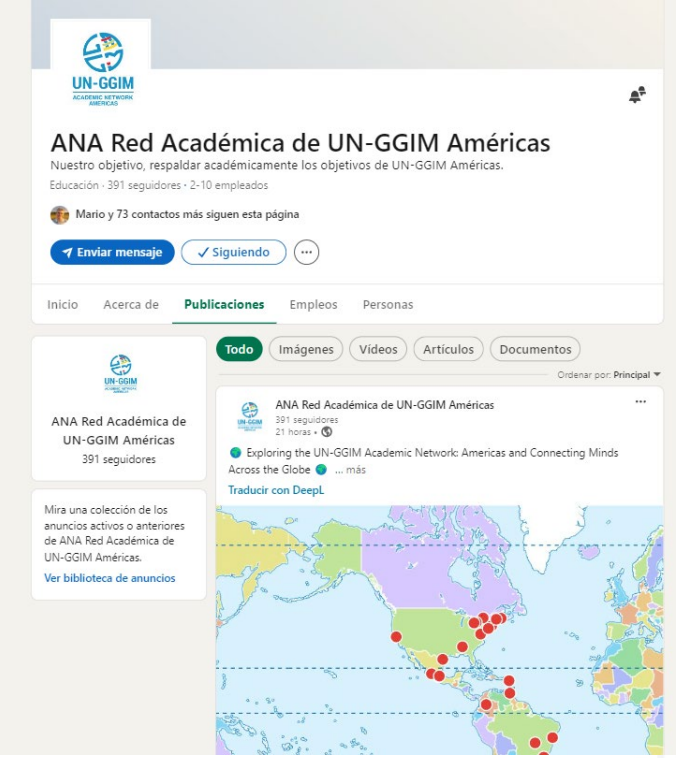

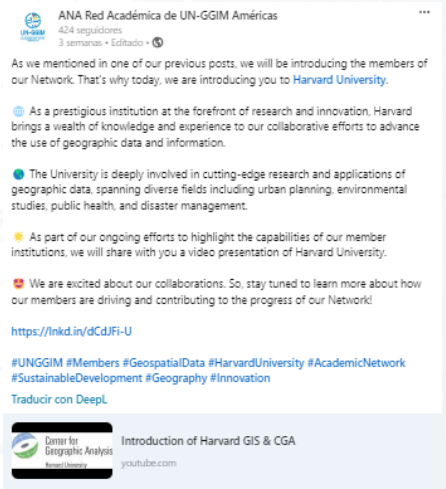

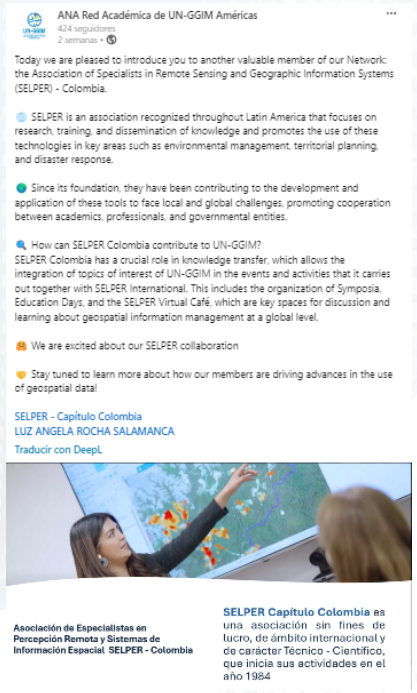

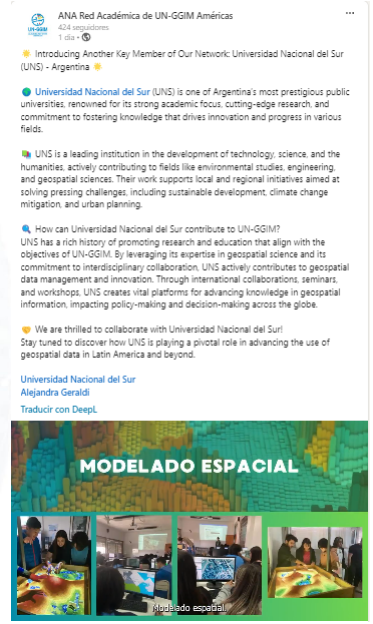

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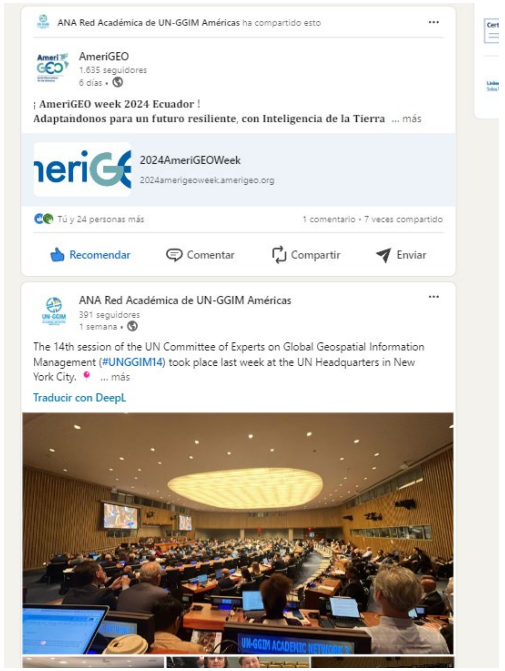

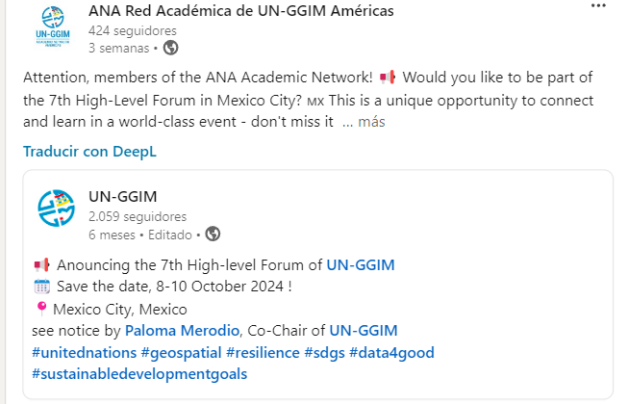

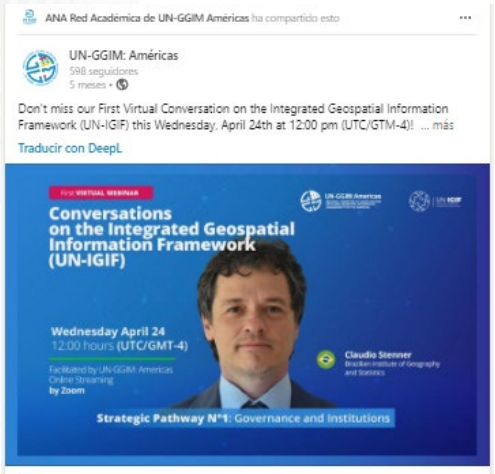

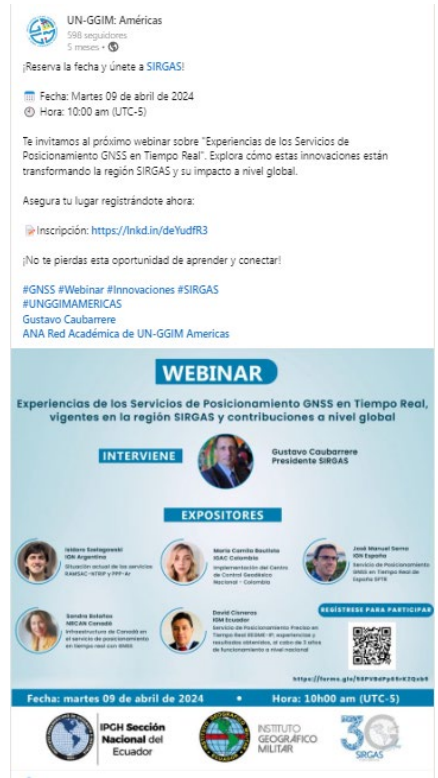

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COLLABORATION

Collaboration with the UN-GGIM working teams, particularly the Americas

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Members of ANA in the working groups of UN-GGIM

- **IGIF CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT WORKING GROUP:** Rosario Casanova (Coordinator of translation teams)

- **WG on the Integrated Geospatial Information Framework for the Americas**
  - Emmanuel Stefanakis - University of Calgary
  - Dr. Alejandra M. Geraldi - Universidad Nacional del Sur
- **WG on the Geodetic Reference Frame for the Americas (GRFA)**
  - Dana Caccamise - NOAA
  - Daniel Delcogliano - Universidad Nacional de La Plata
- **WG on the Strategic Framework for Geospatial Information and Services for Disasters for the Americas**
  - Macarena Pérez - ITREND
- **WG on the Integration of Statistical and Geospatial Information**
  - Santiago Linares - IGEHCS - CONICET - UNCPBA
  - Charlotte Smith - UC Berkeley School of Public Health Environmental Health Sciences
- **WG on Land Administration**:
  - Rosario Casanova
- **WG on Artificial Intelligence in the Geospatial Field**:
  - Rigoberto Moreno - Mexico

Strengthen links and with other networks

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2023 – UN-GGIM: America Session / Side events: Private sector and Academia

2024 – Professional organizations/ Universities/ Center of Excellence

TS09C: Regional Capacity Development Networks – Collaboration Forum 1
Chair: Mr. **Mohammed Mamman Kabir**, Chair FIG ARN, Nigeria
Rapporteur: Dr. **Daniel Roman**, Chair FIG Americas, United States

Capacity Development Networks (CDNs) should work collectively to address the local, national, regional and global challenges that influence capacity and capability development (CCD) of their survey and geospatial information professionals. This forum is an opportunity for all participants to contribute, and to "have your say" through respectful sharing and exchanging of experiences and information about CCD.

Session overview.

Welcome - **Diane Dumashie**, FIG President

UN-GGIM Africa/ AFREF

Education/training opportunities - **Rosario Casanova**, UN Academic Network/Commission 2 [handouts]

Land administration in the Africa region - **Linus Pott**, World Bank

Discussions on five challenges:

- What are the top FIVE challenges influencing CCD?
- How can these challenges be overcome?
- What should FIG (and like-minded organisations) do to support or assist CCD?
- What are the next tangible steps?

Wednesday, 22 May
08:00–09:00
Royal Dragon - African Corner, La Palm

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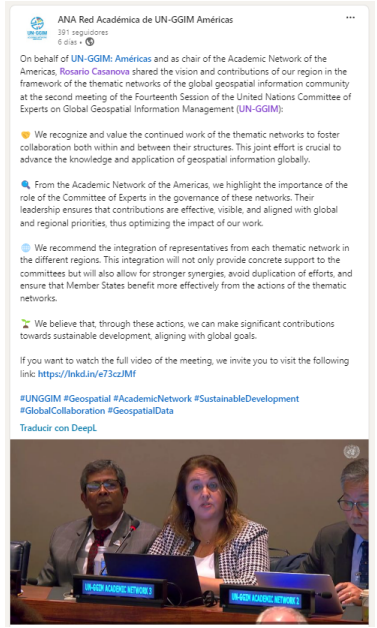

- **IGIF Meeting:** Coordination of the translation team
- **UN-GGIM: Americas** Meeting
- **Carigeo Meeting**
- **Academic Network Meeting** - Director of Center of Excellence of China
- **HLF Organization Committee** Meeting as AN representative

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NETWORKING:

- RESEARCH PROJECT ON ETHICS
- SDG TRAINING COURSE

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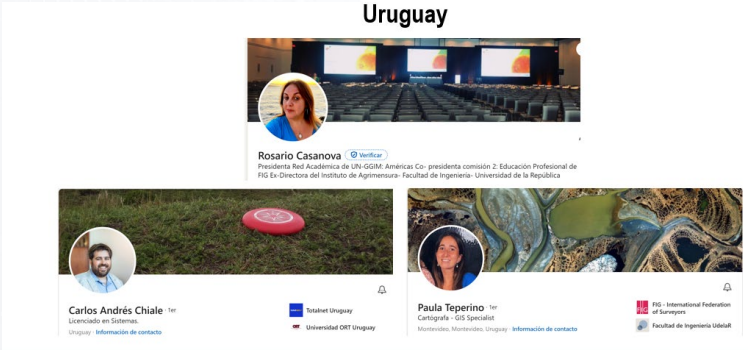
Research Project: Ethical Use of GI- PAIGH Support

OUR TEAM

Argentina

Uruguay



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Panama

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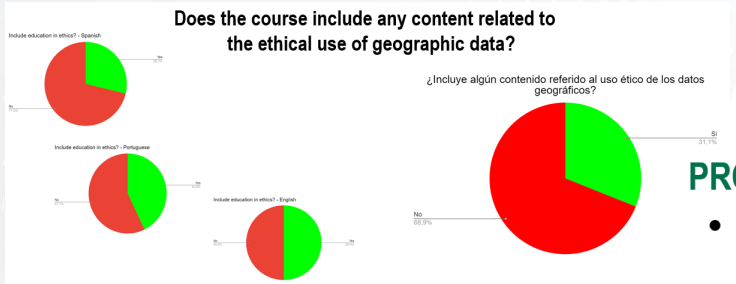

PRODUCTS

- Report on the Diagnosis of the Current Situation of Teaching the Ethical Use of GIs in each of the participating countries.
- Report with guidelines for the inclusion of the teaching of ethics in GI.
- Glossary of terms related to ethics in GI.
- Training workshop for geomatics trainers.
- Publications in congresses and/or specialized journals.

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SDG TRAINING WORKSHOPS / CONFERENCES

https://unstats.un.org/wiki/display/SDGeHandbook/Home?preview=/34505092/106497383/SDGeHandbook-111121-2121-805.pdf

https://ggim.un.org/documents/La-hoja-de-ruta-geoespacial-de-los-ODS.pdf

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