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Dirk Forrister
President & CEO
International Emissions Trading Association (IETA)

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Welcome to São Paulo and IETA's annual Latin America Climate Summit!

It seems as though every year when we gather for the LACS there is a lot at stake for carbon markets, and this year is no different. Amid continuing geopolitical turmoil and a challenging year in international environmental policymaking, we're nevertheless confident you'll find from the conversations this week, carbon markets remain healthy, busy and optimistic for the longer term.

Carbon markets mobilised over \$100 billion in climate finance around the world in 2024, consolidating around higher quality carbon credit instruments. Importantly, thanks to new and expanded carbon market programmes, with over 28% of global GHG emissions covered by carbon pricing.

Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) has a very full agenda related to carbon markets. Across the region countries are stepping up to take on the challenge of cutting GHG, and most are embracing the power of markets to help them achieve this goal. This year has seen compliance markets start to take shape around the region, and we'll take this opportunity to look at how different national markets are developing.

Carbon markets can often have impacts far beyond their borders. The last few years has seen debate around the EU's Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM) and while other countries are also either planning or considering their own versions. This year's summit will share experiences from companies in LAC who are already grappling with the CBAM rules.

We will assess the progress of the voluntary carbon markets, investigate the potential of carbon removals, and of course look ahead to COP30 in Belém, providing detailed guidance on the main implementation milestones. This year, negotiators will likely focus primarily on new NDC's and enhancing climate finance. These topics will underscore the importance of Article 6 markets in enhancing private sector engagement in achieving higher ambition at lower cost.

As you can tell, there is no shortage of opportunities this year. I'm still impressed at the high number of new markets on the horizon – even though it never moves as fast as we'd like. With India, China, Indonesia and Brazil all advancing, this could be a banner year for us – even in the face of Trump's hostility to climate policy. We've got lots of work to do to get these into operation, and we're all capacity constrained. But together, we'll make it happen. It's a team effort!

On behalf of IETA, we're grateful to our summit partners and sponsors for helping deliver this edition, and extend a warm welcome to all. We look forward to hearing your valuable insights and learning from each other.



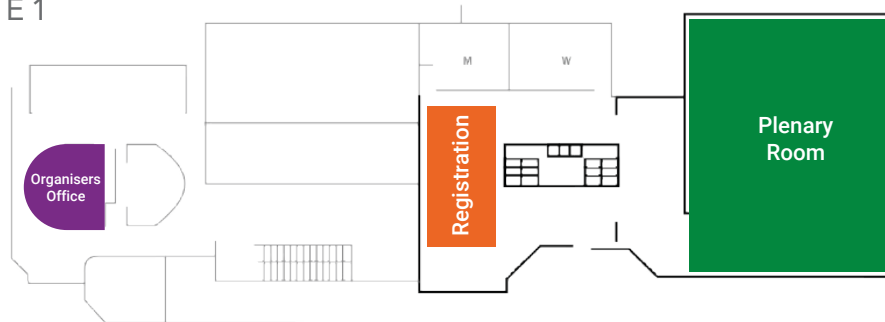
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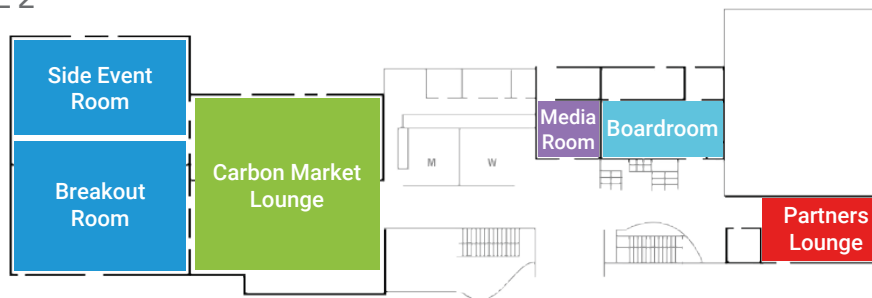
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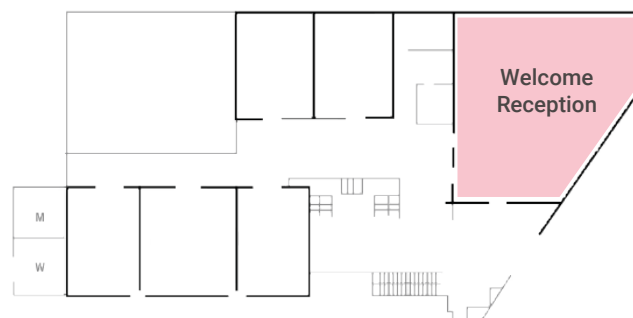
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LEVEL E3



LEVEL E1

- **Registration** - Renaissance Theatre Foyer
- **Plenary Room** - Renaissance Theatre
- **Organisers Office** - London

LEVEL E2

- **Carbon Market Lounge** - América Pre-Function
- **Breakout Room** - América do Sud
- **Side Event Room** - América do Norte
- **Partners Lounge** - Yukon
- **Boardroom** - Labrador
- **Media Room** - Tucun

LEVEL E3

- **Welcome Reception** - Amazonia Lounge

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- Plenary
- Workshop
- Members & By Invitation Meeting
- Breakout
- Side Event
- Social Event

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DAY 1

TUESDAY 26 AUGUST

08:00	Registration & Welcome Coffee
09:00	📍 Registration 'Renaissance Theater Foyer' & Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
08:30	By Invitation – Carbon Pricing in the Americas General Assembly
12:30	📍 Boardroom 'Labrador'
08:30	IETA Members Meeting – LAC & International Working Group
10:00	📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
08:30	Workshop 1 – Around the World of Carbon Markets in 60 Minutes (with simultaneous translation)
09:30	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
09:30	Coffee Break
10:15	📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
10:00	Workshop 2 - Global Rules, Local Realities: Legal Challenges for Carbon Markets in Latin America & The Caribbean (with simultaneous translation)
11:00	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
10:15	IETA Members Meeting – Brasil Initiative
11:45	📍 Partners Lounge 'Yukon'
10:15	IETA Members Meeting – Digital Working Group
11:45	📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
11:15	Workshop 3 – Carbon Accounting Roundtable (with simultaneous translation)
12:15	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
12:00	Welcome Lunch
14:00	📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
13:00	Workshop 4 – Latin America Climate Summit Media Training (with simultaneous translation)
14:15	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
13:15	IETA Members Meeting – VCM Working Group
14:30	📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
13:15	By Invitation – ALMA Brasil Meeting
15:15	📍 Partners Lounge 'Yukon'
13:30	By Invitation – Carbon Pricing in the Americas, ICAP, European Commission Task Force on International Carbon Pricing and Markets Diplomacy, Economic Commission for Latin America and Caribbean Technical Roundtable: Carbon Pricing and NDCs in the Americas - The Road to COP30 and Beyond
16:00	📍 Boardroom 'Labrador'
14:30	Workshop 5 – The 2025 Energy Security Scenarios: Brazil Leading the World to Net-Zero Emissions (with simultaneous translation)
15:30	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'



15:30	Coffee Break
16:00	📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
16:00 17:00	Side Event 1 – Organised by Cercarbono: Boosting Brazil's Carbon Market: Local Solutions in Action (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
17:15 18:15	Side Event 2 – Organised by Verra: The Next Generation of the VCM - Where the Market is Heading and How to Prepare (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
17:15 18:15	Side Event 3 – Organised by German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWE) & GIZ: Open Exchange Roundtable on the Recent International Court of Justice (ICJ) Recommendation on International Climate Cooperation 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
18:15 19:30	Latin America Climate Summit Welcome Reception (opened to all Summit Delegates, access included in Delegate Passes) 📍 Amazonia Lounge

DAY 2 WEDNESDAY 27 AUGUST

08:00	Registration & Welcome Coffee
09:00	📍 Registration 'Renaissance Theater Foyer' & Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
09:00 09:30	Opening Ceremony 'Scaling Market Solutions – Powering Progress & Growth' (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
09:45 11:00	Plenary 1 – From Policy to Implementation: Carbon Pricing Trends in Latin America (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
11:00	Coffee Break
11:30	📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
11:30 12:30	Breakout 1 – Brazil's ETS in Focus: Building the Brazilian Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading System (SBCE) for a Just and Effective Carbon Price (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
11:30 12:30	Breakout 2 – CORSIA's Role in Advancing Mitigation in Latin America Roundtable (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
12:30	Networking Lunch
13:30	📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
13:15 14:30	Side Event 4 – Organised by UNFCCC & Regional Collaboration Centre (RCC) Panama & Caribbean: Masterclass on the Paris Agreement Crediting Mechanism (PACM) - Tools, Rules and Readiness (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
13:30 14:30	Side Event 5 – Organised by S&P Commodity Insights: Bridging Carbon Markets: National Ambitions and Global Standards 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
14:45 15:45	Plenary 2 – Increasing Climate Finance and Trust: The Role of Jurisdictional Programs in the Promotion of REDD+ (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

15:45 16:15	Coffee Break 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
16:15 17:15	Breakout 3 – Aligning Rules, Connecting Markets, Raising Ambition: Challenges for Promoting Interoperability in Latin America & The Caribbean (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
16:15 17:15	Breakout 4 – Scaling Carbon Removals: Integrating Technology and Market Demand (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
17:30 18:30	Plenary 3 – Beyond Carbon: Ensuring Social Safeguards and Good Practices with Local Communities (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
20:30 23:30	IETA Nightcap Party (limited capacity, separate paid ticket required for entrance to be purchased online www.latinamericacimatesummit.com) 📍 Downtown Sao Paulo

DAY 3 THURSDAY 28 AUGUST

08:00 09:00	Registration & Welcome Coffee 📍 Registration 'Renaissance Theater Foyer' & Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
08:00 08:50	Workshop 6 – Women in Carbon Breakfast (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
09:00 10:00	Side Event 6 – Organised by ACX: Building Market Infrastructure for Carbon Credits - From National Architecture to Global Access (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
09:00 10:00	Side Event 7 – Organised by Climate Action Reserve (CAR): Creating Local Opportunities and Benefits through CAR Carbon Projects / Generando Oportunidades y Beneficios Locales Mediante Proyectos de Carbono de CAR 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
10:10 11:20	Plenary 4 – Financing Fairness: Carbon Markets, Climate Capital, and the Integrity Imperative (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
11:10 11:30	Coffee Break 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
11:30 12:30	Breakout 5 – Participating in International Carbon Trading: Article 6 Pathways and Options for Latin America (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
11:30 12:30	Breakout 6 – Infrastructure for Impact: How Digital Systems can Scale Nature Based Solutions (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
12:30 13:30	Networking Lunch 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'



13:30 14:25	Breakout 7 – Carbon Pricing and Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) Alignment in the Americas (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
13:30 14:25	Breakout 8 – Growing Integrity: Unlocking Carbon Markets for Climate-Smart Agriculture and Restoration in the Global South (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
14:40 15:35	Breakout 9 – Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM), Trade, and Carbon Pricing Instruments: Industry Impacts and Policy Responses in Latin America & The Caribbean (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
14:40 15:35	Breakout 10 – Demand Perspectives: What are Buyers Looking for When Buying a Carbon Credit? (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'
15:30 16:00	Coffee Break 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
16:00 17:00	Plenary 5 – Toward Belém and Beyond: Latin America's Carbon Market Vision on the Road to COP30 (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

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DETAILED PROGRAM

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DAY 1 **TUESDAY**
26 AUGUST

08:00 **Registration & Welcome Coffee**
09:00 📍 Registration 'Renaissance Theater Foyer' & Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

08:30 **By Invitation – Carbon Pricing in the Americas General Assembly**
12:30 📍 Boardroom 'Labrador'

08:30 **IETA Members Meeting – LAC & International Working Group**
10:00 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'

08:30 **Workshop 1 – Around the World of Carbon Markets in 60 Minutes (with simultaneous translation)**
09:30 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

This interactive session will bring you an overview of the state and trends of carbon markets around the world. It will allow you to **catch up** on general latest developments and fill in any gaps or questions you may have - preparing you for the more detailed and technical sessions which we have lined up for you on day 2 and 3. Remember, there is no such thing as a 'silly question'.

Moderator:

👤 Luis Panichelli, VCM Policy Director - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 Lucien Georgeson, Head of Carbon Market Policy - MSCI
 👤 Xana Maunze, Climate Finance Expert - Belgian Agency for International Cooperation
 👤 Martin Rabbia, Article 6 and Carbon Pricing Specialist - RCC Caribbean
 👤 Iule Arruda, Head of Carbon Solutions for Latin America - LDC Louis Dreyfus Company
 👤 Oriana Ballesteros, Portfolio and Partnerships Lead, Nature and Technology-Based Solutions - EcoAct/Schneider Electric

09:30 **Coffee Break**
10:15 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

10:00 **Workshop 2 - Global Rules, Local Realities: Legal Challenges for Carbon Markets in Latin America & The Caribbean (with simultaneous translation)** 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

As we are facing new local legal developments in LAC, the challenge remains in aligning domestic circumstances and needs with the international legal requirements demanded from both, voluntary and compliance markets. Panelists will discuss the legal challenges of designing national frameworks that align with the domestic legal contexts and development priorities. They will also emphasize the importance of providing legal certainty and international credibility to attract private sector engagement and facilitate international cooperation.

Moderator:

👤 Agustina Cundari, International Policy Advisor - IETA

Speakers:

👤 Ludovino Lopes, Representative, Working Group Task Force on the Legal Nature of Verified Carbon Credits - UniDroit



- 👤 Renata Amaral, Head of Environmental, Climate Change and Sustainability - Trench Rossi Watanabe
- 👤 Luiz Gustavo Escorcio Bezerra, Partner - Mayer Brown, Brazil
- 👤 Juan Pedro Cano, Coordinator - Mesa Argentina del Carbono

10:15 IETA Members Meeting – Brasil Initiative
11:45 📍 Partners Lounge 'Yukon'

10:15 IETA Members Meeting – Digital Working Group
11:45 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'

11:15 Workshop 3 – Carbon Accounting Roundtable (with simultaneous translation)
12:15 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

This special roundtable brings together experts from around the world for a moderated discussion to explore common challenges and gain new perspectives. We will address where carbon accounting was and where it needs to go, and how it relates to markets, GHG protocol, boarder adjustments as well as climate policy.

Facilitator & Introductory Remarks:

👤 Katie Sullivan, Managing Director - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 Marina Pitella, Head of Carbon Accounting - Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Itamaraty), Brazil
- 👤 Magnus Chaib, Partner, Head of Accounting Advisory - KPMG
- 👤 Bruna Mascotte, Senior Partner Strategy and Sustainability - Catavento
- 👤 Carlos Cordova, Director of Environmental Solutions - S&P Global Commodity Insights
- 👤 Geisa Príncipe, Director - EcoLance

12:00 Welcome Lunch
14:00 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

13:00 Workshop 4 – Latin America Climate Summit Media Training (with simultaneous translation)
14:15 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

Open to journalists and members of the press only, this interactive workshop will unpack the evolving carbon market landscape, from project development to credit quality, transparency, and market credibility. With a focus on the full lifecycle of carbon markets and the road to COP30, the session will also explore how community voices and on-the-ground experiences are shaping market outcomes and ensuring that integrity and impact remain at the centre of climate action.

Co-Facilitators:

- 👤 Camilo Trujillo, LAC Policy Advisor - IETA
- 👤 Nomfundo Jele, Communications Advisor - IETA

Presenters:

- 👤 Caio Gallego, Operational Manager - Ambipar Environment
- 👤 Remo Filleti, Carbon Technical Analyst - ICVCM
- 👤 Monique Vanni, Brazil Country Director - Wildlife Works
- 👤 Mauricio Terena, Indigenous Lawyer - Tenharin People
- 👤 Werner Kornexl, Manager Program on Forest - World Bank
- 👤 Mandy Rambharos, CEO – Verra



13:15	IETA Members Meeting – VCM Working Group
14:30	📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
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16:00	📍 Boardroom 'Labrador'
14:30	Workshop 5 – The 2025 Energy Security Scenarios: Brazil Leading the World to Net-Zero Emissions (with simultaneous translation)
15:30	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

In the scenarios Brazil achieves carbon neutrality as early as 2040, and stands out globally as an important supplier of energy and carbon removal units. This requires rapid decisions and policies that embrace the commercial opportunities in a world seeking low-carbon products and services. The scenarios illustrate how Article 6 can unlock substantial opportunities in Brazil.

Moderator:

👤 Dirk Forrister, President & CEO - IETA

Presenter:

👤 David Hone, Chief Climate Change Adviser - Shell International

Commentator:

👤 Rafaela Guedes, Member, APCO International Advisory Council & Senior Fellow Brazilian Center for International Relations (CEBRI)

15:30	Coffee Break
16:00	📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
16:00	Side Event 1 – Organised by Cercarbono: Boosting Brazil's Carbon Market: Local Solutions in Action (with simultaneous translation)
17:00	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

As Brazil moves toward implementing a regulated carbon market and expanding voluntary mechanisms, building strong national infrastructure has become essential. This is especially relevant as REDD+ projects grow nationwide, including jurisdictional approaches. The session will bring together stakeholders to discuss practical pathways for ensuring environmental integrity, transparency, and alignment with global best practices—while adapting to Brazil's local realities.

Moderator:

👤 Alex Saer, CEO - Cercarbono

Speakers:

👤 Eduardo Ferreira, Climate Change and Finance Consultant - World Bank Group

👤 Marcelo de Campos e Silva, Carbon Market Specialist - Banco do Brasil

👤 Marta Bandeira, Climate Transition Manager - BNDES

👤 Catalina Romero, Carbon Certification Director - Cercarbono



17:15	Side Event 2 – Organised by Verra: The Next Generation of the VCM - Where the Market is Heading and How to Prepare (with simultaneous translation)
18:15	📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

The question is no longer whether carbon markets work: it's how fast and how well we can scale them. There are dozens of initiatives underway to build a better, faster, and fairer market with high-integrity methodologies, technological innovations in dRMV and financial tracking, government coalitions, and stronger environmental and social safeguards. Join this session to learn about what key players are doing to lead this transition and prepare for the next generation of the VCM.

Moderator:

👤 **Cassio Souza**, Director, Market and Client Relations - Verra

Speakers:

👤 **Mandy Rambharos**, CEO - Verra

👤 **Munir Soares**, CEO - Systemica

👤 **Marcelo de Campos**, Head of ESG - Banco do Brasil

17:15	Side Event 3 – Organised by German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWE) & GIZ: Open Exchange Roundtable on the Recent International Court of Justice (ICJ) Recommendation on International Climate Cooperation
18:15	📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'

The recent ICJ advisory opinion on climate change, issued on 23 July 2025, emphasizes that states have binding international legal obligations to protect the climate system. This includes taking measures to mitigate emissions and cooperate in supporting vulnerable nations. This special interactive Roundtable we collect views on the practical conclusions for national and international actions, and discuss the role of international cooperation in regard to technology transfer, climate finance and compensation in general, including carbon markets.

Panelists:

👤 **Thomas Forth**, Senior Advisor - Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWE), Germany

👤 **Carlos Essus**, Climate Policy Advisor, Global Carbon Market (GCM) Project - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Germany

👤 **Aline Decarli**, Assessora técnica - Programa Políticas sobre Mudança do Clima (PoMuC) - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ), Brazil

18:15	Latin America Climate Summit Welcome Reception (opened to all Summit Delegates, access included in Delegate Passes)
19:30	📍 Amazonia Lounge



DAY 2

WEDNESDAY
27 AUGUST

08:00 Registration & Welcome Coffee

09:00 📍 Registration 'Renaissance Theater Foyer' & Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

09:00 Opening Ceremony 'Scaling Market Solutions – Powering Progress & Growth' (with simultaneous translation)

09:30 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

Organiser Welcome Address & Facilitator:

👤 Dirk Forrister, CEO & President - IETA

Co-Host Addresses:

👤 Ricardo Nunes, Mayor - Government of the City of São Paulo, Brazil *

👤 Danilo Perecin, Director of Energy - State Government of São Paulo, Brazil

COP30 Addresses:

👤 Dan Loschpe, High-Level Champion for COP30 - Brazil

👤 Helder Barbalho, Governor - State of Para, Brazil *

Keynote Remark:

👤 Marcello Britto, Executive Director - Consortium of Amazon States

09:45 Plenary 1 – From Policy to Implementation: Carbon Pricing Trends in Latin America (with simultaneous translation)

11:00 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

While carbon pricing gains traction across Latin America, this session explores how countries are bridging policy and practice. Discover how Latin America is turning carbon pricing policy into climate action in this high-level plenary that will bring together government leaders and experts to share the region's latest regulatory updates and innovations in carbon market design.

Moderator:

👤 Dirk Forrister, CEO & President - IETA

Scene Setting:

👤 Stefano De Clara, Head of Secretariat - ICAP

Speakers:

👤 Klenize Favero, Carbon Markets Coordinator - Ministry of Environment and Climate Change, Brazil

👤 Cristina Figueroa, Carbon Pricing and Carbon Markets Coordinator - Ministry of Environment, Chile

👤 Ana Carolina Moreno, Climate Change Mitigation Specialist - Ministry of Environment, Panama

👤 Rogelio Campos, Technical Specialist NDC and Cooperative Approaches - Ministry of Environment, Peru

👤 Lukas Visek, Member of the Task Force For International Carbon Pricing and Markets Diplomacy - European Commission

11:00 Coffee Break

11:30 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'



11:30 Breakout 1 – Brazil's ETS in Focus: Building the Brazilian Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading System (SBCE) for a Just and Effective Carbon Price (with simultaneous translation)

📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

As a cornerstone of its climate strategy, Brazil is advancing the SBCE - its national emissions trading system. This panel explores recent regulatory developments, offset inclusion, and strong price signals to ensure environmental integrity, promote innovation, safeguard industry competitiveness, and drive long-term decarbonization across Brazil's economy.

Moderator:

👤 **Pedro Venzon**, Policy Manager & Brazil Lead - IETA

Speakers:

👤 **Cristina Reis**, Undersecretary for Sustainable Economic Development - Ministry of Finance, Brazil

👤 **Rafaela Aloise de Freitas**, Policy and Industry Specialist - CNI

👤 **Leonardo Maues**, Carbon Market Manager - Petrobras

👤 **Juliana Damasceno**, Executive Manager for Institutional Relations - ACX Brazil

👤 **Julie Messias**, Executive Director - NBS Brazil Alliance

11:30 Breakout 2 – CORSIA's Role in Advancing Mitigation in Latin America Roundtable (with simultaneous translation)

12:30 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

This roundtable will explore how CORSIA can unlock climate finance and drive demand for high-integrity mitigation across Latin America. Panelists will discuss country readiness, credit eligibility, and market trends - highlighting how the region can leverage aviation decarbonization to scale mitigation activities and strengthen its role in global carbon markets.

Moderator:

👤 **Dany Oliveira** - Independent Consultant

Speakers:

👤 **Jhoana Cabrera**, Sustainability Manager - LATAM

👤 **Filipe Alvarez**, Head of Sustainability - Azul

👤 **Sebastián Carranza**, TAB Member & Climate Change Coordinator for LAC - UNEP

👤 **Ricardo Dupont**, Technical Coordinator Environmental Protection - Agência Nacional de Aviação Civil (ANAC), Brasil

👤 **Patrícia Grossi Reis**, Carbon and Certification Manager - Acelen Renewables

12:30 Networking Lunch

13:30 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

13:15 Side Event 4 – Organised by UNFCCC & Regional Collaboration Centre (RCC) Panama & Caribbean: Masterclass on the Paris Agreement Crediting Mechanism (PACM) - Tools, Rules and Readiness (with simultaneous translation)

14:30 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

At COP29 in Baku, countries reached a major milestone by finalizing the frameworks needed to make carbon markets under the Paris Agreement fully operational, concluding nearly a decade of negotiations. This session will offer participants a comprehensive introduction to PACM, with a particular focus on how the private sector can get involved. It will also draw on lessons from the CDM, especially regarding the transition of CDM projects to the new Article 6.4 mechanism.



Faciliator:

👤 Ana Dominguez, Article 6 and Carbon Pricing Instrument Specialist - RCC Panama

Presenters:

👤 Martin Rabbia, Article 6 and Carbon Pricing Specialist - RCC Caribbean

👤 Andrea Bonzanni, Director, International Policy - IETA

13:30 Side Event 5 – Organised by S&P Commodity Insights: Bridging Carbon Markets: National Ambitions and Global Standards
14:30 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'

As countries accelerate their climate action, the global carbon market is seen as a viable solution. Nations face a pivotal choice: build domestic carbon programs from the ground up or leverage existing voluntary market frameworks and methodologies. This discussion will also examine the vital role of registries, and the strategic decisions governments must make when designing their registry infrastructure to ensure transparency, integrity, and market interoperability.

Moderator:

👤 Carlos Cordova, Director of Enviromental Solutions - S&P Global Commodity Insights

Speakers:

👤 Mandy Rambharos, CEO - Verra

👤 Alex Saer, CEO - Cercarbono

👤 Cristina Fróes de Borja Reis, Subsecretaria de Desenvolvimento Econômico Sustentável - Ministério de Hacienda, Brasil

👤 Rogelio Campos Garcia, Technical Specialist, General Directorate for Climate Change and Desertification - Ministry of Environment, Peru

14:45 Plenary 2 – Increasing Climate Finance and Trust: The Role of Jurisdictional Programs in the Promotion of REDD+ (with simultaneous translation)
15:45 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

This high-level session gathers leaders from governments, the private sector, and standards bodies to explore the evolving landscape of jurisdictional REDD+ programs. Panelists will discuss challenges and recent developments in climate finance, trust-building, and implementation - sharing perspectives on scaling nature-based solutions and enhancing impact through collaborative, jurisdictional approaches.

Moderator & Introductory Remarks:

👤 Carlos Trujillo, Co-Founder - Cercarbono

Scene Setter:

👤 Natalia Renteria, Director, Brazil - Race to Belem

Speakers:

👤 Raul Protázio, Secretary of Environment and Sustainability - State Secretariat for Environment and Sustainability (SEMAS), Pará, Brazil

👤 Silvia Kloster, Subsecretaria de Gestión, Desarrollo Sostenible e Innovación - Provincia Misiones, Argentina

👤 Mary Grady, Executive Director - ART Secretariat, Winrock International

👤 Gabriel Reis, Forest Carbon Analytics - Fastmarkets

15:45 Coffee Break
16:15 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'



16:15 Breakout 3 – Aligning Rules, Connecting Markets, Raising Ambition: Challenges for Promoting Interoperability
17:15 in Latin America & The Caribbean (with simultaneous translation)
 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

As carbon markets grow, aligning rules and clarifying each instrument's role is key to meeting climate goals efficiently. This session brings together governments and experts to discuss barriers to interoperability and how Latin American and Caribbean countries are addressing them to unlock the full potential of carbon markets and scale impact.

Moderator:

👤 Elisa Guida, Policy Advisor - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 Aloiso Mel, National Secretary for Climate Change - Ministry of Industry Development and Services, Brazil
- 👤 Alfredo Nicastro, Senior Vice-President & Global Head of Carbon Markets - StoneX
- 👤 David Antonioli, Founder - Transition Finance
- 👤 Arsalan Syed, Manager, Business Development, Environmental Solutions - S&P Global Commodity Insights
- 👤 Remo Filletti, Carbon Technical Analyst - ICVCM

16:15 Breakout 4 – Scaling Carbon Removals: Integrating Technology and Market Demand (with simultaneous translation)
17:15 📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

As the net-zero race accelerates, carbon removals are vital to credible climate strategies. This session explores how technology, investment, policy, and robust monitoring, reporting & verification (MRV) can scale solutions. Looking at Bioenergy with Carbon Capture and Storage (BECCS) and Direct Air Capture (DAC), and data centers, panelists will examine sectoral adaptation and the role of cross-sector collaboration in driving durable climate outcomes in a rapidly evolving market.

Moderator:

👤 Katie Sullivan, Managing Director - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 Isabela Morbach, Director - CCS Brasil
- 👤 David Ungar, Senior Advisor - 1PointFive
- 👤 Takashi Hongo, Senior Fellow - Mitsui Global Strategic Studies Institute
- 👤 Claudia Shirozaki, Sustainability Manager - FS Fuel Sustainability
- 👤 To be announced - Verra

17:30 Plenary 3 – Beyond Carbon: Ensuring Social Safeguards and Good Practices with Local Communities (with
18:30 simultaneous translation)
 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

Latin America has great potential in NBS, conservation of which largely depends on Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities. In this regard, the carbon markets has provided the ideal complement for conservation and territorial development, while also posing challenges and generating lessons learned about community management. Within this context, the panelists will address topics such as community governance, prior consultations (FPIC), and fair agreement and benefit sharing.

Moderator:

👤 Camilo Trujillo, LAC Policy Advisor - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 André Guimarães, COP30 Special Envoy for Civil Society - IPAM



Mateo Estrada, Indigenous Leader Colombia - OPIAC
Valentina Mondragón, Sustainability Analyst, Jaguar Connection Program - ISA
Mauricio Terena, Indigenous Lawyer - Tenharin People
Rubens Ferreira, Coordinator of the Compromisso com o Clima (Commitment to Climate) Program - Instituto Ekos Brasil

20:30 **IETA Nightcap Party (limited capacity, separate paid ticket required for entrance to be purchased online**
 23:30 **www.latinamericacimatesummit.com)**
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DAY 3 THURSDAY 28 AUGUST

08:00 **Registration & Welcome Coffee**
 09:00 Registration 'Renaissance Theater Foyer' & Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

08:00 **Workshop 6 – Women in Carbon Breakfast (with simultaneous translation)**
 08:50 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

Join us for a session celebrating the leadership and growing impact of women in carbon markets across Latin America and the Caribbean. Hosted by the Women in Carbon and IETA, this gathering offers a space to connect, share experiences, and build community among professionals driving climate solutions in the region. As carbon markets expand and diversify, promoting visibility and inclusion is essential for shaping a more equitable and effective climate finance landscape.

Co-Facilitators:

Natália Azevedo, Senior Associate - Pinheiro Neto Advogados
Mariana Tavares, Policy Advisor - IETA

Speakers:

Caroline Dihl Prolo, Founder - LA CLIMA & Stewardship - fama re.capital
Linda Sanchez, Manager, Climate Impact in the Pacific Alliance Region - Gold Standard
Luciana Burr, Legal Director - Permian Global
Janibel Muñoz, Consultant - Ministerio de Medio Ambiente y Recursos Naturales, Dominican Republic

09:00 **Side Event 6 – Organised by ACX: Building Market Infrastructure for Carbon Credits - From National Architecture**
 10:00 **to Global Access (with simultaneous translation)**
 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

The session is expected to explore the development of carbon market infrastructure in Brazil, including trading, registration and investor protection, and how this architecture can support both SBCE implementation and global demand for high-integrity Brazilian credits.

Moderator:

Lourdes Machado, Executive Manager - ACX Brazil

Speakers:

Leonardo Betanho, Superintendent of OTC Products - B3 Brasil, Bolsa, Balcão
William Pazos, CEO - ACX Singapore
Nathalie Vidual, Superintendent of Investor Protection and Guidance - CVM Brazil



09:00 10:00	Side Event 7 – Organised by Climate Action Reserve (CAR): Creating Local Opportunities and Benefits through CAR Carbon Projects / Generando Oportunidades y Beneficios Locales Mediante Proyectos de Carbono de CAR 📍 Side Event Room 'América do Norte'
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Learn about the Reserve's protocols adapted to countries throughout Latin American. Hear from Reserve staff on its unique protocol development model as well as priorities for new protocols and scaling impact in the region. The Reserve will be joined by technical experts that participated in protocol adaptations and project development.

Presenters:

- 👤 Amy Kessler, Director of Latin America - Climate Action Reserve (CAR)
- 👤 Claudia Jurado, Senior Associate, LAC - Climate Action Reserve (CAR)

10:10 11:20	Plenary 4 – Financing Fairness: Carbon Markets, Climate Capital, and the Integrity Imperative (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
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Scaling climate finance requires trust, transparency, and bold action. As the world moves from Baku to Belém amid complex global challenges, carbon markets emerge as key tools. This session gathers leaders to explore how integrity-driven mechanisms can channel capital and help mobilize \$1.3 trillion annually for climate action in developing countries.

Moderator:

Katie Sullivan, Managing Director - IETA

Scene Setting:

👤 Lucien Georgeson, Executive Director and Head of Carbon Markets Policy - MSCI

Speakers:

- 👤 Aline Ferreira, Head of Compliance - Citi
- 👤 Maria Belen Losada, Head of Carbon Products - Itaú
- 👤 Luciana Costa, Director of Infrastructure, Energy Transition and Climate Change - BNDES
- 👤 Thomas Forth, Senior Advisor - Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWE)
- 👤 Joaquim Levy, Co-Chair - GFANZ

11:10 11:30	Coffee Break 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'
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11:30 12:30	Breakout 5 – Participating in International Carbon Trading: Article 6 Pathways and Options for Latin America (with simultaneous translation) 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'
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Join policymakers and private sector experts to unpack the emergence of international carbon trading under Article 6 of the Paris Agreement. This session will discuss key global trends, emerging regulatory frameworks and key considerations to build well-designed international carbon markets to channel resources to where they are most needed, drive emissions reductions, and deliver social and environmental co-benefits.


Moderator:

Andrea Bonzanni, Director, International Policy - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 Eduardo Calvo, Member of the Supervisory Body - Paris Agreement Crediting Mechanism (PACM)
- 👤 Marina Pittella, Head of the Carbon Accounting Coordination Unit - Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Itamaraty), Brazil

 **Vicki Yong**, Deputy Director, Green Economy & Sustainability - Ministry of Trade & Industry, Singapore
 **Nuno Barbosa**, Founder - Unicarbo
 **Carlos Martins**, Director - ACX






11:30 **Breakout 6 – Infrastructure for Impact: How Digital Systems can Scale Nature Based Solutions (with simultaneous translation)**
12:30  Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

The panel will first focus on how innovations in earth observation might impact markets downstream, specifically nature based projects in Latin America. Recent developments include satellite launches with synthetic aperture radar, and the increasing sophistication of geospatial machine learning. The panel will then pivot to registry infrastructure and tokenization, with interventions from registry providers.


Moderator:

 **Kyle Lynch**, Research Analyst - IETA

Speakers:

 **Juan David Duran**, CEO - EcoRegistry
 **Marianna Budaragina**, Senior Climate Finance Advisor - Tony Blair Institute for Global Change
 **Ieva Steponaviute**, Director, Strategy & Outreach - CAD Trust
 **Renzo Stanley**, Lead for MRV Platforms - Superintendence of Environment, Government of Chile
 **To be announced** - GFANZ *

12:30 **Networking Lunch**
13:30  Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'





13:30 **Breakout 7 – Carbon Pricing and Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) Alignment in the Americas (with simultaneous translation)**
14:25  Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

Join policymakers and experts to explore how carbon pricing instruments are being integrated into national climate strategies across LAC. This session will highlight experiences with emissions trading systems, carbon taxes, and crediting programs, and discuss how these tools contribute to achieving NDCs and delivering real climate results. As COP30 in Belém draws closer, the conversation will focus on how carbon pricing can reinforce climate ambition and regional cooperation.

Moderator:

 **Stefano De Clara**, Head of the ICAP Secretariat - ICAP

Speakers:

 **Lukas Visek**, Member of the Task Force For International Carbon Pricing And Markets Diplomacy - European Commission
 **Cristina Reis**, Undersecretary for Sustainable Economic Development - Ministry of Finance, Brazil
 **Javier Martínez**, Head of the Mitigation Department - Ministry of the Environment, Panama
 **Mark Sippola**, CPA Co-Chair & Chief, Climate Change Program Evaluation Branch, North America - California Air Resources Board, USA



13:30 Breakout 8 – Growing Integrity: Unlocking Carbon Markets for Climate-Smart Agriculture and Restoration in the Global South (with simultaneous translation)

📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

This session explores the emerging architecture to ensure integrity, access, and impact in agricultural carbon markets and NCS removals. Experts will share lessons on enabling environments, MRV frameworks, and financing tools to scale action, highlighting regional efforts across Latin America.

Moderator:

👤 Eduardo Bastos, Executive Director - Associação Brasileira do Agronegócio

Speakers:

👤 Daniel Ortega, Executive Director - Partnership for Agricultural Carbon

👤 Thiago Othero, Executive Director - Future Climate

👤 Marta Giannichi, Global Sustainability Director - Minerva Foods and MyCarbon

👤 Roberto Strumpf, Carbon Business Development Senior Manager - Rabobank

👤 Amy Kessler, Director of Latin America - Climate Action Reserve (CAR)

14:40 Breakout 9 – Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM), Trade, and Carbon Pricing Instruments: Industry Impacts and Policy Responses in Latin America & The Caribbean (with simultaneous translation)

📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

In a world facing drastic trade realignments, CBAM is redefining the link between trade and climate ambition. This session brings together industry and policymakers to explore its impact and responses from Latin America. Participants will discuss carbon border policies, trade ripple effects, and how pricing and accounting systems can protect and strengthen regional economies.

Moderator:

👤 Stefano De Clara, Head of Secretariat - ICAP

Speakers:

👤 Roberta Versiani, Manager of Government Relations - Brazilian Aluminium Industry Association (ABAL)

👤 Renan Marçal, Senior Sustainability Analyst, Climate Change - Vale

👤 Jean-Yves Benoit, Director General - Quebec Ministry of the Environment, Canada

👤 Marco Schiewe, Director, PontecializEE & Head of Project, GIZ

👤 Letícia Gavioli, Sustainable Finance Lead Coordinator - WayCarbon

14:40 Breakout 10 – Demand Perspectives: What are Buyers Looking for When Buying a Carbon Credit? (with simultaneous translation)

📍 Breakout Room 'América do Sud'

What buyers look for when buying a carbon credit? This session will explore the demand side perspective on the use of carbon credits. Ensuring a ton is a ton, that projects deliver co-benefits, that mitigation is aligned with the Paris Agreement and regulation. What drives investors decisions on credits and how should the credit look like to fit into corporate decarbonization strategies? In the context of the update of the IETA Guidelines for the Use of High Quality Carbon Credits we will address these questions to come up with guidelines on the use of credits in net zero corporate strategies.

Moderator:

👤 Luis Panichelli, VCM Policy Director - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 **Fernanda Coelho de Souza**, Senior Carbon Ratings Scientist - BeZero Carbon
- 👤 **Nick Osborne**, General Manager, Global Environmental Products Trading - Shell
- 👤 **Viviane Otsubo Kwon**, Sustentabilidade VP Institucional - Santander
- 👤 **Fernanda Rezende Facchini**, Head of Climate Change and Circular Economy - Natura

15:30 **Coffee Break**

16:00 📍 Carbon Market Lounge 'América Foyer'

16:00 **Plenary 5 – Toward Belém and Beyond: Latin America's Carbon Market Vision on the Road to COP30 (with simultaneous translation)**

17:00 📍 Plenary Room 'Renaissance Theatre'

On the road to COP30 in Belém, Latin America has a unique opportunity to show the way on how to raise climate ambition with equity, aligning climate policies and carbon markets with sustainable development priorities, that not only ensure environmental integrity, but also empower Indigenous Peoples and local communities. Join regional experts and policymakers as they outline their expectations on carbon markets for COP30 and a shared vision ahead on what a fair and sustainable carbon market future look like for Latin America.

Moderator:

- 👤 **Dirk Forrister**, CEO - IETA

Speakers:

- 👤 **Shiguo Watanabe Jr**, Carbon Markets Advisor - COP30 Presidency
- 👤 **Paula Kovarsky**, Co-Chair - Sustainable Business COP (SB COP)
- 👤 **Javier Martínez**, Head of the Mitigation Department - Ministry of the Environment, Panama
- 👤 **Mateo Estrada**, Indigenous Leader Colombia - OPIAC
- 👤 **Nathalie Flores**, Former Vice Chair, Science and Technology - UNFCCC & Vice President, Carbon Markets & Strategic Accounts - StoneX
- 👤 **Mahmoud Mohieldin**, Champion - COP27 Presidency





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