

## Technical Cooperation Abstract

### I. Basic Project Data

▪ Country/Region:	REGIONAL/IDB
▪ TC Name:	Promoting Transformation in Latin-America and the Caribbean at COP 30
▪ TC Number:	RG-T4715
▪ Team Leader/Members:	AGUIAR PARERA CATALINA (CSD/CCS) Team Leader; DE LOS RIOS B, EVER ARTURO (CSD/CSD) Alternate Team Leader; GOMEZ, JUAN CARLOS (CSD/CCS); MEDEIROS, EDUARDO (CSD/CSD); GONCALVES DOS SANTOS CAROLINA (LEG/SGO)
▪ Taxonomy:	Research and Dissemination
▪ Number and name of operation supported by the TC:	N/A
▪ Date of TC Abstract:	31 Mar 2025
▪ Beneficiary:	IDB Borrowing Member Countries in Latin-America and the Caribbean
▪ Executing Agency:	INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK
▪ IDB funding requested:	US\$375,000.00
▪ Local counterpart funding:	US\$0.00
▪ Disbursement period:	24 months
▪ Types of consultants:	Individuals; Firms
▪ Prepared by Unit:	CSD/CCS - Climate Change Solutions Division
▪ Unit of Disbursement Responsibility:	CSD/CCS - Climate Change Solutions Division
▪ TC included in Country Strategy:	No
▪ TC included in CPD:	No
▪ Alignment to the Update to the Institutional Strategy 2024-2030:	Social protection and human capital development; Sustainable, resilient, and inclusive infrastructure; Productive development and innovation through the private sector; Regional integration

### II. Objective and Justification

- 2.1 This Technical Cooperation (TC) aims to foster dialogue on shared policy challenges in Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) within the framework of international climate negotiations and the Multilateral Development Banks (MDB) agenda. By facilitating regional coordination this TC will support collective action efforts. It will also fund the IDB's participation at COP30 to highlight its strategic topics like resilience, Amazonia, financial innovations, climate action, and Belem alignment. Through this engagement, the IDB will: (i) strengthen its role as the leading partner in policy transformation across LAC, while positioning the region as a vital part of the global solution; (ii) showcase its projects, policies, and partnerships that advance investments within and beyond LAC; (iii) position the region as a leader in addressing environmental challenges on a global scale; and (iv) foster collaboration and dialogue with clients and partners.
- 2.2 This TC is designed to set a roadmap of activities to be implemented during the participation of the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) in the Conference of the Parties of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC COP 30). These summits bring its parties together to accelerate policy transformations to promote sustainable economic growth, while also mobilize the private sector, civil society, industry, and individuals. The Paris Agreement adopted in 2015, aims at reducing global greenhouse gas emissions to hold global temperature increase well below 2°C above pre-industrial levels, recognizing that this would significantly reduce the risks and impacts of climate change. The specific objective of the TC is to build a

strategic presence during COP30, which will take place in Belém, Brazil. Such a strong presence during the COP will allow for showcasing transformative initiatives, projects and generating space for discussions that empower countries from the region to advance with their goals and commitments established under their national strategies and showcase the IDB's leadership among MDB, building momentum to harvesting deliverables to support sustainable economic growth and transformation.

### III. Description of Activities and Outputs

- 3.1 **Component 1. Enhancing resilience and socio-economic development in LAC.** Development of a publication on resilience that will showcase IDB's leadership in advancing adaptation and disaster risk management in LAC, providing a comprehensive analysis of challenges, innovative solutions, and financing mechanisms to support the region's resilience-building efforts.
- 3.2 **Component 2. Building a strategic presence during COP 30.** This component will finance: (i) between 50-60 IDB events, workshops and high-level engagements happening at the IDB pavilion in the COP30 Blue Zone and will support the presentation of its initiatives, projects, and partnerships; and (ii) the participation of the IDB in events organized with other organizations, MDB, and/or countries, and co-organization of events with other organizations

### IV. Budget

Indicative Budget (US\$)

Activity/Component	IDB Funding	Total
Component 1. Enhancing resilience and socio-economic development in LAC	50,000	50,000
Component 2. Building a strategic presence during COP 30	325,000	325,00
<b>Total</b>	<b>375,000</b>	<b>375,000</b>

### V. Executing Agency and Execution Structure

- 5.1 The Bank will act as the executing agency.
- 5.2 Due to its ability to leverage its extensive network of internal and external subject-matter experts and well-established relationships with relevant stakeholders the IDB will execute this operation. The Climate Change Division of the IDB (CSD/CCS) will be responsible for supervising and implementing this operation's resources. The execution of the TC will be coordinated with the relevant divisions of the IDB, IDB invest and IDB Lab. The IDB will carry out the execution activities through CSD/CCS, which will be responsible for the operation's disbursements and procurement. The project will leverage synergies and complementarities with IDB operations, research, and in-house expertise in NDC, LTS, and NBSAP planning and implementation. Additionally, due to the regional nature of this TC and since it originated at the initiative of the Bank, in accordance with Annex II of OP-619-4, the Bank will act as the executing agency.

### VI. Project Risks and Issues

- 6.1 Working with several countries on specific knowledge-generation activities may result in coordination issues, which may result in a considerable delay to the TC and its objectives. To mitigate this risk, country selection will be confirmed with CSD/CCS country specialists, other relevant sector country specialists, and the Chiefs of Operations.

## **VII. Environmental and Social Aspects**

- 7.1 This TC does not have applicable requirements of the Bank's Environmental and Social Policy Framework (ESPF).