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Quick Facts

Countries	Colombia
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Closed
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2018-11-19
Borrower	Government of Colombia
Sectors	Education and Health, Industry and Trade, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 0.60 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 0.65 million

Project Description

According to the bank, the general objective of the project is to implement a market – pull technology transfer and innovation acceleration program which responds to the needs of companies and the markets and helps to catalyze the knowledge economy in Colombia. More concretely, the project seeks to: i) increase the success rates of technology transfer from universities and increase the economic and social impact of the universities by generating research aligned with industry needs; ii) accelerate innovation in large companies through engagement with entrepreneurship capabilities; iii) generate new products and services through open innovation processes. In the medium term, this project will help to generate employment from new science and tech-based firms and ventures and business models.

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Contact Information

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Bank Documents

- Anexo II Matriz de Resultados CO-T1475.pdf
- Anexo III TDRs CO-T1475.pdf
- Anexo IV - Plan de Adquisiciones.pdf
- Market pull technology transfer as a catalyst for Innovation in Colombia CO-T1475.pdf