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Establishment of Latin America Land Administration Network (LALAN)

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Agenda

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Introduction

• Networks of academic institutions are proven platforms for knowledge sharing and experiences in education exchange
• International Workshop LALA LADM+, 5-9 November 2018 in Quito Ecuador, (ESPE Ecuador and Kadaster International ITC University of Twente from the Netherlands – SLAS)
• Representatives from seven countries from Latin American continent, Spain and the Netherlands were present at the workshop.
• Latin America Land Administration Network - LALAN was initiated
CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES IN THE HIGHER EDUCATION

- Capacity development is a key issue related to development policies and the sustainability of any measures of development
- Paris Declaration of Aid Effectiveness (2005)
- Accra Agenda for Action in 2008
- In 2014, the GLTN capacity development strategy
- EU Horizon 2020 (e.g. its4land) and Erasmus+
Levels and dimensions of Capacity Development

- **The broader system/societal level** - the highest level

- **The entity/organisational level** - a formal organisation or one department or agency,

- **The group-of-people/individual level** - for individuals mainly education and training (FIG, 2008)

- A new level – Academic Networks? Or combination of higher three?
Need for establishment of LALAN

- Land administration only as a separate subject in some BSc and MSc programmes in Latin America countries.

- The public sector of land administration was not as good as it could be, but all participants acknowledged that some international projects
  - ESPE University – Ecuador;
  - Universidad de San Carlos De Guatemala;
  - Universidad Distrital – Colombia;
  - Universidad Politecnica De Valencia – Spain;
  - Universidad de Campinas - Brazil
  - Universidad San Martin De Porres, Universidad Catolica San Pablo – Peru.
Objective

• The objective of this network is to: perform activities that can support capacity development and sharing knowledge in both fit-for-purpose and responsible land administration within the Latin America Land Administration Network of education and research institutions.
Activities for the coming period:

- Articulation of the LALAN – Statement
- Network and secretariat (management, coordination, & assessment of the network activities)
- Short courses for Land Professionals in the education (train the trainer approach)
- Education and Knowledge sharing (review of current curriculum in Land Administration with aim of update and improve)
Conclusions:

– Capacity development / levels
– Need of Establishment of LALAN
– Objective + activities
– Next LALAN activity in progress with support of SLAS
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Thank You!

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