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Atelier : La politique de développement rural en Amérique latine

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Résumé de l'atelier

Cet atelier à portes ouvertes est organisé par RIMISP – le Centre Latino-Américain pour le développement rural sur les tendances rurales, les opportunités et les réponses politiques au Brésil, le Chili et le Mexique. L'atelier présentera et discutera sur les déséquilibres régionaux (au sein des pays) en Amérique latine et sur les réponses sur la politique territoriale au Brésil, le Chili et le Mexique. Il souligne ce que les programmes publics de ces pays proposent pour corriger les disparités et pour créer de nouvelles opportunités pour les populations rurales.

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Experts: **Manuel Chiriboga**, Chercheur Principal, RIMISP – Centre latino-américain pour le développement rural.

Présentation: *Le dynamique territorial en Amérique-latine: les changements de la croissance économique, la pauvreté et l'égalité des années 1990 au 2000 au niveau municipal au Mexique, le Guatemala, le Honduras, El Salvador, le Nicaragua, la Colombie, l'Équateur, le Pérou, la Bolivie, le Brésil et le Chili.*

María Angélica Ropert, Consultante indépendante, ancien Directeur du développement rurale, Ministère de l'intérieur, Chile.

Présentation: *Programmes et Politiques du développement économique territorial au Chile.*

Antonio Ruiz. ProTerritorios, Programme de Coopération Ibero-Americain de la gestion territorial.

Présentation: *Les expériences du développent territorial du Brésil et du Mexique avec un accent sur le développement rurale et agricole.*

Speaker Biographies



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