



SPECIALIZED WORKSHOP ON EFFECTIVE PUBLIC INVESTMENT IN COLOMBIA

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Salón Guadalupe

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This workshop aims to promote a specialized discussion on the preliminary findings of the implementation in Colombia of the OECD instrument on “Effective Public Investment across Levels of Government” which contains the OECD Council’s recommendation results from the international norms and standards, best practices and policy guidelines.

Accordingly, the National Planning Department (DNP) seeks to open the debate and reflection among officials and specialists around these findings with a view to identify new options and/or reinforce current courses of action to strengthen effectiveness and quality of public investment in Colombia.

The workshop is co-organised by the DNP, the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), the Inter-American Development Bank (IADB) and the World Bank (WB).

Hour	Discussion topic	Key speaker	High level discussants
8:30 – 9:00	Welcome and Introductory remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Manuel Fernando Castro, Deputy General Director for Territorial Development and Public Investment. DNP Ximena Cadena, Deputy Vice Minister. Ministry of Public Finance and Credit. Luiz de Mello, Deputy Director, Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate. OECD 	
9:00 – 9:30	OECD Study of Colombia’s public investment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dorothee Allain Dupré, Senior Policy Analyst Regional Development Policy Division, OECD 	
9:30 – 10:00	Framework for Assessing Public Investment Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pedro Arizti, Sr. Public Sector Specialist, World Bank Colombia 	
10:15 – 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>		
10:45 – 12: 30	Improving (horizontal/vertical) coordination to reach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Luiz de Mello, Deputy Director, Public Governance and 	Facilitator: David Albrecht, OECD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Olga Lucia Acosta, CEPAL

	better investment outcomes	Territorial Development Directorate, OECD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Samuel Zambrano</i>, Planning Director. Ministry for Agriculture and Rural Development. • <i>Paula Acosta</i>, Presidency of Colombia • <i>Hugo Rodriguez</i>, Manager Contrato Plan Santander
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Lunch</i>		
14:00 – 15:30	Multi-level governance and strengthening subnational capacities for effective public investment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Duarte Rodrigues</i>, Member of Board, Cohesion and Development Agency, Portugal 	Facilitator: Diego Arisi, IADB <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Juan Mauricio Ramirez</i>, Deputy Director Fedesarrollo • <i>Rafael Puyana</i>, Vice President Private Council for Competitiveness • <i>Manuel Fernando Castro</i>, Deputy General Director for Territorial Development and Public Investment. DNP
15:30 – 16:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>		
16:00 – 17:30	Framework financial conditions for effective public investment across levels of government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Isabelle Chatry</i>, Senior policy analyst Regional Development Policy Division, OECD 	Facilitator: Isidora Zapata, OECD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Ana Lucia Villa</i>, General Technical Director for Fiscal Policy, Ministry of Public Finance and Credit. • <i>Luis Alfonso Escobar</i>, Secretary of Planning Nariño • <i>Jaime Bonet</i>, Central Bank
17:30 -18:00	Wrap up		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Luiz de Melo</i>, Deputy Director, Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate OECD • <i>Manuel Fernando Castro</i>, Deputy General Director for Territorial Development and Public Investment. DNP