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NOREC EXCHANGE PROJECTS IN GUATEMALA

An overview over Norec partners, participants and exchange projects

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The Norwegian Agency for Exchange Cooperation (Norec) is Norway's only competence centre for international exchange. As an executive body under the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, we are a key part of Norway's integrated approach to achieving the UN's sustainable development goals.

Our methods put people at the focus. For over 60 years, Norec has helped organisations, institutions, and companies to grow and develop by using the most important resource they have: people.

With a grant from Norec, workplaces send employees on exchange to another country. When the employees return, the entire organisation benefits from what they have learnt. The employee gains valuable international work experience, new ideas and new skills.

Norec also coordinates recruitment of Norwegian citizens to positions funded by the Norwegian government at the UN and the World Bank. This includes positions as Junior Professional Officers and United Nations Volunteers.



Norec supported exchange projects in Guatemala are working towards the following Sustainable Development Goals:



Norec in Guatemala

Partner Countries Norec Projects

Country	Partners
Brazil	1
Colombia	1
Nicaragua	1

Norec Grants to Partnerships with Guatemala (USD 2022)

\$101,01K

Project Participants as of September 2023

5

Project participants from Guatemala

5

Project participants to Guatemala

Norec partners In Guatemala

Home partner	City	Primary Contact	Email	Start year	End year
Fundacion Asistencia Tecnica para el Desarrollo (FUNDATED)	Guatemala City	Mario Salazar	mario@fundatedguatemala.org	2022	2027
Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences (FLACSO) Guatemala	Guatemala City	Jorge Calvo Drago	flacsoguate@flacso.edu.gt	2022	2025

Guatemalan participants on exchange as of September 2023

Home organisation	Number of participants
Fundacion Asistencia Tecnica para el Desarrollo (FUNDATED)	3
Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences (FLACSO) Guatemala	2

Norec participants on exchange in Guatemala as of September 2023

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Fundacion Asistencia Tecnica para el Desarrollo (FUNDATED)	3
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Norec projects in Guatemala

Fundacion Asistencia Tecnica para el Desarrollo (FUNDATED)

Project period

Start Year	End Year
2022	2027

Project key facts

Number of participants of project period	Estimated total budget of project period
60	\$1M

Thematic focus

Sustainable Development Goal:	DAC sub sector:
3. Good Health and Well-Being	12340 Promotion of mental health and well-being

Project description

The partners in Guatemala and Nicaragua are working to improve quality of life for women and children affected by violence, and also vulnerable indigenous groups and individuals affected by COVID-19 and the long-term effects of the pandemic. Overall the partners provide psychosocial support to these groups, while also developing tools and providing them with means and skills to lift themselves up.

Partners

Name	Country
Centro de Derechos Humanos, Ciudadanos y Autonomicos (CEDEHCA)	Nicaragua
Fundacion Asistencia Tecnica para el Desarrollo (FUNDATED)	Guatemala

Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences (FLACSO) Guatemalan Headquarters

Project period

Start Year	End Year
2022	2025

Project key facts

Number of participants of project period	Estimated total budget of project period
18	\$800K

Thematic focus

Sustainable Development Goal:	DAC sub sector:
13. Climate Action	11420 Higher education

Project description

The partners enable communities to face natural disasters, climate change, raise environmental awareness and stimulate sustainable development. The project exchange social psychology specialists from Colombia, social scientists from Guatemala and social communication specialists from Brazil; whom will teach, research and support communities. It will conclude in an study on local community resilience.

Partners

Name	Country
Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences (FLACSO) Guatemalan Headquarters	Guatemala
São Caetano do Sul Municipal University (USCS)	Brazil
Universidad Metropolitana de Barranquilla	Colombia