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## NOTIFICATION

**Subject: Invitation to participate in Simulated Multilateral Negotiations on the Governance of Solar Radiation Modification (SRM) - 9 and 10 October 2025, Bogotá**

Dear Madam or Sir,

I am pleased to invite you to the workshop “Simulated Multilateral Negotiations on the Governance of Solar Radiation Modification (SRM)”, to be held on 9 and 10 October 2025 in Bogotá, Colombia, with simultaneous interpretation in Spanish and English.

This event is the third and final workshop in the series “From Science to Policy: Addressing the Complexities of Emerging Climate Intervention Techniques in the Americas”, organized by the Inter-American Institute for Global Change Research (IAI), in collaboration with The Alliance for Just Deliberation on Solar Geoengineering (DSG) and The Degrees Initiative.

The workshop is designed as an interactive, two-part simulation: first, a regional preparatory consultation exploring how countries in the Americas might identify and articulate their priorities and concerns regarding SRM governance; and second, a simulated multilateral negotiation based on a fictitious draft resolution.

The objective is not to reach consensus or produce policy recommendations, but rather to strengthen participants’ understanding of the challenges associated with multilateral deliberation on SRM, such as managing scientific uncertainty, ethical trade-offs, institutional complexity, and geopolitical tensions. Through this hands-on experience, participants will gain insights to engage more effectively, equitably, and strategically in future international discussions on emerging climate intervention technologies.

The organizers maintain a neutral stance regarding whether SRM should be used or how it should be governed, and share the conviction that it is urgent to foster a broad, informed, and inclusive regional dialogue on the issue.

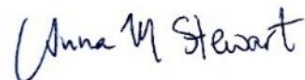
The organizers are able to cover travel, accommodation, and meals for one delegate per country. Additional representatives are welcome to attend, provided their expenses are covered by their respective institutions.

Please note that once an airline ticket has been issued, the IAI Directorate will not be able to make changes to the itinerary.

The designation of official representatives must be submitted by the national representative in an attached note and sent by email to Ms. Soledad Noya at [soledad.noya@dir.iai.int](mailto:soledad.noya@dir.iai.int) as soon as possible and preferably no later than 5 August 2025.

Please accept, Madam/Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Anna M Stewart". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'A'.

Anna Stewart-Ibarra  
Executive Director