

ANNUAL REPORT 2015 ILSI NORTH-ANDEAN

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1. ACADEMIC EVENTS

1.1 Participation in events (7)

International Physical Exercise and Nutrition Congress and III International Seminar on Physical Activity for Health: Lecture by Olga Lucia Mora entitled Obesity: Shared Responsibilities. 300 attendees. This forum brought together academics, professionals and students of nutrition and physical education. Universidad Santo Tomás Bogotá, March 20 to 22.

II Symposium ABP Food and Nutrition Security "His action against hunger": Lecture by Consuelo Vanegas (Academic Member Board) on Food Safety. 50 attendees. The audience included students and teachers in human nutrition and health sciences. Universidad del Sinu Cartagena, April 24.

IV Seminar obesity Interdisciplinary Approach "Primordial role of physical activity in the prevention and treatment of obesity" Lecture by Dr. Randall Gutiérrez (ILSI Mesoamerica Board) on recommendations of physical activity throughout the life cycle. Around 300 physical educators, physicians and nutritionists attended. Advice conference by Colombia Health Ministry on Styles, modes and healthy living conditions. Funcobes Bogota, May 8 -9

Novel approaches in Biomedical Research 2015: Immunology. ILSI North-Andean Ecuador was sponsor. 150 attendees. UDLA- Quito, junio
<http://www.udla.edu.ec/app/traslacional/>

Dietary supplements for intelligent prevention, savings in the health system of the United States: the Colombian Center for Integrative Nutrition, CECNI invited ILSI Nor-Andino to your monthly update day nutrition. The conference (Webinar) was given by Dr. Douglas MacKay and was attended by 12 nutritionists in the clinical area. CECNI -Bogotá, June 25

XVI Colombian Congress of Nutrition and Dietetics: Workshop on energy balance nutritionists led by Dr. Rocio Gamez (IDRD - Government stakeholder). 15 attendees. Plenary lecture on hydration during the life cycle by Dr Juan Manuel Sarmiento (Universidad del Bosque). 400. Colombian Association of Nutritionists Dietitians, ACODIN-Santa Marta, 12 to 15 August. Presentations and video available.

SLAN Congress 2016: Dr. John Duperly gave a lecture during ILSI Symposium on Energy Balance. In addition, Arantza Bilbao was part of the logistics Committee. Punta Cana, November 7 to 12

1.2. Events organized by ILSI North-Andean (5)

The nutrition of Venezuelans. A challenge? 35 attendees. Fundación Bengoa and Institute of Science and Food Technology Foundation, Caracas, June 25.

Forum on "Functional Food": Lectures by Dr. Alvin Ibarra and Prof. Ana S. Bermudez, 33 assistants, Bogotá, September 18. Presentations available.

Childhood Obesity. 86 attendees. Organizer with SLAN Venezuela, the CANIA and Fundación Bengoa, Caracas, October 23 Foundation

1st International Symposium on Food Safety and Biotechnology with emphasis on GMOs: Lecture by Dr Marcell Gutierrez (University La Molina, Peru) on "Bio-economy and food security: The role of biotechnology" and "Recombinant crops to tackle malnutrition and climate change". 240 participants from academia and the public sector, Organized by Ministry of Health and Social Protection of Colombia, Universidad Antonio Nariño, Agro-Bio and ILSI North-Andean Ibaguè-Bogotá, November 4 - 5.

Forum "Food Additives: A Global Perspective evaluation, safety and use" Logistics operator by USDA request. Participation of Dr. Enedina Lucas (Chile) and regional speaker, with support from ILSI South-Andean. 44 attendees. USDA, FEMA-Bogotá, December 10. Presentations, video and Proceeding book available.

Other activities planned for officials of the Government of Venezuela (Min. Health Food Min.de, National Nutrition Institute, National Institute of Hygiene) were suspended by changes in government. Activities will be proposed again for next year.

2. PUBLICATIONS

ILSI North-Andean Venezuela was co-author of Reference Values of energy and nutrients for the Venezuelan population. www.fundacionbengoa.org

3. CONCEPTS OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION DOCUMENT

ILSI North-Andean Colombia sent comments to the following draft regulation of the Ministry of Health and Social Protection of Colombia in public consultation:

- Recommendations of energy and nutrients for the Colombian population (May 2015)
- Limits for sodium content in foods prioritized in the framework of the national strategy to reduce sodium intake (July 2015)
- Sanitary requirements to be met by sugar for human consumption (November 2015).

4. ACTIVITIES ILSI EUROPE, OCTOBER 2015

Olga Lucia Mora participated in two activities led by ILSI Europe:

- Workshop on Total Dietary Studies, October 2015.
- Work sessions with the staff of ILSI Europe, whose aim was to present the activities carried out by the two branches and identify best practices for managing the Branch that apply to North-Andean.

5. OTHER ACTIVITIES

Analysis of policies and guidelines established by ILSI Global by the offices of Colombia and Ecuador.

Portfolio 2016 & Strategic Plan and to the offices of Ecuador and Colombia (running).

Participation in Conference calls with ILSI Global, LatAm and Regional Board.

ACTIVITIES 2016

1. ISO 17025 Workshop "Interpretation of results of analytical report" for officials of the Ministry of Health and National Institute of Hygiene, ILSI members North-Andean (Venezuela).
2. Discussion Mercosur rules and regulations. Officials Min. Food, Health and Hygiene, ILSI North-Andean members (Venezuela).
3. Risk analysis workshops for officials Min. Of Health, Food, Health and Agriculture and IICA (Venezuela).
4. Mycotoxins workshop for Min Health, Agriculture, INH and others (Venezuela).
5. Publication: Full electronic book of special interest to the Academy on the project carried out by "Reference Values of energy and nutrients for the Venezuelan population". Approximately 800 pages (Venezuela).
6. System of nutrient profiles and their application in public policies (Ecuador).
7. Nutrition labeling - traffic light (Ecuador)
8. Seminar trends on ingredients: Replacement salt and sugar.
9. Myths and Facts about food: Nutrition Labelling, commodities, substitutes and new technologies "ultraproceded food".
10. Fortification & Public Policy: Seminar and government forum.
11. Food processing: Food Security and Safety. Seminar and government forum.
12. Consumer Sciences and nutrition education strategies. Seminar and government forum.