



International Service-Learning Conference

August 24th -25th, 2023

Pontificia Universidad Católica Argentina - Auditorio San Agustín,
Av. Alicia Moreau de Justo 1300, Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires, Argentina



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El 26th International Service-Learning Conference is hosted by the Latin American Center for Service-Learning (CLAYSS) and the Vice-Rectorate for Integration of the Pontifical Catholic University of Argentina (UCA), with the support of the Organization of Ibero-American States (OEI). We thank the collaboration of our partners from the Ibero-American Service-Learning Network and Uniservitate Programme.

Objectives:

- To offer a space for training and updating on the Service-Learning (SL) pedagogy for educators, authorities and students of all levels, as well as members and leaders of community-based and civil society organizations.
- To promote the international exchange of ideas and experiences between schools, higher education institutions, universities and social organizations which develop community-based educational projects.
- To foster opportunities for a closer connection between civil society organizations and the formal educational system, benefiting both educational equity and quality.
- To celebrate the continuity of the conference as an expression of an innovative pedagogical movement that continues to grow based on the creativity of educators and students.

THURSDAY, 24TH AUGUST

8.00 am	Registration and distribution of materials.
9:00 am	PLENARY: Welcome message. Miguel Ángel Schiavone, Rector of the Catholic University of Argentina, UCA; P. Gustavo Boquín, Vice-Rector of the Catholic University of Argentina, UCA; Luis Scasso, Director of the Regional Office of the Organisation of Ibero-American States in Buenos Aires; Jorge San Martín, President of the Latin American Center for Service-Learning, CLAYSS. Representative of the Ministry of Education of Argentina (to be confirmed).
9:45 am	PLENARY: The education of the future is today. Prof. María Nieves Tapia, founder and director of CLAYSS. Discussion with panellists. Moderator: Andrés Peregalli, CLAYSS - UCA.
11:00 am	Break. Visit the SDG spaces.
11:30 am	PLENARY: Service-learning: quality and inclusion in education in diverse environments. Estela Rojo, Centro Polivalente de Arte N° 2 [Multi Art Centre No.2], San Pedro de Jujuy, Argentina; Olha Matychuk, Ukrainian Catholic University; Victoria Herbig Zamora, Unidad 13 de INR "Las Rosas" [Institution for people deprived of liberty], Uruguay; Valeria Grunert, Faculty of Design and Urbanism, University of Buenos Aires, UBA, Argentina. Comments: Mercy Pushpalatha, United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia. Moderator: María Rosa Tapia, Coordinator of Uniservitate Programme, CLAYSS.
1.00 pm	Break. Visit the SDG spaces.
2.15 pm to 4.30 pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
HALL A:	1) WORKSHOP: How to implement a service-learning project in schools (Pre-primary, Primary and Secondary). By the Solidarity Education National Programme, Ministry of Education of Argentina. Coordinators: Sergio Rial and Belén Chaparro.
HALL B:	2) WORKSHOP: How to implement a service-learning project in Higher Education. By CLAYSS. Coordinators: Ángeles Soletic, Alejandra Batista and Jorge Sosa.
HALL C:	3) WORKSHOP: Service-learning at Pre-primary and Primary levels. Introduction: Sylvia Guimaraes and Carol Miranda, Avenues São Paulo, Brazil. Coordinators: Adriana Hernández (CLAYSS) and Gabriela Hillar (Solidarity Education National Programme, Ministry of Education of Argentina).
HALL D:	4) WORKSHOP: Service-learning in secondary schools. Introduction: Patrizia Lotti, INDIRE, Italy. Coordinators: Diego Manrique, Paula Maidana and Alejandro Gimelli (CLAYSS).
SAN AGUSTÍN:	5) PANEL: Service-learning as an institutional policy in Higher Education. Interpretation available. Beatrix Bouwman, North-West University, South Africa; Berta Paz Lourido, European Observatory of Service-Learning in Higher Education (OESLHE); Mercedes Panozzo and Juan Pablo Martínez, Siglo 21 University, Argentina; Juan Cruz Hermida, Catholic University of Argentina. Moderator: Andrés Peregalli (Uniservitate, CLAYSS).
ROOM SS56:	6) WORKSHOP: 360° view: SL projects through the eyes of students, educators and community partners. Interpretation available. Introduction: Luisa Mota Ribeiro, Catholic University of Portugal; Cecilia Acuña, "La Barca" organization, Argentina; Patricia Kamene y Michael Timonah, Tangaza University College, Kenya. Coordinators: Luz Avruj, Gerardo Bridi and Omar Sellanes (CLAYSS).
HALL E:	Service-Learning in the Arts Meeting. DAY 1.
4.45 pm	PANEL: Overview of research on service-learning. Andrew Furco, University of Minnesota, EE.UU.; Brenda Bär, University of Barcelona, Spain; Alejandra Catibiella, CLAYSS. Moderator: Alejandra Herrero, CLAYSS. San Agustín.
5.00 pm	End of activities.



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FRIDAY, 25TH AUGUST

9.00 am	DISCUSSION: Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and service-learning. Jorge Srur, South Regional Manager at CAF, Development Bank of Latin America and the Caribbean; Vannina Trentin, IPEE UNESCO; Jimi Caldea, De La Salle University, Philippines; Manuel Caire, Catholic University of Chile. Moderator: Enrique Ochoa, Executive Director of CLAYSS.
11:00 am	Break. Visit the SDG spaces.
11:30 am	PLENARY: The role of youths in service-learning projects. Iván Matulevicius, Escuela de Formación Técnico Profesional [School of Professional Technical Education], UBA, Argentina; Peris Waithera Mwangi and Herbert Dody, University Mtaani, Kenya; Patricia Kamene and Michael Timonah, Tangaza University College, Kenya; Kevin Battochi, América Solidaria Foundation, Argentina. Moderator: Alejandro Gimelli, CLAYSS.
1:00 pm	Break.
2.00 pm HALL B:	Civically-Engaged Youth Meeting. Coordinated by CLAYSS Team. Gabriela di Lascio, Agustina Camaño, Pedro Rodriguez, Carla Plaza and Mariano García.
2.15 pm to 4.45 pm HALL A:	CONCURRENT SESSIONS FOR SCHOOLS, UNIVERSITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS: 7) Discussion: Service-Learning and SDGs (People). Fátima Gabito, Instituto Nacional de Inclusión Social Adolescente de Uruguay [National Institute for Adolescent Social Inclusion in Uruguay]; Juana Mariela Villagra, Education Sciences, National University of Jujuy, Argentina; Lucrecia Gales; Barceló Foundation. Moderator: Candelaria Ferrara, CLAYSS.
SAN AGUSTÍN:	8) Discussion: Service-learning and SDGs (Planet). Interpretation available. Paula Massoni, School No. 4-084 "Simón Bolívar", Mendoza, Argentina; Lucía Durand Omodey, Club de Niños Centro Providencia [Centro Providencia Children's Club], Uruguay; Nyanjige Mbembela Mayala and Godfrey Hamis Masaho, Mwenge Catholic University, Tanzania. Moderator: María Luna, CLAYSS.
HALL C:	9) Discussion: Aprendizaje-Servicio and SDGs (Prosperity and development). Daniela Gargantini, Catholic University of Córdoba, Argentina; Edgar Lenin Rodríguez Barboza, Instituto de Educación en Construcción [Institute of Education in Construction], Uruguay; Juan José Escujuri, National University of Mar del Plata, Argentina. Moderator: Daniel Giorgetti, CLAYSS.
HALL D:	10) Discussion: Service-learning and SDGs (Peace and Partnerships). Interpretation available. Christiane Hoth de Olano and Olha Matychuk, Eastern Europe and Middle East Hub of Uniservitate Programme; María Cinque and Rodrigo de Andrade, Global Compact on Education; Josemari Aymerich, Spanish Service-Learning Network. Moderator: Marianela Fernández, CLAYSS Uruguay.
HALL E:	Service-Learning in the Arts Meeting. DAY 2.
5.00 pm	PLENARY: Conclusions of the CLAYSS coordination team. San Agustín.
5.30 pm	End of activities

Interpretation into Spanish and English will be available.

Declaration of educational interest by the National Ministry of Education and local authorities, in process.

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