



**29th International Solidarity Service-Learning Conference
27th and 28th August 2026**

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Free event requiring pre-registration. Interpretation into Spanish and English available.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, 27 TH AUGUST	
8.00 am	Registration and distribution of materials.
9.00 am	PLENARY: Welcome message. Miguel Ángel Schiavone, UCA Rector; P. Gustavo Boquín, UCA Provost of Academic Affairs; Jorge San Martín, president of CLAYSS; Carlos Torrendell, National Secretary of Education of Argentina.
9.45 am	OPENING PLENARY SESSION: Presentation by Prof. María Nieves Tapia, founder and director of CLAYSS. Moderator: Andrés Peregalli, CLAYSS.
11.00 am	Coffee Break.
11.30 am	PLENARY: Envisioning the Future of Education. Agustín Porres, Varkey Foundation; Austin Galy, San Diego University, USA; Carina Rossa, LUMSA University, Italy; Fernando Salvatierra, IIPÉ UNESCO. Comments: Nieves Tapia, CLAYSS. Moderator: Daniel Giorgetti, CLAYSS.
1.00 pm	Break.
2.30p m- 4.45p m	CONCURRENT SESSIONS FOR SCHOOLS, UNIVERSITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS: 1.- WORKSHOP: How to Start a Solidarity Service-Learning Project. All education levels. Gustavo Favero, Pablo Tavelli Technical School, Mar del Plata, Argentina; Javier N. García Gonzalez, AIEP, Chile. Coordinator: CLAYSS Training Department. 2.- WORKSHOP: How to Communicate Solidarity Service-Learning Projects. Alicia Butler, Give Pulse. Coordinators: M. de los Milagros Dominici, Analía Rossi and Bárbara Sciuto, CLAYSS/Uniservitate. 3.- WORKSHOP: How to Enhance Solidarity Service-Learning Initiatives at Pre-Primary and Primary Schools. Moderator: Adriana Hernández and Gabriela Hillar, CLAYSS.

	4.- WORKSHOP: How to Enhance Solidarity Service-Learning Initiatives at Secondary Schools Daniela Salgado, Raúl Carrasco, Pueblo Nuevo Technical School, Chile; Evelina Teran, Inst. S. Pablo Apóstol School, Tucumán, Argentina. Moderator: Laura Nicoletti-Altamari and Diego Manrique, CLAYSS. 5.- SESSION: Solidarity Service-Learning in Teacher-Training. Ricardo Galella, Gerardo Bridi, Nerea Bonelli, CADS Technical and Teacher Training Institute; Romina Fuentes, Ana María Alarcón, Lina Belén Martínez, UNCo, Argentina; Fernanda Arrau, UAH, Chile; Natalia Asenjo, UCEN, Chile; Alejandra García Riquelme, UMAG, Chile; Cecilia E. Burga Yuy, UARM, Peru; Carmen Aquino, IFDD Capiibary, Paraguay. Moderator: Gabriela Malacrida, CLAYSS. 6.- WORKSHOP: Solidarity Service-Learning in Social Organizations. Florentina Ghisa, Simina Bejenaru, SELEGRO, Romania; Sara Z. Hernández Martínez, Ana C. Aguirre Villarreal, Distrito Carolina Saltillo AC, México. Moderator: Luz Avruj, CLAYSS. Interpretation available. 7.- SESSION: Building with the Community: Solidarity Service-Learning in Higher Education. Presentation of initiatives under institutional programmes: - UBA, Buenos Aires, Argentina: Luciana Harumi dos Santos Sakano, Jorge Estéban Maeyoshimoto, FFyB; Andrea Wengrowicz, Déborah Rushan Riveros, FADU. - UDEM, Monterrey, Mexico: Edith Espinosa Páez and Karina E. Sánchez Moreno. - UCC, Córdoba, Argentina: Milagros Agüero Sepulveda, Agustín Catania, Mónica P. Berlezieri, Alejandra M. Mottola and M. del Rosario Ahumada. Moderator: Andrés Peregalli, CLAYSS/Uniservitate, UCA. Comments: Kathia Reynders, KU Leuven, Belgium. San Agustín Auditorium (interpretation available). Service-Learning Presentation. Presentation on Service-Learning: A Practical Guide and Testimonial, produced by the SRG, Verónica Yepez, PUCE, Ecuador. 8.- SESSION: Solidarity Service-Learning in Healthcare and People's Wellbeing. Ximena Seleme and Cecilia Merino, UCALP, Bahia Blanca campus, Argentina; Martín Zemel, UFASTA, Argentina; Ximena Jara, Karina Herrera, UCM, Chile; Carolina Muñoz Vergara and Camila Roa Araya, UCEN, Chile; Paola San Martín Díaz, UMAG, Chile; Cloty Lopez, REDAPS, Spain; Carolina Saldivar, Alba University, Chile. Moderator: Jorge Sosa Rolón, CLAYSS.
5.00 pm	PLENARY: The Students' Voice: A Global Perspective. ORT School Argentina; KU, Germany; UCA; LV3 Chair, School of Arts, UNLP, Buenos Aires; Secondary School No. 741, Chubut, Argentina. Moderator: Alejandro Gimelli, CLAYSS.
5.30 pm	End of activities.

FRIDAY, 28 TH AUGUST	
9.00 am	PLENARY: Service-Learning in Training Skills for Democratic Citizenship and the New Working World. Amy Meuers, NYLC, USA; Nuria A. Chaler, IQS, Spain; Verónica del Rosario Díaz, G. A. de Lamadrid School, Tucumán, Argentina; Doriana Minguila, Sec. School No. 8 Carlos Gardel, Buenos Aires, Argentina. Moderator: Enrique Ochoa, CLAYSS.
11.00 am	Break.
11.30 am	PLENARY: Solidarity Service-Learning: Impactful Stories. Experiences Told by Their Protagonists. Khrystyna Rutar and Mariia Tytarenko, UCU, Ukraine; Luis Almendra, School No. 25 Delia Medici, Chubut, Argentina; Gabriela Iusan, Simina Bejenaru, Transylvania College, Romania; Paola Umpierrez Gualco, Liceo J. Alonso and Trelles, Tala, Uruguay. Comments: Arantzazu Martínez Odría, USJ, Spain. Moderator: Ma. Rosa Tapia, CLAYSS/Uniservitate.
1.00 pm	Break.
2.00 pm	9.- SOLIDARITY YOUTH MEETING
2.30p m- 4.45p m	CONCURRENT SESSIONS FOR SCHOOLS, UNIVERSITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS: 10.- SESSION: Solidarity Service-Learning to Promote Holistic Healthcare and Community Wellbeing. Carina Berlanga and Daniela F. Gigli Interlichio, UFASTA - CONIN Centre, Mar del Plata; Ruben Marino Navarro, Mariano Ramos Agrotechnical School, Tucumán; Karen A. I. Bórquez Molina and Macarena A. Cuadros Quintana, UST, Chile; Sharon Valarmathi, CHRIST, India; Monika Soni, Assam Don Bosco University, India; UNSO, Community Health; Max Freeman, St. John's University, USA; Simone Birkel, KU, Germany. Moderator: Lorena Yaber, CLAYSS. Interpretation available. 11.- SESSION: Solidarity Service-Learning for Human Rights Advocacy and Civic Participation. Cristina del Valle Dominguez and Julia A. Gómez, UCALP, Bahía Blanca campus; Mariana Bricchi and Daniela Santillán, USAL, CABA; Daniela Berrios, Delfina Iglesias, Ainara N. Arrechea and Uma C. Deltetto, School No. 741 Juan M. Passerini, Puerto Madryn, Chubut; Carmen G. Muñoz Pincheira, UA, Chile; Andrea Durán, UCEN, Chile; Nicolh Montecinos and Lorena Aguilar, UMAG, Chile; Evelyn Farías Vargas and Silvia Sepúlveda Bobadilla, UV, Valparaíso, Chile. Moderator: Ángeles Soletic, CLAYSS. 12.- SESSION: Solidarity Service-Learning for Community Development. Mariela M. Peña, School No. 1714 Camwy, Gaiman, Chubut; José A. Pérez Carcedo, Department of Education, Science and Universities of the Autonomous Community of Madrid, Spain; Pilar Valdebenito Ferrada, UA, Chile; Carolina Rojas, UCM, Chile; Patricia Castillo Ochoa, UTA, Tarapaca, Chile; Mauricio Castillo Hernández, ITESO, Mexico; M. Angélica Pease, PUCP, Peru; Marianela Maldonado, Rocío Issin and Gabriela Lara, Altamira Danish School,

	Necochea, Buenos Aires; Marcos J. Zablonsky, PUCPR, Brazil. Moderator: Candelaria Ferrara, CLAYSS/Uniservitate. Interpretation available. San Agustín Hall. 13.- Solidarity Service-Learning in the Arts Meeting. Francisco Merino, PUCP, Peru. Moderator: Pablo Buján Matas and Mateo de Urquiza, CLAYSS. 14.- WORKSHOP: Dimensions of Integral Ecology in Planning SSL Initiatives. Marcela A. Echarri, Tech. School No. 1 Fortín de las Mercedes, Colón, Buenos Aires. Moderator: Graciela Del Campo and Alejandra Herrero, CLAYSS. 15.- SESSION: Solidarity Service-Learning Applied in Design and Production of Technological Devices Used in Holistic Healthcare. Marisa C. Rodríguez, M. Fernanda Hermoso, M. Florencia Silvestre and Luis Sacca, IRID and Tech. School 4-119 Sta. María de Oro, Rivadavia, Mendoza; Carolina Morales Cordova, UA, Chile; Alejandra F. Elgueta and Tamara Villalobos, UMAG, Chile; Juan E. González Carvajal and Pablo A. Figueroa Macaya, Tech School E. Bertelsen Temple-Diego Echeverria Castro Foundation, Chile; Lyscenia D. Córdova, PUCP, Peru. Moderator: Iris Borges, CLAYSS.
5.00 pm	PLENARY: Solidarity Youth Meeting: Conclusions. Closing Remarks. CLAYSS Management and CLAYSS Uruguay.
5.30 pm	End of activities.