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# Second EAGE Workshop on Geothermal Energy in Latin America

**WORLDWIDE OPPORTUNITIES**

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- **First Announcement and Call For Abstracts**

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## WORKSHOP OVERVIEW

Geothermal resources represent a solid clean energy alternative, on the way to creating green economies in Latin America. This region has a high potential for this energy resource, which would allow it to satisfy its demand in combination with other clean energies, while generating energy independence and economic development in the region.

Geothermal energy is a renewable energy source, not affected by climatic factors, sustainable and resilient, but with respect to other green energies, since this resource is in a geological environment; its use has a high risk, especially in the stage exploration. These risks characteristic of this resource, can be adequately reduced and managed through a comprehensive understanding of the nature of geothermal reservoirs.

The objective of the Second EAGE Workshop on Geothermal Energy in Latin America is to share experiences and lessons learned during Geothermal Resources exploration, development and exploitation stages, in order to establish appropriate practices for commercial uses of geothermal resources in the Americas.

In the climate change context, geothermal energy has the potential to contribute to sustainable developing as a clean renewable energy source. Nevertheless, it is mandatory to consider political, economic, social, technical, environmental and legal dimensions to guarantee sustainability.

## LOCATION

EAGE is pleased to announce the Second EAGE Latin America Geothermal Workshop- Worldwide Opportunities.

This event will take place in the city of Guanacaste, Costa Rica. As one of the most popular provinces in the country, Guanacaste has gained a name for itself as a tropical paradise with a pristine shoreline, beautiful mountain ranges and a number of volcanoes.

Visitors are drawn to the long summer days, active culture and unparalleled wildlife. Located in the far northwest corner of Costa Rica, Guanacaste's geographical features are diverse and exotic. With endless options for recreation, there are countless reasons why locals and international visitors alike travel to Guanacaste.



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## TOPICS

### Please submit abstracts on the following topics:

Submit your paper before **1 August 2023**

- Exploration of geothermal fields: geology, geochemistry and geophysics.
- Geothermal drilling
- Low temperature geothermal systems.
- High temperature geothermal systems
- Non-conventional systems: EGS and SHGS
- Geothermal reservoir characterization
- Geothermal reservoir development
- Geothermal modeling
- Geothermal field operation
- Sustainable geothermal developing and exploration policies
- Geotechnical constraints and hazards
- Country updates
- Direct uses
- Policy and market

## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

We are excited to announce the first Keynote Speaker of our Workshop!



**Luis Carlos Gutiérrez-Negrín**  
*Geocónsul.*

Luis Carlos is a former President of the Mexican Geothermal Association (AGM) (2015-2017), where he also served as Secretary, Treasurer and Vice President. He is currently the executive director of the consulting company Geocónsul, SA de CV, the Secretary of the CeMIE-Geo, AC, and a member of the Technical Committee of the World Geothermal Congress 2023 to be held in Beijing, China.

He is the recipient of the Pathé Award 2017 and a Geothermal Special Achievement Award in 2003, granted by the AGM and the GRC, respectively. He is currently an Editor-in-Chief of the Springer's open-journal Geothermal Energy Science – Society – Technology. He has authored/co-authored 198 peer-reviewed papers and informal communications published in technical journals, congress proceedings and magazines, as well as chapters of some technical books.

## PACE SUPPORT

PACE support is available for this event, the programme for Association and Cooperation in Earth Sciences (PACE) is funded by EAGE and supports individual geoscientists to participate actively in selected EAGE events.

This support is available for accepted speakers who cannot obtain financial support from other sources. With the PACE programme, EAGE strives to encourage the exchange of information and knowledge among the global geoscientific community.

Apply before 15 August 2023, if you want to learn more about this opportunity and want to get more information regarding the selection criteria, please visit: <https://eage.eventsair.com/second-eage-workshop-on-geothermal-in-latin-america/pace-support>

## IMPORTANT DATES

Deadline to submit your paper	1 August 2023
Deadline to apply for PACE support	15 August 2023
Workshop dates	15 - 17 November 2023
Icebreaker	15 November 2023

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