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NETWORKING EVENT REPORT

Submitted by Lead Organization	
Name of lead organization	INSTITUTO DE PESQUISA ECONÔMICA APLICADA - IPEA
City and country where lead organization is based	BRASÍLIA, BRAZIL
Title of the event	Financing Infrastructure in Metropolitan Areas of Latin America
Date of Networking Event	10/20/2016
Networking Event room number	ROOM 14
Name of partner organizations with city and country where these organizations are based	CEPAL (ECLAC): SANTIAGO, CHILE, +56 222102000
Number of participants	80
Percentage of women participants	50%
Background information on Networking Event (themes, issues, context).	The main discussion was related to how to deal with the infrastructure deficit in Latin American main metropolitan areas, especially the financing issues.
Concise summary of the event proceedings, including key points discussed.	Four representatives of different institutions evolved in financing or taking loans to provide urban development (including the representative of a local government) made a short speech guided by a previous distributed script. The speeches were organized in a way we had 2 initial speeches followed by a speech made by a commentator. We had 2 blocks of speeches and commentaries and a final round. The key points are institutional issues, urban project, financing conditions and constraints, federative relationships and cooperative actions.
Recommendations emerged from discussions at the Networking Event .	The main recommendation is related to constructing urban governance, especially in metropolitan areas, where there are more political actors and more conflicts, including those related to multiple government level.
Full name, title, and organization of the 1st speaker	Ricardo Jordán, Human Settlements Unity of Eclac
Full name, title, and organization of the 2nd speaker	Zhang Ming, Chinese, Urban Practice Manager, World Bank



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Full name, title, and organization of the 3rd speaker	Hector Mantilla, Mayor of Floridablanca (Colombia)
Full name, title, and organization of the 4th speaker	Marco Aurélio Costa, Coordinator of Urban Studies at Ipea
Full name, title, and organization of the 5th speaker	Joaquim Oliveira, Portuguese, Chief of Regional Development Policy Division of OECD
Full name, title, and organization of the 6th speaker	Jean-François Habeau, Director of FMDV
Full name, title, and organization of the 7th speaker	Andres Blanco Blanco, Senior Specialist in Urban Development and Housing, IADB
Full name, title, and organization of the 7th speaker	Junia Santarosa, formerly from the Ministry of Cities