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day 5
Frid., March 13

time	activity
08:30 a.m.	Lecture: "Public-private Partnerships for Sustainable Development: from Conflict to Local Development, the Papagayo Experience" Lecturer: Manuel Ardón, General Manager, Península Papagayo
10:00-10:30 a.m.	Coffee break at Hotel Grano de Oro
10:30-12:30 p.m.	Group exercise. Conducted by Aitor Llodio, AUARSE
12:30-1:00 p.m.	Wrap up session
1:00-2:00 p.m.	Farewell Lunch at Hotel Grano de Oro's Restaurant

day 4
Thurs., March 12

time	activity
08:30-10:00 a.m.	Lecture: "Central America and the International Context" Lecturer: Elaine White, M. Sc. Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
10:00-10:30 a.m.	Coffee break at Hotel Grano de Oro
10:30-12:15 p.m.	Lecture: "Central America: A Recent Balance of the Region" Lecturer: Evelyn Virella, M. Sc. Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
12:30-01:45 p.m.	Lunch at Restaurante BBQ Los Anonos
02:00-3:45 p.m.	Lecture: "Relations US-Costa Rica (a U.S. view)" Lecturer: Officer of the US Embassy in San José Place: U.S. Embassy, Rohrmoser
04:00-04:15 p.m.	Coffee break at Hotel Grano de Oro
04:15-6:00 p.m.	Lecture: "Politics, Democracy and Power in Latin America: Relations with the United States, Lecturer: Jairo Hernández, M.A.L.D. Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
06:00 p.m. on	Time off for personal activities

day 3
Wed., March 11

time	activity
08:30-10:00 a.m.	Lecture: "Costa Rica and its Social and Economic Development" Lecturer: Dr. Jorge Nowalski Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
10:00-10:30 a.m.	Coffee Break at Hotel Grano de Oro
10:30-12:15 p.m.	Lecture: "Sustainable Development in Costa Rica" Lecturer: Dr. Pedro Leon. Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
12:30:01:30 p.m.	Lunch at Hotel Grano de Oro's Restaurant
02:00-03:45 p.m.	Lecture: "Trade and Development: Beyond CAFTA" Lecturer: Lic. Doris Osterhof, M.A. Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
04:00-06:00 p.m.	Lecture: "US-Costa Rica Relations: A Vision from the Business Sector" Lecturer: Lic. José Antonio Muñoz, Practitioner Lawyer Place: American-Costa Rican Chamber of Commerce
07:00-10:00 p.m.	Coffee break included Typical Costa Rican dinner and Cultural activity at Restaurante RamLuna, Aserri, San José

day 2
Tues., March 10

time	activity
08:00-10:00 a.m.	Lecture: "Democracy and Power in Costa Rica" Lecturer: Jairo Hernández, M.A.L.D. Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
10:00-10:30 a.m.	Coffee break at Hotel Grano de Oro
10:30-12:15 p.m.	Lecture: "Justice and Human Rights," Lecturer: Victor Rodríguez-Rescía Place: Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro
12:30-01:30 p.m.	Lunch at Restaurante Chateau 1525, downtown San José
01:45-02:30 p.m.	Visit to National Congress (Asamblea Legislativa)
02:45-03:30 p.m.	Visit to Tribunal Supremo de Elecciones (TSE) (Supreme Electoral Tribunal)
03:30-04:00 p.m.	Coffee break at TSE "soda"
04:00-06:00 p.m.	Workshop on Alternative Conflict Resolution (at TSE) Conducted by Randal Arias. Place: Salón Multiuso, TSE
06:30-9:00 p.m.	Dinner at Restaurante Machu Pichu, La Granja, San Pedro

day 1
Mon., March 09

time	activity
6:00-8:00 p.m.	Welcome cocktail and ice breaking activity (Sala Pozuelo, Hotel Grano de Oro) Welcome by Dr. Nowalski Introduction and program presentation, Jairo Hernández