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THE ACADEMY 2021 VIRTUAL EXCHANGE WOMEN, CLIMATE AND POWER

Welcome to The Academy

The Academy for Women in STEM is the result of a 100,000 Strong for the Americas grant competition. An international education initiative designed to provide more women in the innovation fields the knowledge, skills, abilities, and support to ascend to higher education and leadership levels within their communities and countries. The Academy is a comprehensive program designed to facilitate the academic and career advancement of underrepresented/minority women – including indigenous women – in the innovation fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics, and Architecture (STEM+A).

This edition's theme is "Women, Climate, & Power" and will introduce multiple analytical lenses to better understand the social-ecological system, examine the human-environment connection, and explore power and the place of gender as a factor in the nature-society relationship. Participants will engage in compassionate knowledge-building, complex critical thinking, and creative problem solving under the broader framework of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals to propose living solutions to real-world problems and generate new perspectives for prosperity inclusive of all people - and all life - on the planet.

The Academy 2021 edition, the fourth iteration, is a joint collaboration project between The **University of New Mexico** (UNM) in the United States, the **Universidad Politécnica de Santa Rosa Jáuregui** (UPSRJ) in Querétaro, México, and the **Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano** (ITM) in Medellin Colombia.









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Thank you all partners and contributors, for your support and participation in **The Innovation Academy for Women 2021** – "Women, Climate and Power".

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SECRETARÍA DE EDUCACIÓN









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Featured Speakers and Faculty Members



Mtro. Ricardo Javier Torres Hernández

Vice-Minister of Environment for the State of Querétaro



Dra. Miriam Gay- Antaki

Associate Director
R.H. Mallory Center for Community Geography,
University of New Mexico



Amelia Arreguín

Gender and environment specialist National Autonomous University of Mexico



Raquel Godoy

Agile Coach IBM









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MsC. David Alejandro Coy Mesa

Professor of Faculty of Economic and Administrative Sciences Head of the Observatory of Science, Technology and Arts Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano



Dr. Mahmoud Taha

Chair Civil Engineering
University of New Mexico



Dr. Ramiro Jordan

Assoc. Dean, International Programs, Electrical Computer Engineering University of New Mexico



Dr. Carman Melendrez

Research Scholar, Research Development Office, University of New Mexico











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Mtra. Sandra Begay

Researcher, Sandia National Laboratories



Dra. Clara Marcela Mosquera LópezSpecialist in processing and analysis of medical images
Universidad de Texas









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ORIENTATION DAY

FRIDAY 11TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
08 h 00	09 h 00	Welcome to the New Generation of the Academy
08 h 15	09 h 15	How to use my platform
08 h 25	09 h 25	How is my program organized
08 h 35	09 h 35	Get to know my colleagues
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Get to know my team-members
09 h 25	10 h 25	Get to know the other participants
09 h 50	10 h 50	Questions and Answers
10 h 00	11 h 00	Finish









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WEEK 1

MONDAY 14TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
08 h 00	09 h 00	Opening Ceremony
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Keynote Conference : Sustainable Goals by <i>Ricardo Javier Torres Hernández</i> - Vice Minister of Environment Querétaro.
09 h 55	10 h 55	Break
10 h 00	11 h 00	Academic Introduction to week 2 and 3 by <i>Dr. Miriam Gay Antaki</i> from UNM and <i>Mtro. David Coy</i> from ITM.
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch
12 h 00	13 h 00	Presentation of 4 Industrial Partners and Challenges: 1) Turboservice International S. de R.L. de C.V. (Mexico) 2) Agacel Agregados y Asfaltos S.A. de C.V. (Mexico) 3) Native American Community Academy (United States) 4) e.Ray Latam SAS (Colombia)
12 h 55	13 h 55	Break
13 h 00	14 h 00	Design Thinking Workshop by Raquel Godoy from IBM
15 h 00	16 h 00	Finish









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TUESDAY 15TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Design Thinking Workshop by <i>Raquel Godoy</i> from IBM
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Keynote Conference : "Women and Climate Change: Denied impacts and unrevealed opportunities", by <i>Amelia Arreguín Prado</i> , General Director of Eco Maxei.
09 h 55	10 h 55	Break
10 h 00	11 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Industrial Mentorship: -Get to know your company -Contextualization of Challenge
14 h 00	15 h 00	Finish









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WEDNESDAY 16TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Design Thinking Workshop by <i>Raquel Godoy</i> from IBM
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Work on your Challenge
15 h 00	16 h 00	Finish









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THURSDAY 17TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Design Thinking Workshop by <i>Raquel Godoy</i> from IBM
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Industrial Mentorship
14 h 00	15 h 00	Finish

FRIDAY 18TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Design Thinking Workshop by <i>Raquel Godoy</i> from IBM
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Finish









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WEEK 2

MONDAY 21ST OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
08 h 00	09 h 00	Keynote Conference: How to Save the Planet When the Odds Are Against You, by <i>Mtra. Sandra Begay</i> -Researcher, Sandia National Laboratories.
08 h 55	09 h 55	Break
09 h 00	10 h 00	Keynote Conference : Perspectives from Practice: Convergence of Academia and Social Action, by <i>Dra. Carman Melendrez</i> - Research Scholar. Research Development Office, University of New Mexico.
09 h 55	10 h 55	Break
10 h 00	11 h 00	Workshop: Women, Climate and Power (Part 1), by Dr. Miriam Gay-Antaki from University of New Mexico
12 h 00	13 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Industrial Mentorship
14 h 00	15 h 00	Finish









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TUESDAY 22ND OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
09 h 00	10 h 00	Keynote Conference: The Future of STEM: Global Peace Engineering, by <i>Dr. Ramiro Jordan</i> - Assoc. Dean, International Programs, Electrical Computer Engineering at University of New Mexico.
09 h 55	10 h 55	Break
10 h 00	11 h 00	Applied Workshop: Addressing Team Challenges through the Women, Climate and Power Len, by Dr. Miriam Gay-Antaki from University of New Mexico
12 h 00	13 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Team Work on Challenges
15 h 00	16 h 00	Finish









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WEDNESDAY 23RD OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
10 h 00	10 h 00	Keynote Conference: Knowledge Keeping Gathering: Re-Indigenizing Lands, by Moises Gonzales and Whisper .
11 h 25	11 h 25	Break
11 h 40	11 h 40	Movie: Picture a Scientist (2021)
13 h 00	13 h 00	Lunch
14 h 00	14 h 00	Industrial Mentorship
15 h 00	15 h 00	Finish









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THURSDAY 24TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
09 h 00	10 h 00	Conference: "I'm Thinking About Graduate School" – Advice for Women in STEM, Dr. Julie Coonrood , Dean of Graduate Studies at University of New Mexico.
09 h 55	10 h 55	Break
10 h 00	11 h 00	Conference : "Climate Change and Resilience" by Dr. Mahmoud Taha , Chair Civil Engineering at University of New Mexico.
10 h 55	11 h 55	Break
11 h 00	12 h 00	Discussion of "Picture a Scientist" by Dr. Miriam Gay- Antaki from University of New Mexico
13 h 00	14 h 00	Lunch
14 h 00	15 h 00	Team Work on Challenges
15 h 00	16 h 00	Finish









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FRIDAY 25TH OF JUNE

Time -MST-(USA) Time -CST-(MEX, COL)

Activity

09 h 00 10 h 00

Conference: Climate change, thinking out of the box by **Dr. Carlos Gay García,** from Centro de Ciencias de la Atmósfera UNAM

10 h 00

11 h 00

Team Work on Challenges



MONDAY 28TH OF JUNE

Time	
-MST-	
(USA)	



Activity

07 h 00 08 h 00

Keynote Conference: Introduction Entrepreneurship and Innovation by **MsC. David Alejandro Coy Mesa** from ITM

07 h 55

08 h 55

08 h 00

09 h 00

Context: Key learning path concepts, by MsC. David

Alejandro Coy Mesa from ITM.

09 h 00

10 h 00

Keynote Conference: Powerful Women, by Dra. Clara Marcela Mosquera López from University of Texas

11 h 00

12 h 00

Lunch

Break

13 h 00

14 h 00

Industrial Mentorship

14 h 00

15 h 00

Finish













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TUESDAY 29TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Module 1 Understanding: Comprehending and observing, challenges of innovation, by MsC. David Alejandro Coy Mesa from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
07 h 55	08 h 55	Break
08 h 00	09 h 00	Workshop : Focus of attention, by <i>MsC. David Alejandro Coy</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
09 h 00	10 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Team Work on Challenges
15 h 00	16 h 00	Finish









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WEDNESDAY 30TH OF JUNE

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Module 2 Creating: Defining and Designing the innovation opportunity, by <i>MsC. David Alejandro Coy</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
07 h 55	08 h 55	Break
08 h 00	09 h 00	Workshop : Solution Creation, by <i>MsC. David Alejandro Coy</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
09 h 00	10 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Industrial Mentorship
14 h 00	15 h 00	Finish









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THURSDAY 1ST OF JULY

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Module 3 Finalizing: Prototyping and presenting an innovative solution, by <i>MsC. David Alejandro Coy Mesa</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
07 h 55	08 h 55	Break
08 h 00	09 h 00	Workshop : Prototype and verification, by <i>MsC. David Coy Mesa</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
09 h 00	10 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch
13 h 00	14 h 00	Team Work on Challenges
15 h 00	16 h 00	Finish









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FRIDAY 2ND OF JULY

Time -MST- (USA)	Time -CST- (MEX, COL)	Activity
07 h 00	08 h 00	Workshop: Effective presentations, by <i>MsC. David Alejandro Coy Mesa</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
07 h 55	08 h 55	Break
08 h 00	09 h 00	Conference: Tips presentation projects / Elevator Pitch, by <i>MsC. David Alejandro Coy Mesa</i> from Instituto Tecnológico Metropolitano – ITM.
09 h 00	10 h 00	Team Activities
11 h 00	12 h 00	Lunch









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WEEK 4

MONDAY + TUESDAY 5TH & 6TH OF JULY

Activity

DAYS OFF - Each team must work on their final project presentations

WEDNESDAY 7TH OF JULY

Time -MST-(USA) Time -CST-(MEX, COL)

Activity

08 h 30 09 h 30

Final Project Presentations

Team 1, 2 and 3

11 h 00 12 h 00 Lunch

THURSDAY 8TH OF JULY

Time -MST-(USA)



Activity

09 h 00 10 h 00

Final Project Presentations

Team 4 and 5

11 h 00 12 h 00 Lunch









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FRIDAY 9TH OF JULY

Time -MST-(USA) Time -CST-(MEX, COL)

Activity

09 h 00 10 h 00

Closing Ceremony

Announcement of Challenge Winners

11 h 00 12 h 00 Finish

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