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World Forum Foundation Participates in Colombia Forum

The World Forum Foundation was honored to participate in “Foro Mundial de Grupos de Trabajo: Primera Infancia, Sociedad Civil y Estado,” which took place on November 2-6, 2009 in Cali, Colombia. The event was organized by CINDE, the leading early childhood organization in Colombia and a member of the World Forum Alliance. The purpose of this forum was to launch a high level dialogue on how the public and private sectors can work together to promote the well-being of children in Latin America.

The event was a great success as over 1,500 advocates, teachers, business leaders, and public officials from 16 nations participated in five days of working groups, lectures, workshops, and discussion groups. Delegates were welcomed to the event by the Minister of Education from Colombia, the Mayor of Cali, Marta Arango from CINDE, and Roger Neugebauer from the World Forum Foundation.

The World Forum had high visibility at this forum. The program included representatives from many working groups of the World Forum including Bryan Nelson from Men in Early Childhood Education, Selena Fox from the Working Group for Teacher Educators, Maria del Carmen Vasquez and Etienne Moine from the Working Group For the Rights of Children in Children’s Homes, and Zorica Trikick from Global Leaders for Young Children, as well as representatives of the newly reorganized International Working Group on Peace Building with Young Children.

The World Forum congratulates Marisa Isabel Uribe, the World Forum National Representative for Colombia, for her incredible work in successfully organizing this major event.



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Nebraska City, Nebraska, USA
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Early Care and Education
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