

Women for Science IANAS









Initiatives and results

- Three different prizes are awarded, with monetary rewards and corresponding publication, with the participation of different countries of Latin America and the Caribbean:
 - The Young Scientist Research Award Biennial
 - Anneke Levelt-Senger Prize for Women in Science in the Americas Biennial
 - Video Contest for students: "Let's Discover Latin American Female Scientists" Annual
- A monthly lecture series 'Women Talking About Their Science', in which each month a prominent Latin American scientist from a different country talks about her research. It is broadcast on YouTube
- Production of a document "A silent revolution. Voices of women scientists", based on our experiences
- Dissemination of women in science activities carried out in different countries, conferences, announcements of awards, etc.
- Regular activities: Zoom meetings to update information, review competition rules, serve as award judges, compare statistics, etc. Updating data for all focal points (brief presentation and photo requested). Designing an identifying logo for the working group.

AWARDS AND CONTESTS

The Young Scientist Research Award Biennial (2022-2024)

Young female scientists who obtained her PhD in the last five years, performing scientific work in her country in the fields of Exact, Natural, Technological, Life and Social Sciences.

Countries participants: Argentina, Bolivia, Caribbean, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panamá, Perú, Uruguay and Venezuela

The winning nominee will be allocated a **U\$S 1500 prize** to spend in suitable activities related to her research work.

Anneke Levelt-Senger Prize for Women in Science in the Americas Biennial (2023-2025)

Female PhD, under 40 years-old performing scientific work in her country in the fields of Exact, Natural, Technological, Life, or Social Sciences

Coutries participants: Bolivia, Caribbean, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panamá, Perú, Uruguay, and Venezuela

One candidate from each country nominated by the respective science academy.

The winning nominee will be allocated a **U\$S 3000 prize** to spend in suitable activities related to her research work.

Video Contest: "Let's Discover Latin American Female Scientists" Annual (2022, 2023, 2024, 2025)

Aimed at students in two categories (14-18 and 19-23 years old) living in an IANAS member country in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Production of a short video (up to 3 minutes) highlighting the importance of the scientific or technological work of a female scientist currently working in the country where the participant resides.

For each category there is a **First Prize of U\$S 600 and a Second Prize of U\$S 400**.





Anneke Levelt-Sengers Prize for YOUNG WOMEN SCIENTISTS



The Women for Science program of the Inter American Network of Academies of Sciences (IANAS) is calling for the 6th edition of the prize

The winning nominee will be allocated a USS 3000 prize to spend in suitable activities related to her research work.

Application period opens July 1, 2025 and closes August 4, 2025

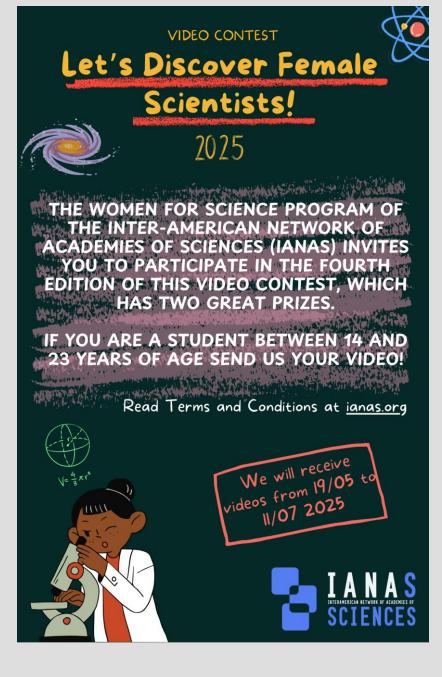
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The following countries are invited to compete:

Bolivia, CAS (Caribbean), Colombia Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panamá, Perú, Uruguay, and Venezuela









Awards and contests

The Young Scientist Research Award **Biennial**

Called in the years 2022 and 2024

2022- Winner: Dr. Andrea Rodríguez Sanchez, from Colombia

2024- Winner: Dr. Heiddy Paola Quiroz Gaitan, from Colombia

Anneke Levelt-Senger Prize for Women in Science in the Americas Biennial

Called in the years 2023 and 2025

2023 - Winner: Dr. Alicia Rojas from Costa Rica and one special mention to the participant from Uruguay)

2025 – Winner: Dra. María Eugenia Francia from <u>Uruguay</u>

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Video Contest: "Let's Discover Latin
American Female Scientists"
Annual
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2022: **36** videos (Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, México, Panamá, Uruguay, Venezuela)

2023: **23** videos (Argentina, Colombia, México, Uruguay, Venezuela, Bolivia, Guatemala)

2024: **71** videos (Argentina, Colombia, Perú, Bolivia, Panamá, Guatemala, México, Costa Rica)

2025: **57** videos (Argentina, Bolivia, Brasil, Jamaica, Colombia, Cuba, <u>México</u>, Panamá, Uruguay, <u>Venezuela</u>)



Lectures series

The series 'Mujeres que cuentan su ciencia' features each month a leading Latin American scientist talking about her research. It is broadcast on YouTube



InterAmerican Network of Academies of Sciences

CICLO DE CHARLAS DE MUJERES CIENTÍFICAS IANAS

MUJERES QUE CUENTAN SU CIENCIA

Mujeres que Cuentan su Ciencia es un ciclo de charlas organizado por IANAS donde científicas de distintas disciplinas y países comparten sus investigaciones, experiencias y desafíos en el mundo de la ciencia. A través de sus voces, buscamos visibilizar el impacto de las mujeres en el avance del conocimiento, inspirar nuevas generaciones y fomentar el diálogo sobre el rol femenino en la construcción del futuro científico.

ORADORAS



ANA BELÉN ELGOYHEN
Salud Auditiva



ANDREA VINCENT
Cambio Climático



ADRIANA HANSBERG La belleza de lo intangible



BEATRIZ ÁLVAREZ Sulfuro de hidrógeno, una nueva antigua molécula



RUTH SHADY SOLÍS El rol de la mujer a través del proceso cultural andino



MÓNICA RUBIO Mas Allá de la Estrellas: Los misterios del Universo



CAROLINA ALDUVÍN SAINZ Decodificando el dengue



YENNY HERNÁNDEZ Nuevos fenómenos cuánticos en materiales exfoliados en fase líquida





Departamento de Políticas Públicas

El CTS Lab de FLACSO Ecuador y el Nodo FLACSO de la Red Ecuatoriana de Mujeres Científicas (REMCI), invitan a las

JORNADAS POR EL DÍA INTERNACIONAL DE LA MUJER Y LA NIÑA EN LA CIENCIA

Las mujeres y las niñas en la ciencia: desafíos, avances y perspectivas

AGENDA

MARTES 11 DE FEBRERO

09h00 Exposición de Provectos de Feria de Ciencias

Expositoras: niñas de 5to grado del Colegio Becquerel Exposición sobre el funcionamiento del cuerpo humano y las energías renovables y generación de un espacio interactivo diseñado para motivar y despertar el interés por las mujeres en la ciencia.

Lugar: Hall FLACSO, planta baja, torre 1

MIÉRCOLES 12 DE FEBRERO

17h00 Charla magistral: Aplicaciones de la IA en astronomía

Silvana Navarro, Instituto de Astronomía y Meteorología, Universidad de Guadalajara

Modalidad: virtual

JUEVES 13 DE FEBRERO

17h15 Conversatorio Los costos económicos de la desigualdad: las mujeres

Carolina Olvera Castillo, Facultad de Psicología, Universidad Autónoma de San Luis Potosí

17h30 Conversatorio Género, ciencia y ética en la investigación Lorena Romero Salazar, Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México

17h45 Conversatorio Compartiendo experiencias desde las ciencias duras:

Karla Ramírez Pulido, Facultad de Ciencias, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México

Modalidad: virtual





11, 12 y 13 de febrero de 2025

12:00 pm (GMT)

WITH PROF. ANNE L'HUILLIER, PHYSICS NOBEL

Lugar: FLACSO Ecuador Calle La Pradera E7-174 y Av. Diego de Almagro Enlace de registro y transmisión del evento: https://bit.ly/3WRLSfx

Dissemination of activities, awards, etc





ID de reunión:



Gloria Dubner- ANCEFN, Argentina



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Panelistas



Inspiringiris #Cientificas Venezolanas #PorLas Niñas En Las Ciencias

Production of a document "A silent revolution. Voices of women scientists", by Nora Bär scientific journalist, member of the Argentinean Academy of Journalism

Regarding the place of women in science in Latin America, focal points from Bolivia, Chile, Panama, Venezuela, Honduras, Costa Rica, Uruguay, Argentina, Trinidad and Tobago, Cuba, Peru, and Nicaragua answered the following questions:

- –Could you briefly outline some biographical details: place of birth, your parents' education, family composition, when did your vocation begin?
- -What is your speciality and main lines of research?
- -Have you ever had to choose between motherhood, for example, or family and career?
- -What is the reality, in your view, facing new generations of young female researchers?
- —In your country, does the social imagination continue to conspire against the incorporation of women into science?
- -What institutional measure or measures do you think would encourage more women to pursue scientific careers?





ANA Denicola-URUGUAY



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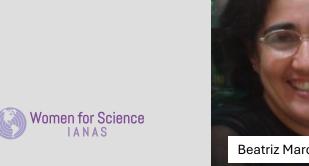
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Beatriz Marcheco-CUBA

Thank you!!

The IANAS WfS-WG has the mandate to advise IANAS and its member academies on fostering a climate in the sciences that is welcoming to women.

Among others, the WG has the mission:

- To develop actions that **increase the visibility** of the contributions of women scientists and engineers in the region and provide these women with opportunities for networking by means of the WfS-WG web site.
- To **alert and advise IANAS on gender aspects** of its programmes and initiatives that affect men and women differently.
- To provide links to gender resources on the WfS web page

