

WORKSHOPS

Even though the Administration and Electoral Justice Workshops can be held at any moment and during any period of the electoral cycle, these are considered of great use in the following scenarios:

- a) Before elections are held
- b) Previous to a political electoral reform
- c) Replacement or change of the electoral authorities

INTERNSHIPS

- 1) Incorporation of new functions or attributions of the Electoral Administration Body (i.e. financing and audit of the political parties' resources, vote from abroad)
- 2) Need to elaborate a program, working project or political reform for specific subjects (civic education programs aimed to ethnic groups or people with disabilities)
- 3) Development of new mechanisms or instruments for streamlining or providing major safety and reliability guarantees (electronic vote)

SPECIALIZATION COURSES

- 1) Participant's profile. The selected candidate is the one who is directly involved with the central topic to generate a dialogue on a technical, legal or administrative level. In some cases, the OAE absorbs the total costs of a second participant.
- 2) Strengthen the institution through the critical analysis of the problem, and the search for feasible solutions, through the exchange of empirical experiences with their counterparts, that lead to the correction, perfection and greater efficiency in the development of institutional processes.

SEMINARS

- 1) Main current issues concerning both, Electoral Administration Bodies, and the state of democracy in the countries.
- 2) Analysis of the main changes or tendencies in the international electoral system according to the impact that globalization or technological and communication innovation processes have in organizing and conducting electoral processes.
- 3) Promoting the democratic culture to several actors from civil society and citizenship in the political electoral ambit, providing the perspectives of a diversity of countries, sectors that allow the analysis, the debate, and mainly, the citizen's participation in the democratic construction and the design of public policies.

	Africa	America	Asia	Europa	Total
2004		Haiti	Iraq		2
2005		El Salvador Guatemala (2)			3
2008				Bosnia & Herzegovina	1
2009	Zambia South Africa	Guatemala	East Timor Lebanon Philippines		6
2010	Burundi Botswana Benin	Argentina (2)		Macedonia	6
2011	Ethiopia Botswana Kenya	Venezuela Guatemala	Nepal East Timor Afghanistan	Ukraine Georgia	10
2012	Egypt Libya and Tunisia Nigeria Ethiopia	Costa Rica Peru El Salvador Guatemala		Rumania Croatia	10
2013	Nigeria	Ecuador (4) Bolivia, Peru y Colombia, Haiti Guatemala	Indonesia		9
2014	Cameroon(2)	Ecuador (3) Haiti	Nepal Palestine	Moldova Russia	10
2015	Cameroon South Africa	Peru, Colombia y Ecuador		Albania	4
Total	17	25	10	9	61



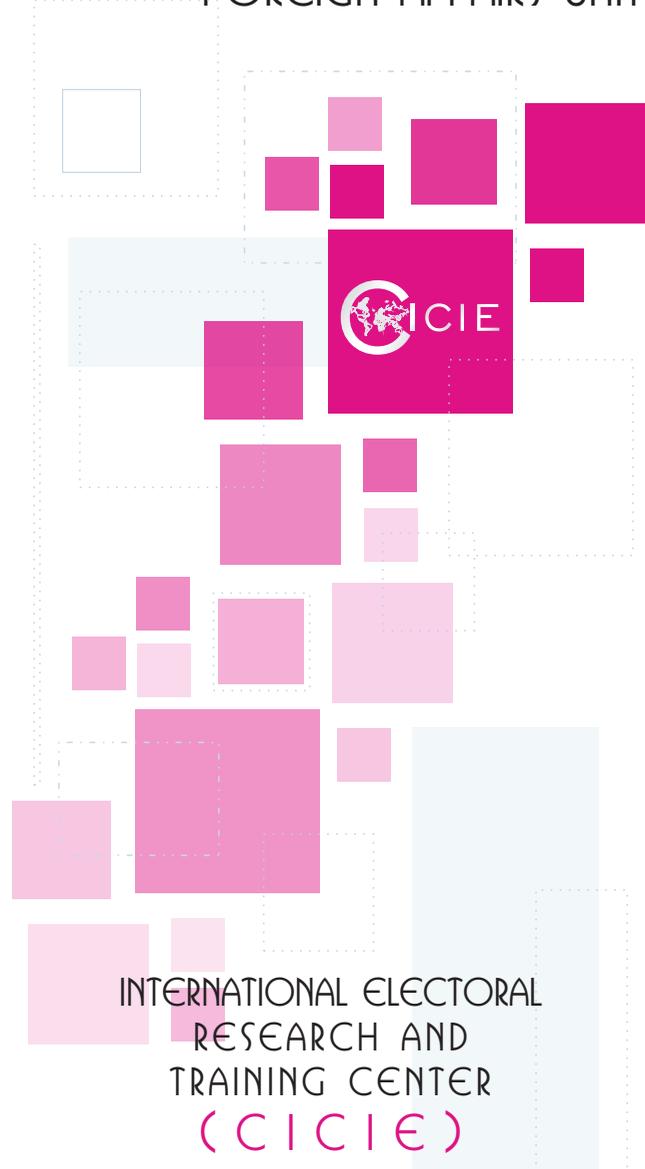
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FOREIGN AFFAIRS UNIT



Due to the great complexity of electoral processes, the CIECIE is created as a platform to integrate several horizontal cooperation schemes among electoral bodies and other actors involved in electoral processes, with the ultimate goal of contributing to the development of free, fair and equitable elections.

Its main objectives and tasks are:

- Foster the research and diffusion of today's electoral global issues.
- Create spaces for exchanging knowledge and experiences in electoral matters.
- Contribute to the professionalization of officers and specialized institutions in the world's electoral topics.

To achieve this, the CIECIE organizes Courses, Workshops, Seminars and Internships with delegates from several electoral bodies of the planet.



WORKSHOPS

The International Electoral Administration Workshops are aimed to electoral officers and actors in the electoral democracy, and decision makers of the electoral administration bodies. The programs are designed according to the specific needs of the electoral body, taking into consideration the context, history and particularities of the country, through a horizontal cooperation structure. The participation in the Workshops has a great relevance in three scenarios: 1.The need to introduce political electoral reforms; 2.Technical and operational implementation of new electoral political reforms; 3.Chance or renewal of electoral officials.



Caption: Members of the Central Elections Commission of the Albanian Republic

INTERNSHIPS

Thus, the invited officials will participate in an active and direct way in the daily tasks that this area develops.

Between 2009 and 2015, the CICIE has held out nine internships:

Peru: Civic Education and Electoral Capacitation, Political Participation of Indigenous Peoples; **Costa Rica:** Audit of the Political Parties' Resources; **Bolivia:** Political Participation of Indigenous Peoples; **Colombia:** Political Participation of Indigenous Peoples; **Guatemala:** Distance Education Programs to Promote Civic Education and Political Participation; **Ecuador:** Finance, Audit, Investigation and Compared Studies Programs, Civic Education, and the Liaison and International Cooperation Programs.

SEMINARS

The seminars target is to gather a considerable group of experts on a specific subject to debate and exchange experiences and reflections about a topic of general interest from several perspectives or specialty ambits. The mode is, thus, to expose to a diverse audience (conformed by electoral officials, and citizens interested on the issue).

COURSES

The specialization courses are a space for exchanging knowledge, sharing experiences and identifying procedures and practices on a same subject. It works in collaboration with different partners to enrich the international topics.

It presents a methodology that includes international specialists, national experiences from several countries, and working groups to analyze concrete situations about common challenges.

From 2011 and until 2015, the CICIE has held eleven specialization courses in collaboration with AMEXCID.

- 1) Financing and Audit of the Political Parties' Resources in Latin America
- 2) Electoral Register for African and Haitian Electoral Authorities



Caption: Members of the specialized course on the Management and Broadcasting of Electoral Results with the Community of Democracies, Latin America and the Arab World

- 3) Campaign Regulation for Latin American Electoral Authorities
- 4) Political Parties Regime for European Electoral Authorities in collaboration with ACEEEO
- 5) Vote from abroad for Latin American Electoral Authorities
- 6) Political Systems and Electoral Results Broadcasting, this was the first multiregional course
- 7) Dialogue on Administration and Electoral Conflicts Resolution between countries from the Arab Spring and Latin America with the collaboration of the UNDP and the Arab Region Office

- 8) Political Systems and Results Broadcasting for Latin American Authorities
- 9) Specialized Course on the Use of Technology in the Electoral Process with the Community of Democracies
- 10) The Role of the Electoral Body in the Political Parties Regime
- 11) Management of Electoral Results Transmission, with the Community of Democracies, the UNDP and the Arab Region Office. Exchange between Latin American and Arab World Countries

INTER-AMERICAN ELECTORAL WORKING DAY

Since 2008, the Secretariat of Political Affairs of the Organization of American States and the Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (IDEA), have held eight Inter-American Electoral Working Days.

Electoral authorities from all 34 OAS' Member States have been invited.



Caption: Participants and speakers in the VIII Inter American Electoral Working Day