

# EU-LAC Digital Alliance Policy Dialogues: e-Government

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- **Impact:** accelerate **digital transformation in LAC** by building a strong, comprehensive, and mutually beneficial engagement on digital issues between the **EU and LAC** and strengthening the EU's role as a key partner and player in the digital area.
- **Outcome:** improved **regulatory harmonization** of inclusive and sustainable **digital policies** and **governance mechanisms** for digitalization, along common values and interests for the LAC and EU regions.
- **Duration:** January 2023 – November 2025\*

\* extension until December 2027 requested



## Structure of the project: 4 work streams



**eGA**  
E-governance



**FIAP**  
Data  
governance



**Expertise  
France**  
Cybersecurity



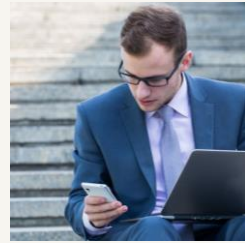
**GIZ**  
Connectivity  
+ Secretariat



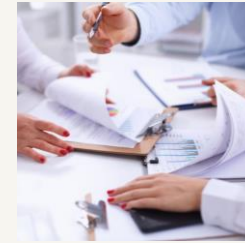
## Four focus areas of the e-governance work stream



Data  
interoperability



eID &  
electronic  
signatures



ICT  
governance



Digital  
engagement



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PHOTOS FROM COSTA RICA...





## EU-LAC Digital Alliance, e-Governance Community of Practice





# Objectives

- **Review progress** based on the takeaways of the Costa Rica dialogue and further elaborate this document by defining further actions on the topics of data interoperability, electronic identification and electronic signatures, while fostering future collaboration on regulatory aims within and between regions.
- **Exchange best practices and lessons learned** from both the EU and LAC and promote convergence on the topics of interoperability and electronic identification.
- Agree on the activities, milestones and deliverables to be presented at the forthcoming **CELAC-EU Summit**.
- Increase the **visibility** of the EU-LAC Digital Alliance in the EU.





## Logistics

- **26-27 May 2025, Tallinn, Estonia**, on the margins of the e-Governance Conference 2025
- **Invitation-only event for EU and LAC stakeholders**

# Thank you!

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