

VIPLATAM

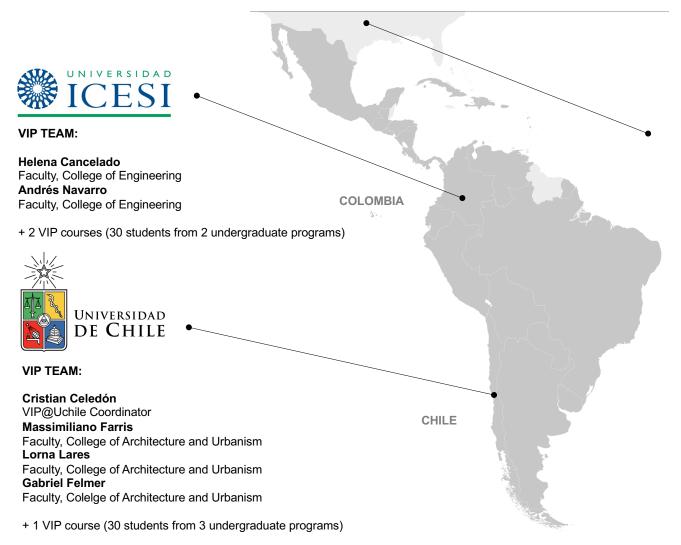
VIP Latin American
Bootcamp Challenge 2022

Lessons learned promoting multi-site collaboration among Latin American VIP sites



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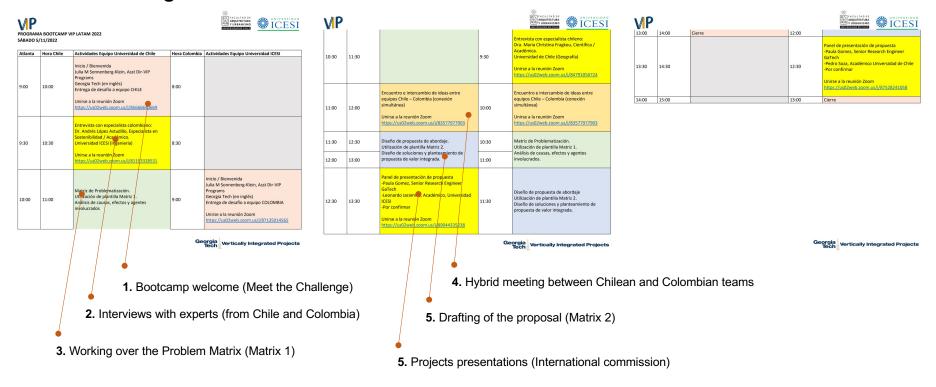
Bootcamp overview





- 1. Two VIP teams from each university (6 faculties and 60 students in total from Chile and Colombia) participating simultaneously over a one-day session in hybrid mode (November 5, 2022). Each team used a classroom prepared for this activity with all the necessary materials and technology (for online meetings).
- 2. Their mission was to propose actions to address the environmental decline that affects commune 22 of the city of Santiago de Cali (Colombia) and the water scarcity in communes of the eastern sector of the capital city of Santiago (Chile). Each team worked on the challenge of the other country. They have 5 hour to address the challenge.

Simultaneous agenda



Ed Coyle welcome from Atlanta



Meeting with international experts



Students and faculties working



Analyzing the challenge



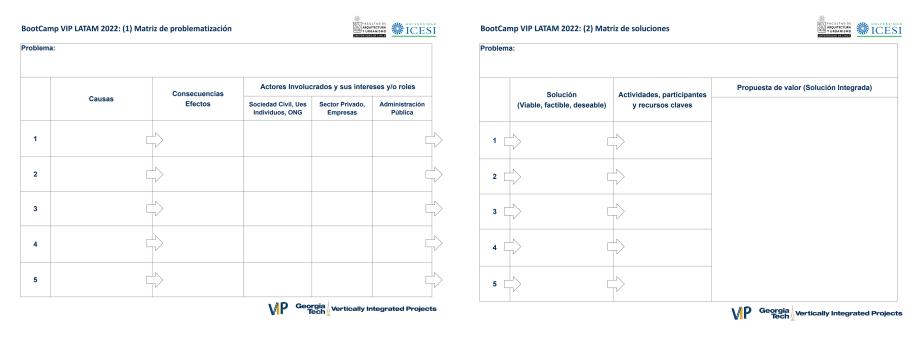
Final presentation



Certification



Bootcamp Matrix



Matrix 1 Matrix 2

- 3. During the Bootcamp, students and faculties had several meetings with experts in innovation and sustainability from Chile and Colombia. The experts acted as technical mentors during the activity. Also, the students had the opportunity to meet each others.
- 4. At the end of the Bootcamp, both teams presented their proposals separately to an international committee of scholars from ICESI, Universidad de Chile, Georgia Tech and other local institutions from each city (NGOs experts, third sector members and practitioners from local city halls).

Bootcamp Outcomes

Chile - VIP@UChile

The Chilean team presented their vision of a single university campus for ICESI as a project integrated with its environment and community. Their proposal allowed the reduction of vehicular fluxes while developing a sustainable housing policy for the area focused on preventing urban expansion





Colombia - VIP@Icesi

The Colombian team presented a program for regulating and monitoring water consumption at the communal level. Their proposal considered a partnership with the sanitation company that manages water services. They also stated the use of Smart Contracts and Smart Properties in their submission to optimize the water cycle.

Bootcamp findings, ideas and conclusions

Relevance: why we believe it is beneficial to scale it...

- Students and faculties can solve real challenges in an international scenario, thanks to the VIP multi-site collaboration.
- The multi-site partnership could increase the motivation of faculties to create VIP courses.
- Due its characteristics, the Bootcamp model is quite appropriate and flexible to design multi-site activities in different scenarios.
- Students show motivations participating in this type of challenges.



What's coming (our proposal)...

- Create a 'VIP Bootcamp model' open to all Consortium members(Guidelines and structure to scale it).
- Promote or extend VIP multi-sites work, using this shared model:

1 day-based problem-solving world Hybrid bootcamps, with 2 or more VIP sites involved, working under UN Sustainable Development Goals and focused on real local problems of each country/city).

- Create VIP-sites portfolio of projects, specialists and topics, in order to facilitate the matching of bootcamp partnerships within the Consortium members.
- Mapping the status quo of VIP courses and VIP professors globally and categorize VIPs (e.g., by research, by media connection, MoU, other), in order to have a data base to find multi-site partners.

