

## PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

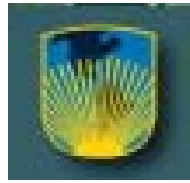
### **Launch Seminar**

**Latin America and Caribbean Network of the Global Alliance for ICT and Development**  
San Salvador, 4-5 February 2008

#### ***OPENING SESSION***

##### **4 February**

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| 8.30 – 9:00   | Registration   |
| 9:00 – 9:10   | Statement by UN SG, (recorded video)   |
| 9:10 – 10:00  | <b>GAID: Regional Networks and Activities</b><br>Mr. Sarbuland Khan, Executive Coordinator, GAID<br>Welcoming statements by representatives of ECLAC / IADB /Italian Government / IDRC-ICA |
| 10:00 – 12:00 | <b>Panel: Regional Issues relating to National ICT Policies and Strategies for Achieving the MDGs</b>  |
| 12.00 – 1.00  | Discussion   |
| 1:00 – 3:00   | Networking break and Lunch   |
| 3:00 – 5:00   | <b>Panel: Technology for the Poor: ICT innovation for poverty eradication. Are there ICT innovations that are truly making a difference in Education, Health and Youth employment?</b>     |
| 5:00- 6:00    | Discussions and Closing  |
| 8:00          | Reception  |



## **5 February**

9:30 – 11:30            Workshop: **How to develop e-government application in order to enhance citizens' participation and promoting accountability, transparency and efficiency in governance processes?**

11.30-12.30            Discussion

12:30 – 2:00            Lunch

2:00 – 4:00            Workshop: **Multi-stakeholder frameworks for developing effective policies and partnerships for mainstreaming ICT.**

4.00 – 5.00            Discussion

### ***CLOSING SESSION***

**Chair: Sarbuland Khan, Executive Coordinator of GAID**

5:00-5:30            Presentation of the outcomes of the meeting  
GAID/ECLAC/IDRC-ICA

5:30-6.00            Closing remarks

6:00 – 6:30            Press conference