Final Program

Communities and Small Scale Mining Annual General Meeting and Learning Event September 23-28, 2002 in Ica, Peru

Monday, September 23

(Local coordination: GAMA)

8:30	Transport of international participants from Lima to Ica
12:00	Lunch
13:00	Conference Registration
	Place: Hotel Turistas "Real Ica"
14:00	CASM Business Meeting (Part I) (in English with Spanish translation)
	 Review of work and financial statement
	b. Review of short term challenges
15:45	Coffee break
16:00	Planning for the future of CASM (Part II) (in English with Spanish transl)
	a. Work plan for the coming year
	b. Strategic planning and alliances
18:00	Recess
20:00	Welcoming Reception

Tuesday, September 24

(Local coordination: MEM, GAMA) In Spanish with simultaneous English translation

The Peruvian experience with artisanal mining – history, new law, perspectives of miners, mining companies, and international cooperation; roundtable on next steps in the formalization process

9:00	Official Welcome
9:15	Zoila Martínez
	Historic description of artisanal mining in Perú
9:45	Guillermo Medina
	The new artisanal mining law
10:15	Manuel Reinoso (to be confirmed)
	An artisanal miner's perspective
10:45	Coffee break
11:00	ТВА
	A mining company perspective
11:30	Felix Hruschka
	An international cooperation perspective
12:00	Round Table Discussion
	Discussants: Leo Maraboli, World Bank, and Veston Malango, Ministry
	of Energy and Mines, Namibia
	After the new law: defining the way forward (next steps for the
	formalization of artisanal mining in Peru)

13:00

Technical assistance to artisanal mining – Government and NGO examples; roundtable on role of government and NGOs in the delivery of technical assistance

14:30	TBA		
	Ministry assistance to miners in Madre de Dios, Peru		
15:00	Non-government assistance		
	15:00 Kathia Romero (Cooperaccion): Focus on child labor		
	15:15	Anita Luján (Instituto Salud y Trabajo): Focus on occupational	
		health	
	15:30	Francisco Lara : Business focus	
	Round	Table Discussion:	
15:45	Discus	sants: Christina Echeverría, Director-Mining Policy Research	
	Initiative (Latin America), IDRC		
	Biagya Yakubu, Director, Small-Scale Mining Program, Minerals		
	Commission, Ghana		
	Role of government and non-government institutions in the delivery of		
	technic	al assistance	
16:30	Coffee break		
10:50	Thomatic Discussions / Peacemmandations arising from the round		
16:50	Thematic Discussions / Recommendations arising from the round tables		
18:10	_	Poster Exhibits	
20:00	Recess		

Wednesday, September 25

(Local coordination: MEM, GAMA, CIP) In Spanish with simultaneous English (am only)

Regional and international experiences: focus on child labour, community development and artisanal mining as part of a diversified livelihood strategy

8:00	Tour of Poster Exhibits (continued)
9:15	Cesar Mosquera (OIT-IPEC)
	Eliminating child labor in artisanal mining: the ILO experience in Bolivia,
	Ecuador and Peru
10:00	Divizay Delfino y Claudia Rojas (Fundación Merunto) Venezuela
	Capacity building for community development in artisanal mining areas
10:45	Coffee break
11:00	Marieke Heemskerke (University of Wisconsin, USA) y Jopie Matodja
	(Representative of the Njuka Maroon community) Surinam
	Costs and benefits of artisanal gold mining as rural survival strategy
	among the Njuka of Surinam
11:45	Round Table Discussion:
	Discussants: TBA
	Can artisanal mining contribute to the sustainable development of rural
	communities? In what ways? And under what conditions?
13:00	Lunch

Talleres / Workshops

14:30	Hermann Wotruba University of Aachen, Germany: (Open Participation) Procesos de beneficio mineral, aptos para la minería en pequeña escala (Basics of Mineral Processing Appropriate for Small- Scale Mining) (in Spanish only)	<i>Edgardo García</i> <i>Larralde</i> Living Earth Foundation, London, England (<i>Participation limited to</i> <i>30</i>) Herramientas para la convivencia: aprender a cómo hablar el uno al otro para mineros, compañías mineras, Gobiernos y ONGs (<i>in Spanish only</i>)	Sharing the International Experience The Uis Tin Mining Experience in Namibia, Mercury Pollution from Artisanal Gold Mining in the Philippines, World Bank assistance to artisanal miners in Burkina Faso, and others (in English with Spanish translation)
16:30	Coffee break		
16:45	Workshop continuation Wotruba	Workshop continuation García Larralde	Round Table on building international networks for sharing information
18:00	Transport to Hotel	Las Dunas	
19:00	Official closing ceremony of CASM AGM, with opening of the 4th National Mining Congress (to be confirmed)		
	Return transport to	o Hotel Real Ica	
20:00		ation of small grant award ster Exhibit; of the CASM	

Thursday, September 26 (Local coordination: GAMA, MEM)

9:00	Option 1: Visit to the Mine Equipment Exhibition	Option 2: Tourist trip to lagoon and dunes of Ica	Option 3: Participacion in Congreso Nacional de Minería (requires registration at preferential rates)	Option 4: Continuation of Wotruba and Garica workshops
11:30	Return to Hotel Ica F	Real		Workshop recommendations
12:00	Plenary: Conference Summary and Recommendations for Follow Up Actions (in Spanish with simultaneous English translation)			
13:00	Final Lunch			

15:00	Option Lima:	Option Nazca:
	Return of international participants to Lima	Transport to Nazca for tose participating in the optional excursión to Santa Filomena
17:00		Arrival to Nazca
18:30	Arrival to Lima	
19:00		Pre-Dinner talk on Nazca lines (to be
		confirmed)

Friday, September 27

(Local coordination: SOTRAMI / Cooperación / CASM) English & French translators

Nazca Option: Excursion to the mining community of Santa Filomena



Departure at 7 am

Visits to processing plant, mining center, and mining areas Meetings with SOTRAMI (the miners' company) and with the Local Management Committee for the Development of Santa Filomena re: community development and reduction in the use of child labor. Box lunch provided. Return to Nazca by 8:30 pm

Saturday, September 28

(Local coordination: GAMA)

8:30	Charter flights over the Nazca lines (optional)	
10:30	Return to Lima	
12:00	Lunch on the road	
16:30	Arrival to Lima	

FEES:

Registration: \$10 US or equivalent in Soles payable upon arrival in Ica

Those meals and coffee breaks, including the opening cocktail, highlighted in gray are provided courtesy of the conference organizers for all participants.

Transportation between Lima and Ica, as well as Ica-Nazca-Santa Filomena-Lima will be organized and paid for by the conference organizers for all participants (limited to 50).

The approximate cost in lodging and food to participants on the optional field trip to Santa Filomena is from \$ 50 US to \$ 150 US (depending on choice of lodging). The air charter over the Nazca lines is extra.

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