In 2018, ECLAC will hold its 37th session in Cuba, in which representatives from its 46 member-States and 13 associate members will debate the main challenges for implementing the 2030 Agenda in Latin America and the Caribbean.

**CUBA 2018**
From the culture of privilege to the culture of equality

In Havana, ECLAC will present its document *The inefficiency of inequality*, which draws attention to the urgent need for a political big push to overcome the region’s economic lag compared to the rest of the world. To that end, our region needs to move away from a culture of privilege towards a culture of equal rights.

**MEXICO 2016**
A big environmental push for equality and sustainability

In Mexico, ECLAC presented the position document *Horizons 2030: Equality at the Centre of Sustainable Development*, which seeks to promote a progressive structural change in Latin America and the Caribbean based on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and its 17 Goals.

**PERU 2014**
Social compacts for economic growth and equality of rights for all peoples

During its 35th session held in Peru in 2014, ECLAC presented the position document *Compacts for Equality*. The document proposes reaching agreements among different social actors to reorient development on the basis of equality and environmental sustainability.

**EL SALVADOR 2012**
Social issues are not played out in the social sphere alone

In 2012, ECLAC presented the document *Structural Change for Equality* at its 34th session in El Salvador. That document contended that macroeconomic, industrial and social policies must be coordinated to achieve growth with equality and, therefore, social issues do not play out only in the social arena.

**BRASIL 2010**
Growth for equality and equality for growth

In its 33rd session in Brasilia, ECLAC presented the position document *Time for Equality*, in which it pointed out that we must have equality to grow, but also grow to achieve equality, and that a new State-market-society equation was essential to attain this.

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