LAC REGION
Abbreviations of Countries according to the 2000 International Olympic Committee
LAC GLOBE SCHOOLS PER COUNTRY

Schools 580
Teachers 945
Measurements 580,429
# Latin America and the Caribbean

**GLOBE Consortium for Latin America and the Caribbean (CLAC)**

**Governance Committee**

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<th>Latin America and Caribbean GLOBE International Advisory Committee GIAC Representative:</th>
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<td>LAC Alternate GIAC Representative:</td>
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* Identifies countries invited to join each committee.

**International GLOBE.gov Website Redesign Committee Representatives:**

| Maria Lorraine de Ruiz-Alma *(Dominican Republic)* Maria Auxiliadora Portuguez *(Costa Rica)* |  |
Through a joint effort between the Ministry of Public Education and the Omar Dengo Foundation, they implement GLOBE Program’s Hydrology Protocols locally and the Watershed Dynamics Project.

TREE PLANTING DAY: ACTIVITIES
(21 September, 2010)

Participants: primary and high schools, and institutes from 66 municipalities. More than 3375 trees planted.
GLOBE Trinidad and Tobago adds Emergency Care and Disaster Preparedness to Program Training. GLOBE Program protocols and Activities have been aligned to the National Biodiversity Strategic Action Plan and the National Environmental Policy.
Meteorology students from National Agrarian University in La Molina carried out a research project concerning the Latitudinal variation of the Earth’s air temperature using Data from GLOBE Schools located in different parts of the world.

On May 26th, 2011, the relaunching of the GLOBE Program was carried out with a workshop focused on the protocols of Sciences of the System Earth and Land Cover in Montevideo, Uruguay, to celebrate the World Environment Day.
In December 2010, students, teachers, scientists, government representatives, and Chilean authorities gathered at the UN Building in Santiago, to share the results of GLOBE environment research of the Maipo and Tinguirica. They developed Cloud, Soil quality, Water quality and Land Cover investigations.

GLOBE students learned about their local bodies of water, surrounding land cover, and water chemistry issues and presented their research during this year’s 2011 Run for Water event.