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Cheers to diversity - insights from three major German- Latin American Centers

Mecila (São Paulo) – HCLA (Santiago) –
bw Brasilienzentrum (Tübingen)

**Chile
2021**

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Mecila:
maria sibylla merian centre
conviviality-inequality in latin america

Prof. Dr. Sergio Costa

Director del Instituto de Estudios
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Asesora en cooperación universitaria



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Prof. Dr. Stefan Laufer

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Mecila:

Benefits of Collaborative Research

Symmetrical network across disciplines, generations, academic and non-academic expertise

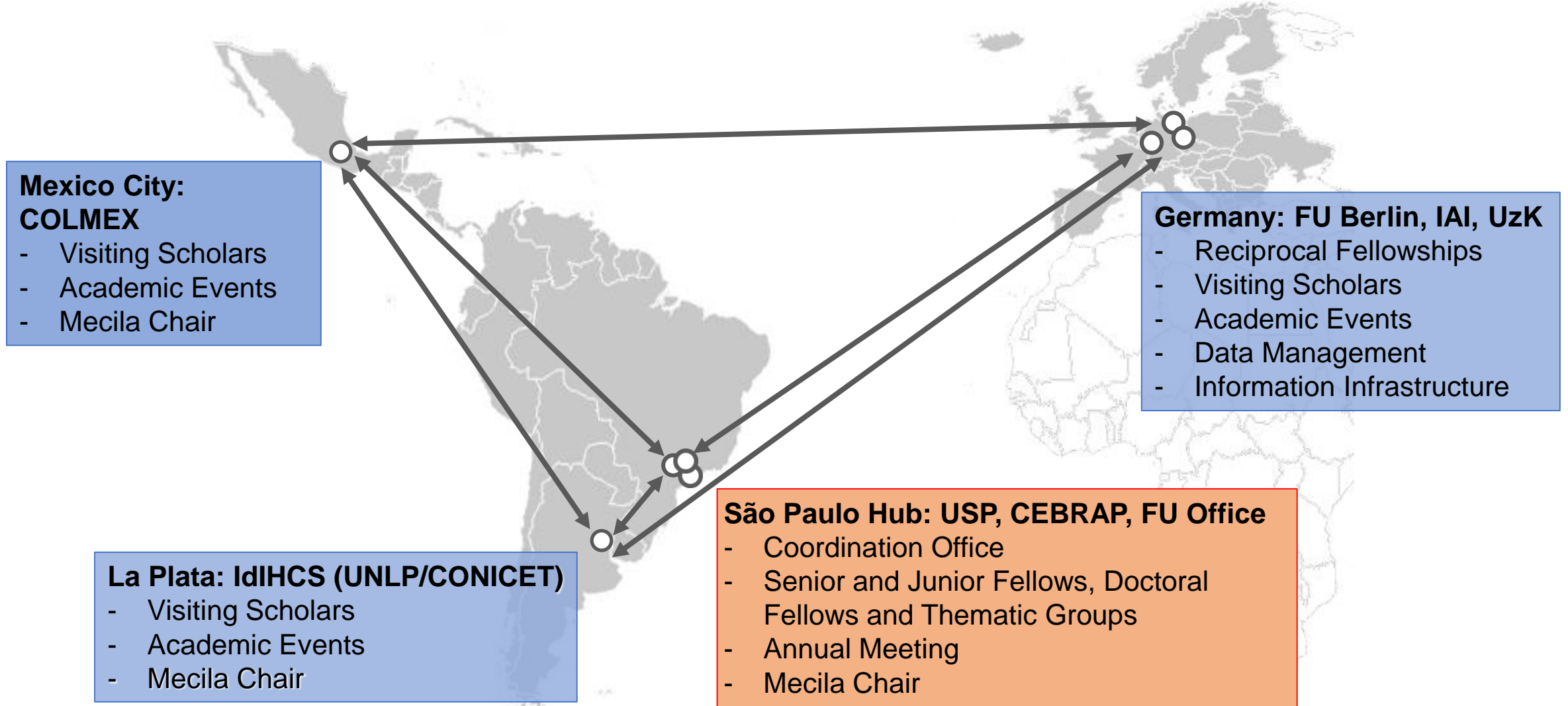
High international visibility of research on and from Latin America

Bridges between scholarship produced in **different academic languages**

Advanced transregional cooperation with Merian Centres and other outstanding partners

Co-production of knowledge beyond North-South-Divide

Mecila: Transnational Research Network



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Foreign Offices

- Heidelberg Office North America, New York
- Heidelberg Center Latin America, Santiago de Chile**
- Heidelberg Office East Asia, Kyoto
- Heidelberg Centre South Asia, New Delhi

Related Institutes at Heidelberg University

- Heidelberg Center for American Studies | HCA
- Heidelberg Center for Ibero-American Studies | HCIAS**
- Centre for East Asian Studies
- South Asia Institute | SAI

- **Established 2002** – 20th Anniversary 2022
- **DAAD Center of Excellence since 2009**
- Off-shore campus in Latin America
- Cooperative orientation

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Service center
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Puente entre Brasil y Baden-Württemberg



- Acuerdo entre los estados de Rio Grande do Sul (Brasil) y Baden-Württemberg (Alemania)
- Creation del BZ para acelerar el intercambio científico, técnico e cultural
- Estación de investigación ‘Pro Mata’ (U Tübingen- PUC-RS)

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- Cooperación científica desde los años 80 (biología, geociencia, química,...)
- Ampliación de la cooperación (del Sur hacia el Norte)
- anualmente una excursión a Brasil para estudiantes de biología ,etc.
- Intercambio de estudiantes (con convenio)
- Profesores visitantes
- Catedra Capes - U Tübingen
- Cursos de idioma
- Organización de conferencias, exposiciones, debates, ponencias, viajes de delegaciones y eventos culturales



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Socios en Brasil

Rio Grande do Sul

PUCRS, UFRGS, UFSM, UNISC, UNIVATES

São Paulo

USP (São Paulo, Ribeirão Preto), UNICAMP

Rio de Janeiro

UFF, UFRJ, INCT-INOVAR

Pernambuco

UFPE

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Simpósio Brasil-Alemanha
Deutsch-Brasilianisches Symposium

Desenvolvimento **Sustentável** **Nachhaltige** Entwicklung

Tübingen (2003)

Freiburg (2007)

Stuttgart (2011)

Heidelberg (2015)

Hohenheim (2019)

Santa Maria / Santa Cruz do Sul, RS (2005)

Curitiba, PR (2009)

Santarém, PA (2013)

Porto Alegre (2017)

Niterói (2022)



10. *Connecting innovation and Sustainability - opportunities and challenges after Covid-19*
18-22 setembro 2022 UFF Niterói, Rio de Janeiro

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