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## Investment Forum 2022

- September 8th and 9th -  
Asunción, Paraguay

REIMAGINING THE FUTURE THROUGH SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS

# AGENDA

## DAY 1: TARGETED DISCUSSION SESSIONS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>

Hour	Event	Description
7:30 - 9:00	Networking breakfast	
9:00 - 9:15	Welcoming address	<b>FDI:</b> roadmap to sustainable development
	Paraguay, reimagining the future: a country open to the world	
9:15 - 9:30	Reshaping the regional economic landscape	Nearshoring, regional value chains and global trade trends
9:30 - 10:30	Special segment	Business climate, macroeconomics, public policies and FDI. Opportunities in regional integration into value chains
	Untapped potential: Energizing an economic and investment agenda for Paraguay	
10:30 - 10:45	Conference	Immediate economic future, advantages, challenges, and opportunities from the IADB standpoint
	2025: A vision for Paraguay	
10:45 - 11:00	Networking coffee break	
11:00 - 12:00	Session I Sectorial Discussion Panel	<b>Strategic perspective, success stories and investment opportunities in key sectors:</b> auto parts, textile, and chemical-pharmaceutical
	Attraction of Investments 2.0: new developments	
12:00 - 12:30	Session II Sectorial Discussion Panel	<b>Strategic investment for growth:</b> enabling sustainable businesses in the green hydrogen and renewable energies fields
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12:30 - 13:00	Session III Sectorial Discussion Panel	<b>Climate action and renewable energies:</b> a transition to energy security, sustainability, and human wellbeing
	Towards a diversified, sustainable, and efficient energy matrix	
13:00 - 14:00	Networking lunch	
14:00 - 14:30	Session IV Future Flash	Resilience building and greener growth through digital transformation. Emerging opportunities, digital connectivity and innovation applied to new businesses
	Turbo-charging growth: the digital transformation	
14:30 - 15:00	Session V Sectorial Discussion Panel	Enhancing and expanding regional and local food systems. Innovative and value-added processes applied to agriculture and forestry industries
	Food security: towards a new sustainable, competitive, and innovative agribusiness model	
15:00 - 16:00	Session VI Future Flash	<b>Infrastructure:</b> challenges and trends outlook. Corridors and waterways. The transportation and logistics industry. Competitiveness, digital transformation and new evolving business models in airlines and airports, rail and roads, shipping and ports and logistics and post
	Infrastructure, logistics and multimodal transportation: smart solutions for a new era	
16:00 - 16:30	Session VII Discussion	<b>Building strength and resilience:</b> financial and stock markets. Insights and perspectives on these fast-growing sectors
	Envisioning tomorrow: financial and stock markets	
16:30 - 17:00	Closing remarks	Creating a better future for the country, the region, and the planet: supporting sustainable development through strategic partnerships
	Paraguay and the IADB Group: Reshaping the future	
18:30 - 20:00	Networking cocktail	Toast



## DAY 2: INVESTMENT ROUNDTABLE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>

Hour	Activity	Hosts
7:30 - 9:00	Networking breakfast	
9:00 - 9:15	Opening remarks	<b>Ambassador Estefanía Laterza</b> , Vice Minister of Investments and Exports
9:30 - 12:30	Investment Roundtable	
12:30 - 14:00	Networking lunch	
14:00 - 17:00	Investment Roundtable	
19:00 - 21:00	Cocktail	<b>Luis Castiglioni</b> , Minister of Industry and Commerce, Republic of Paraguay
		<b>Edna Armendáriz</b> , Resident Representative of the Inter-American Development Bank in Paraguay

