

CIRIEC-México, 2020-2022 activities

Approximately 30 meetings of the Executive Commission were held since its foundation, in 2019, to date.

During this period three directors have succeeded each other in this Commission: Professor Rodolfo Ríos Báez, Dr. Elsa Ontiveros and the current Director, Professor Cecilia Ramos. Also, different members of our Association have participated. At this moment the Executive Commission is composed of Prof. Cecilia Ramos (Director), Dr. Juan José Rojas, Dr. Erika Piña, Prof. Mario Mendoza, Lic. Mario Arreola (Secretary) and Dr. Roberto Cañedo (President).

This commission has carried out important discussions ranging from the legal structure that governs us today (the articles of incorporation, the internal regulations of CIRIEC and its organizational structure) to the organization of the most important events of our association (its ordinary assemblies, those of the scientific council and the various attempts to build the Social Council, the accompaniment of the cooperative groups of oil workers or the agreement to be signed with the government of Mexico City).

We have tried, in this working group, to give continuity to the process of consolidation of our research center. Among the most significant achievements are:

1. The elaboration and notarial formalisation of our statutes as a civil association with the support of the scientific commission for legal affairs.
2. The certification of CIRIEC-Mexico as a civil association with the Public Property Registry.
3. The registration with the tax administration system (Sistema de Administración Tributaria-SAT) and the bank management of its financial assets.
4. The setting up and organisational structuration of the Scientific Council.
5. The integration of four associates in the CIRIEC International's research structure.
6. The maintaining of institutional relations with CIRIEC International and the payment of our membership until 2021, with the support of the UAGro.
7. The privileged obtaining of the results of the 2018 Social Economy Satellite Account (with data from 2013) and our current participation in the Multidisciplinary Working Group for the construction of the Social Economy Satellite Account of Mexico 2021, invited by INEGI (National Institute of Statistics and Geography) and INAES (National Institute of Social Economy).
8. International links with academic activities related to the Social and Solidarity Economy (The International Seminar on Critical Thinking, the Latin American Network of Researchers in Cooperativism, among others).

Our areas of action, as a commission, are numerous such as:

1. Ensuring professional and efficient daily management of the website.
2. Giving periodicity and efficiency to the executive commission itself, as well as a formal channel of information of the agreements of each meeting to the members of our association.
3. Issuing appropriate CIRIEC-Mexico membership certificates for our associates in a timely manner.
4. Developing a formal registry of CIRIEC-Mexico associate members.
5. Setting up the Social Council.
6. Integrating researchers and students of our association in action research projects of social impact.
7. Entering the National Registry of Scientific and Technological Institutions and Companies (RENIECYT) of CONACYT (National Council of Science and Technology).
8. Transforming into a donor entity.