



animaná and Hecho por Nosotros at ECLAC

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The ECLAC annual seminar on the role of international trade in advancing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) focuses on business practises, trade agreements and sustainability standards and the way in which environmental and social sustainability is supported in global value chains, and how governments and producers in Latin America are facing growing demands for transparency and sustainability practises. The seminar aims to strengthen regional public-private dialogues, joint actions and export strategies for sustainability. This year's edition included speakers from UN-ECLAC, UNDP, EU and regional businesses and CSO members.

animaná and Hecho por Nosotros were invited to speak about sustainable textile industry in Latin America, and developing SDG led export strategies for the region. A boasting annual growth rate of 4-5%, and robust sustainability practises, region's textile industry has great possibilities in sustainable fashion. Transparency and traceability must be building blocks when building truly sustainable value chains, which could be enhanced via cutting edge technologies like blockchain.

The seminar highlighted that to address the complex issues of incorporating sustainability into global value chains and international trade can best be reached when working together.

animaná and Hecho por Nosotros are transforming the fashion and textile industry. By joining forces and working collaboratively, we can find lasting solutions beneficial to everyone involved in global textile value chains. Join us!

