

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

XV INTER-AMERICAN CONFERENCE ON SCHOOL LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

January 14th, 2026

Santiago - Chile

GENERAL INFORMATION

In recent years, the **CONFERENCE ON SCHOOL LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT** has become a meeting space that brings together international and local experts in the design and implementation of initiatives for developing leadership and management capacities in Chile and Latin America.

The XV Inter-American Conference on School Leadership and Management will be held in person on Wednesday, January 14, 2026, from 08:30 to 19:00 hrs. at the UC Extension Center (Av. Libertador Bernardo O'Higgins 390, Santiago).

OBJECTIVES

The **CONFERENCE ON SCHOOL LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT** aims to:

- Serve as an annual meeting space for researchers, school leaders, teachers, and education professionals to share updated global and local evidence on the impacts of school leadership on teaching and learning.
- Strengthen exchange networks through initiatives promoted by Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile and international partner institutions.
- Highlight the contributions of research and professional practice regarding the effects of leadership and the challenges posed within the context of national policies for quality improvement and inclusion.

PARTICIPANTS

The Conference is intended for **school leaders, teachers, education professionals, researchers, consultants, and other stakeholders** involved in educational policy and corporate management decisions.

THEMATIC AREAS

The Conference will accept papers focusing on 'scenarios, opportunities, and practices' emerging in the era of artificial intelligence that impact school leadership, including:

1. Uses of artificial intelligence and its **impact on research findings on leadership and school improvement.**
2. Opportunities offered by artificial intelligence and new technologies as tools for learning recovery and **reducing achievement gaps.**
3. Implementation of artificial intelligence and information technologies in **programs for training school leaders**
4. Innovative tools for **curriculum management to improve alignment and teaching relevance.**
5. Use of new digital platforms and artificial intelligence to build **positive and inclusive school environments.**
6. Artificial intelligence and digitalization as drivers for **building professional capital and fostering teacher collaboration.**

PRESENTATION CHARACTERISTICS

Submissions are expected from researchers and professionals who describe and provide evidence on the impact of school leadership and management. Contributions may address issues at the level of classrooms, schools, school corporations, districts, or broader territories at the local, national, and international levels.

Presentations must include the following elements:

1. Title of the presentation (maximum 20 words)
2. Executive summary (maximum 200 words)
3. Description of the problem addressed (maximum 400 words)
4. Description of actions implemented (maximum 400 words)
5. Results obtained and evaluation of the experience (maximum 400 words)

SUBMISSION AND DEADLINES

Each presentation may have up to 3 presenters.

The application form is available [HERE](#)

For questions regarding papers, process, and details of the call, contact Felipe Coloma (fcoloma1@uc.cl). The deadline to complete the submission form is November 15, 2025, at 23:59 hrs.

PRESENTATION SELECTION

Submissions will be evaluated and selected by an Academic Committee. The Committee will choose those that best meet the technical specifications and requirements. Decisions will be communicated via email to both accepted and non-accepted applicants. Selected papers will be presented in person on Wednesday, January 14, 2026 (in 25-minute slots) at the UC Extension Center (Av. Libertador Bernardo O'Higgins 390, Santiago).

PROGRAM

The program of the XV Inter-American Conference on School Leadership and Management will be available soon for download on [OUR WEBSITE](#).