



Acronym: CRECTEALC
Full Name: Centro Regional de Enseñanza en Ciencia y Tecnología del Espacio para América Latina y el Caribe (Centre for Space Science and Technology Education for Latin America and the Caribbean)
Website: www.crectealc.org
Established: 1997
Location: Puebla, Mexico
Santa Maria, RS-Brazil

Areas of expertise: Space Science and Technology Education

Main Partners and collaborations: United Nations (UN), Secretaría de Relaciones Exteriores de México (SRE), Instituto Nacional de Astrofísica, Óptica y Electrónica (INAOE), Servicio Meteorológico Nacional (SMN)

Short Description:

The agreement for the establishment of the Centre for Space Science and Technology Education for Latin America and the Caribbean (CRECTEALC) was signed by the governments of Mexico and Brazil in 1997. This Center was created under the auspices of the UN Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA) to enhance the knowledge on space-based technology and science in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Main activities:

The CRECTEALC impart long duration courses in the following areas:

- Remote sensing and **geographic information system (GIS)**
- Satellite communications
- Satellite meteorology
- Space science

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