





And one day the BID became sustainable... Reuse of training materials by LAC nodes

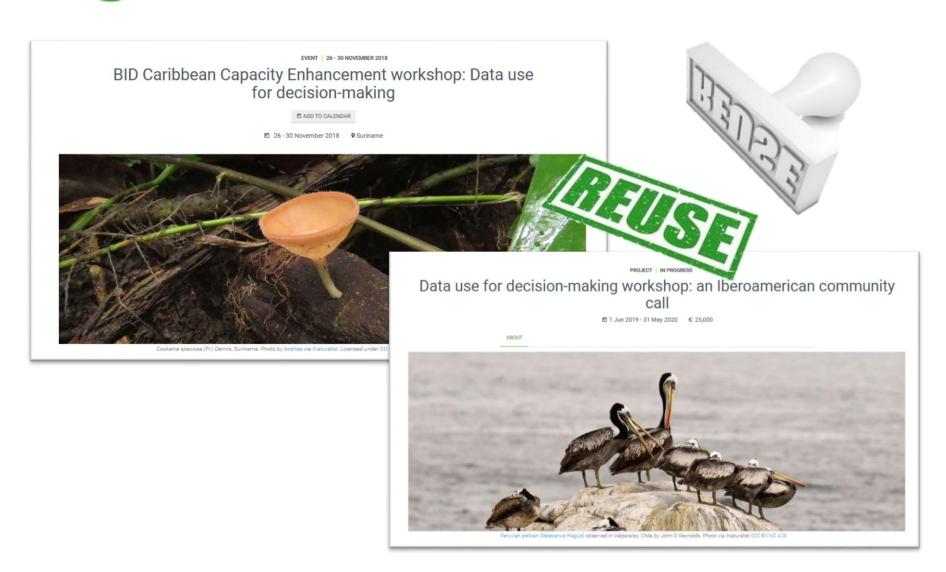
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Why reuse?



For **needs** to be covered in other nodes / region.

Because the materials are already **tested** in a workshop.

The materials are generated by **professionals and experts** recognized in their work areas.

Because we can add even more value to the materials, with the translations, adaptations and variations in each of the reuses.



Who we are in this reuse example...

















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Tips (that worked for us...)

Have contact with (some) of the **trainers** and **mentors** of the workshop. And the **GBIF Secretariat**, off course!

Know who were the workshop **participants** (and who can support in the region).

Know the materials generated for the workshop and recognize (if any) points to improve.

Form a CESP coordination group, considering not only the knowledge needs for the workshop, but also technical needs (i.e. eLearning platform management).



Modifications for this reuse case

The trainers and mentors: must to speak **Spanish!**

eLearning Platform: Translations, adaptation of the workshop. Is not difficult, but takes a lot of time...

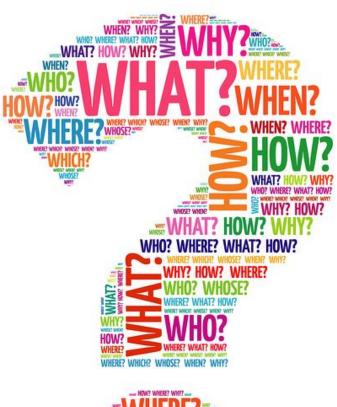
Use cases: it was determined that a (new) regional use case would be more useful (and also enriches the workshop toolkit).

Participant profile: each node defines it, but we built a list of "desirable" capabilities.



The best advice?

Have good and frequent communication with your peers, about the needs, problems and opportunities.















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