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DETERMINANTS AND CONDITIONS OF INFORMAL EMPLOYMENT IN TOURISM-RELATED ACTIVITIES IN THE CENTRAL PACIFIC REGION OF COSTA RICA AND THEIR SOCIO-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT



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ABSTRACT

This conference presents a study conducted by Shirley Benavides together with Marianela Rojas and Kerlyn Suárez, researchers at the National University of Costa Rica, which analyses the determinants and working conditions associated with informality in tourism activities in the Central Pacific region of Costa Rica, a region marked by high inequality and 40% informality. It examines the impacts on occupational health and the natural environment, as well as the institutional barriers that hinder formalisation. The study adopts a multidisciplinary approach and mixed methods, combining surveys, interviews and a review of official sources. The session will be in Spanish with automatic translation into English for those who need it.

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