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INTER-AMERICAN COURT HELD SEMINARS AT THE RAFAEL LANDÍVAR UNIVERSITY IN GUATEMALA

San José, Costa Rica, October 4, 2019.- On September 24 and 25, the Inter-American Court held two introductory seminars on the Inter-American System of Human Rights and the caselaw of the Court at Landivar University's Law Clinic in Guatemala City. Both seminars were held within the framework of the Project "Training for capacity building on the Inter-American Human Rights System in the university communities of El Salvador, Guatemala and Honduras" with support from the Heinrich Böll Foundation (HBF).




In the activities participated Ms. Gabriela Mundo, Director of International Relations of the Office of the Human Rights Prosecutor of Guatemala (PDH); Lorena González Pinto, university Professor and former vice president of the United Nations Subcommittee on the Prevention of Torture and other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, and a staff attorney of the Court. They lectured on the structure and functioning of the Inter-American and the universal human rights protection systems. More than 80 people attended these activities. Among them were students, teachers and the general public.

The program is a pioneering initiative of the Inter-American Court aimed at strengthening capacities on the Inter-American Human Rights System in the universities of El Salvador, Guatemala and Honduras.

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