



CENTRAL AMERICA AND MEXICO REGIONAL MEDIA (REMEDIOS) PROJECT

FACT SHEET

OVERVIEW

The \$10 million Regional Media (ReMedios) project strengthens independent media, improves transnational investigative reporting, and helps safeguard journalists to foster a vibrant regional press.

The project provides support and training for investigative research and fact-based stories to reach a wider audience and helps news outlets create sustainable business models.

PRIORITIES

The project helps establish and grow the Central American Network of Journalists. This network upholds press and advocates for press freedoms and access to information, protects journalists' safety, and strengthens media outlets' public-interest reporting.

Regional Media (ReMedios) Project

TOTAL INVESTMENT:

\$10 million

TIME PERIOD:

September 2023 – September 2028

PARTNER:

Internews Network

GEOGRAPHIC AREA:

El Salvador, Guatemala,
Honduras, Nicaragua

The network facilitates sharing of resources, expertise, and opportunities. It combats misinformation and helps accurate, fact-based stories reach a wider audience.

Through a grants program, the project helps journalists to tackle corruption issues facing the region. Grants fund international investigative research, connect reporters with experienced mentors, and help news outlets create sustainable business models.

Journalists can also access cybersecurity resources, legal services, and psychosocial support.

ANTICIPATED RESULTS

- The Central American Network of Journalists becomes a self-sustaining, established network of media professionals with members from all Central American countries.
- Regional press networks facilitate the sharing of resources, expertise, and collaborative opportunities, and collectively advocate for press access and legal protections.
- Independent media and journalists cooperate to conduct accurate reporting, fact-check information, and expose disinformation.
- The next generation of Central American journalists are trained in essential skills to report on corruption.

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