RE-2 Employee Post Travel Disclosure of Travel Expenses

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Post Travel Filing Instructions: Complete this form within **30 days** of returning from travel. Submit all forms to the Office of Public Records in 144 Hart Building. **This form is a public disclosure. The form and all attachments will be made publicly available.**

Certification: *In compliance with the Regulations Governing Privately Sponsored Travel, Senate Rule 35, and the Honest Leadership and Open Government Act of 2007, I certify that I accepted the following gift of privately sponsored travel:*

Private Sponsor(s):
The Inter-American Dialogue

Travel Dates:
05/25/2026 to 05/30/2026

Name of accompanying family member (if any):

Relationship to Traveler:

Expenses

Transportation Expenses	Lodging Expenses	Meals Expenses	Other Expenses (Amount & Description)
$3,739.00	$1,017.00	$679.00	$1,100.00

I also certify that attached to this form are all required documents for post travel disclosure, including:

- **The final Employee Pre-Travel Authorization** (Form RE-1)
- The final **Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form** with all attachments
- The final invitation
- The final approved itinerary

Finally, I certify that all trip information reflected in the attachments above accurately reflects the travel that I accepted. If there were any changes to the trip after I received approval from the Committee, the changes are described in ATTACHMENT 1.

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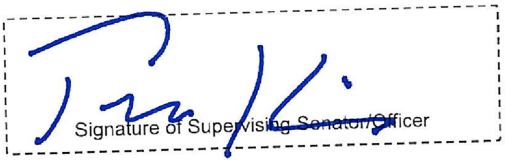
JC Jain
Printed Name of Traveler


Signature of Traveler

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING MEMBER/OFFICER

I have made a determination that the expenses set out above in connections with travel described in the Employee Pre-Travel Authorization form, are necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses as defined in Rule 35.

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Date


Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

ATTACHMENT 1 – CHANGES FROM APPROVED PRE-TRAVEL

Note: Material changes to a trip that occur after the Committee has issued an approval letter may invalidate the Committee's approval. Please contact the Committee with any questions regarding changes to an approved trip.

Were there any changes to the pre-approved travel expenses? (Transportation, Meals, Lodging, Other)?

● Yes ○ No

Expense Change	Revised Amount	Explanation
Transportation	$3,739.00	Airfare final amount was less than estimated
Misc. Expenses	$1,537.00	Additional translation was needed on day one due to non-English speaking meeting participants. And this includes taxi reimbursement to/from DC airport on departure and return.
Lodging	$1,017.00	Additional fee for early check in due to arrival at 8am on Day 1 after an overnight flight. But daily lodging rate was lower than estimated, so total amount decreased.
Meals	$679.00	Miscalculation of initial estimate neglected to include meals on travel days.

Were there any changes to the pre-approved itinerary?

● Yes ○ No

Explanation: Itinerary updates with changes limited to extended duration of meetings and start times due to traffic, and additional government official meeting participants from the Government of Brazil in certain meetings. This includes an earlier meeting time with the Ministry of Mines and Energy.

Were there any additional changes to the pre-approved trip?

○ Yes ● No

Explanation: There were no additional changes to the pre-approved trip.

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April 6, 2026

Mr. JC Jain
Senior Foreign Policy Advisor
Office of Senator Tim Kaine
231 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Subject: Invitation to join Congressional Delegation trip to Brazil

Dear Mr. Jain,

On behalf of the Inter-American Dialogue and its Brazil Program, I am pleased to invite you to join the inaugural U.S.–Brazil Dialogue Congressional & Staff Delegation visit to Brazil, scheduled for May 24–29 during the May congressional recess. We would be honored for your participation in this delegation trip.

The delegation is being organized by the Brazil Program at the Inter-American Dialogue under the leadership of Bruna Santos, who will accompany Members throughout the visit and guide the program's policy engagement in Brazil. Former U.S. Ambassador to Brazil, Donna Hrinak, will host the delegation and facilitate discussions of interest to each member's state.

This bi-partisan CODEL + StaffDel Delegation will include approximately eight to ten Members of Congress and staff with particular interest in Brazil, including significant Brazilian diaspora constituencies in their district and significant trade ties between their state and Brazil.

This visit will provide Members and Professional Staff with an opportunity to engage directly with senior Brazilian government officials, Members of the Brazilian Congress, private sector leaders, civil society representatives, and U.S. Embassy personnel to advance U.S. interests in bilateral relations, trade and investment cooperation, energy collaboration and other priority areas. The delegation will focus on strengthening bilateral economic ties, reinforcing bilateral congressional ties, and expanding legislature to legislature cooperation.

1155 15th Street NW, Suite 800
Washington, DC 20005
202-822-9002 iad@thedialogue.org
thedialogue.org

The mission aims to deepen institutional ties, strengthen economic and energy cooperation, and reinforce strategic alignment between the two countries.

We respectfully request your response by April 10, as arrangements are currently being finalized. Should you or your staff have any questions and to RSVP, please contact Mickie Mitre at kmitre@thedialogue.org.

The proposed itinerary will include meetings with Government of Brazil officials, including Brazilian Vice President Geraldo Alckmin, a briefing with U.S. Mission leadership, discussions with key private sector representatives and site visits highlighting key areas of bilateral cooperation. Additional details regarding logistics, security, and travel arrangements will be provided upon confirmation of your interest.

Please see the attached draft notional schedule for your consideration. I hope you will consider joining this important delegation and lending your expertise to advancing U.S. priorities in Brazil.

Respectfully,

Rebecca Bill Chavez
President & CEO
Inter-American Dialogue

U.S.- Brazil Dialogue Notional Schedule for Congressional & Staff Delegation visit to Brazil

May 24-29, 2026

Sunday, May 24 - 10:30pm Depart Dulles for Brasilia

Monday, May 25 - 2:00 pm Arrive Brasilia

Tuesday, May 26
Meeting with Ministry of Industry and Commerce

Meeting with the Ministry of Mines and Energy

Meeting with the Ministry of Justice and Public Safety on security cooperation

Dinner Meeting with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Wednesday, May 27
Meeting with Brazilian National Congress members on Critical Minerals

Meeting at Supreme Court

Meeting with Brazil Electoral Court

Meeting at EMBRAPA, Brazilian Agriculture Research Corporation

Thursday, May 28
Flight to Sao Paulo

Lunch Event with American Chamber of Commerce

Round Table with Civil Society

Dinner Meeting with Private Sector Representatives

Friday, May 29
Meeting with Governor of Sao Paulo

Meeting with Private Sector Representatives - Mining, Energy and Agriculture – Critical Minerals focus

9:30 pm return flight from Sao Paulo to Dulles (direct flight)

Saturday, May 30 - 6:30 am Arrive Dulles Airport

RE-1 Employee Pre-Travel Authorization

Date/Time Stamp

Pre-Travel Filing Instructions: Complete and submit this form at least 30 days prior to the travel departure date to the **Select Committee on Ethics in SH-220.** Incomplete and late travel submissions will **not** be considered or approved.

Name of Traveler:
JC Jain

Employing Office/Committee:
KAINE, TIM

Private Sponsor(s):
The Inter-American Dialogue

Destination(s):
Brasilia, Brazil, Sao Paulo, Brazil

Travel Dates:
05/25/2026 to 05/30/2026
NOTE: If you plan to extend the trip for any reason you **must** notify the Committee.

Explain how this trip is specifically connected to the traveler's official or representational duties.

Senator Kaine is the ranking member for the Senate Foreign Relations Committee's subcommittee responsible for the Western Hemisphere. This bipartisan trip will deepen JC's understanding of US-Brazil policy, including shared economic and regional security interests. Kaine has also introduced several bills relevant to the bilateral relationship with Brazil and regional issues relevant to Brazil.

Do you have an accompanying family member or spouse on this trip?
No

Name and Relationship to Traveler:
N/A

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

4/22/26
Date

Signature of Employee

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING MEMBER/OFFICER
(President of the Senate, Secretary of the Senate, Sergeant at Arms, Secretary for the Majority, Secretary for the Minority, and Chaplain)

I Tim Kaine
(Print Senator's/Officer's Name)

hereby authorize Jinanshu Jain
(Print Traveler's Name)

an employee under my direct supervision, to accept payment or reimbursement for necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses for travel to the event described above. I have determined that this travel is in connection with his or her duties as a Senate employee or an officeholder, and will not create the appearance that he or she is using public office for private gain.

I have also determined that the attendance of the employee's spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the Senate.

☐ (signify "yes" by checking box)

4/22/26
Date

Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer

The Inter-American Dialogue: U.S. Brazil Dialogue Staff Delegation Trip to Brazil - May 24-30, 2026

JC Jain

Title:
Senior Foreign Policy Advisor

Employing Office/Committee:
KAINE, TIM

Duty Station:
WASHINGTON,DC

Destination(s):
Brasilia, Brazil, Sao Paulo, Brazil

Explain how this trip is specifically connected to the traveler's official or representational duties:

Senator Kaine is the ranking member for the Senate Foreign Relations Committee's subcommittee responsible for the Western Hemisphere. This bipartisan trip will deepen JC's understanding of US-Brazil policy, including shared economic and regional security interests. Kaine has also introduced several bills relevant to the bilateral relationship with Brazil and regional issues relevant to Brazil.

Name of accompanying family member (if any):
Not Entered

Name and Relationship to Traveler:
None

Organization Information

Organization Name
The Inter-American Dialogue

§501(c)(3) Organization Type
Public Charity

Address 2 (Optional)

Phone Number
(571) 277-1202

Is your organization classified as a §501(c)(3)?
(●) Yes ( ) No

Address
1155 15th Street, NW, Suite 800

City, State Zip
Washington, District of Columbia 20005 United States

Organization URL

History of Congressional Travel

None

Educational Activities

The Inter-American Dialogue programs conduct in-depth analysis on the latest developments in priority areas key to economic, social, and political progress across the Americas. As a Washington, DC based think thank focused on The Americas, the Inter-American Dialogue (The Dialogue) promotes a healthy debate and exchange on critical policy issues impacting the Americas. The Dialogue is a hemispheric organization that builds networks of cooperation and action to advance democratic resilience, shared prosperity, social inclusion, and sustainable development across the Americas. The Dialogue impacts policy debates, devises solutions, and enhances collaboration to unlock meaningful change in the Western Hemisphere.

Lobbyist and Foreign Agent Registration Information

Lobbyist Registration Status: *I certify that the sponsor is not a federally registered lobbyist and does not retain or employ a federally registered lobbyists.*

Foreign Agent Registration Status: *I certify that the sponsor is not an agent of a foreign principal and do not retain or employ an agent of a foreign principal.*

Foreign Government Involvement

Foreign Agent Registration Status:

- ☑ I certify that the sponsor is not a foreign government.
- ☑ I certify that the sponsor is not an entity that is owned or operated by a foreign government.
- ☑ I certify that the sponsor does not receive funding from a foreign government.

Comments

None Entered

Signature Page

The signature page is below.

Purpose and Details

Provide a brief description of the trip.

This visit will provide Members of Congress and/or Congressional Staff with an opportunity to engage directly with senior Brazilian government officials, Members of the Brazilian Congress, private sector leaders, civil society representatives, and U.S. Embassy personnel to advance U.S. interests in bilateral relations, trade and investment cooperation, energy collaboration and other priority areas. The delegation will focus on strengthening bilateral economic ties, reinforcing bilateral congressional ties, and expanding legislature to legislature cooperation. Members and staff were invited due to representing states and districts with strong ties with Brazil. Members and staff invited represent key states with large Brazilian diaspora constituencies and significant trade ties with Brazil. This includes staff members covering Western Hemisphere affairs from the House Foreign Affairs Committee (HFAC) and Senate Foreign Relations Committee (SFRC) who were also invited.

Explain how the purpose of the trip relates to your organization's mission.

The U.S.- Brazil Dialogue Delegation Trip will enhance policy makers and staff awareness and knowledge of key Brazilian institutions, policy issues, and economic and trade ties.

Is your organization the only sponsor for this trip?

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

Grantmaking Organizations (Optional)

There are no grantmaking organizations.

With or Without Regard for Congressional Participation

The trip is arranged or organized specifically with regard to congressional participation.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Involvement in Planning, Organizing, Requesting or Arranging

- [x] The trip will not in any part be planned, organized, requested, or arranged by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal, other than de minimis involvement.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Financing

- [x] The trip will not be financed in any part by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal.
- [x] No funds or in-kind contributions were earmarked directly or indirectly for the purpose of financing this specific trip from a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal or from a private entity that retains or employs one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal.

Lobbyist/Foreign Agent Accompaniment

Complete if all sponsors are §501(c)(3) organizations

- [x] The trip is limited to three days (for trips inside the continental United States) or seven days (for trips outside the continental United States), and no lobbyist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip
- [ ] The trip is limited to a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **one** overnight stay) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip
- [ ] The trip is limited to a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and **two** overnight stays) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip

Complete if any of the sponsors is not a §501(c)(3) organizations.

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Certification of No Recreational Activity and No Alcohol

- Travel expenses paid for will not include expenditures for recreational activities.
- Travel expenses paid for will not include expenditures for alcohol, except as permitted by the Regulations Governing Privately Sponsored Travel.

Invitees

Members and staff from the House of Representatives **will** receive invitations.

The list of invitees is below.

Travel Details

Trip Start Date/Time:
05/24/2026 @ 10:30 PM

Trip End Date/Time:
05/30/2026 @ 06:05 AM

Will the traveler be accompanied by a family member for whom the sponsor will pay travel expenses?

○ Yes ● No

Itinerary

The itinerary is below.

Transportation (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $4,400.00 | Accompanying Family Member: $0.00)

Transportation Type	Class	Amount
Airfare	Coach	$3,800.00

Note
Round trip economy plus class airfare from Washington, DC Dulles Airport to Brasilia, Brazil. With return from Sao Paulo, Brazil to Washington, DC Dulles Airport. Domestic one-way flight from Brasilia to Sao Paulo on May 28, 2026

Ground Transportation	Coach	$600.00

Note
Taxi to/from Dulles Airport and ground transportation in Brasilia via shared rental van for all staffers

Lodging (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $1,107.00)

Check-In	Check-Out	Facility	City	State	Country	Nights	Cost/Night	Cost Exceed Per Diem
05/25/2026	05/28/2026	Windsor Brasília Hotel	Brasilia		Brazil	3	$272.00	No
05/28/2026	05/29/2026	Canopy by Hilton	Sao Paulo		Brazil	1	$291.00	No

Meals (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $639.00)

Date	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Incidentals	Total	City	State	Country	Cost Exceeds Per Diem
05/25/2026	$23.00	$50.00	$50.00	$0.00	**$123.00**	Brasilia		Brazil	No
05/26/2026	$23.00	$50.00	$50.00	$0.00	**$123.00**	Brasilia		Brazil	No
05/27/2026	$23.00	$50.00	$50.00	$0.00	**$123.00**	Brasilia		Brazil	No
05/28/2026	$30.00	$50.00	$55.00	$0.00	**$135.00**	Sao Paulo		Brazil	No
05/29/2026	$30.00	$50.00	$55.00	$0.00	**$135.00**	Sao Paulo		Brazil	No

Reasonable Miscellaneous Expenses (Per Member/Officer/Employee: $1,100.00)

Expense Type	Amount	Notes
Conference Fees	$500.00	Travel agency and event coordinator arranging translation, ground transportation, and event logistics
Interpreter Fees	$500.00	
Visa Fees	$100.00	

Additional Attachments All additional attachments are below.

Document Name
Final Brazil Delegation Schedule

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SPONSOR SIGNATURE PAGE

I hereby certify that the information submitted in connection with the trip listed below is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Trip Name: U.S-Brazil Dialogue Trip to Brazil

Travel Date(s): May 24-30

Travel Destination(s): Brasilia and Sao Paulo, Brazil

Sponsor: The Inter-American Dialogue

Rebecca Bill Chavez
(printed name of sponsor representative)

President and CEO
(title)


(signature of sponsor representative)

4/16/26
(date)

U.S. Brazil Dialogue

Congressional Staff Delegation Trip to Brazil – May 24-30

Invited Senate Staffers:

1) JC Jain, Senior Foreign Policy Advisor for Senator Tim Kaine (VA-D), SFRC/WHA
2) Erin Jarnagin, National Security Advisor, Senator John Kennedy, (LA-R)

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Final Schedule U.S.- Brazil Dialogue Staff Delegation Visit to Brazil - May 24-30
(Final Revised 5.31.2026 - post travel)

Sunday, May 24

15:00 pm	Check in for flight at National Airport (DCA)
17:24 pm	Wheels Up -Depart from Washington, DCA via AA 6130 (flight time: 3 hrs)
20:19 pm	Arrive Miami Airport for connection to GOL flight 7749 (layover 2 hours)
22:35 pm	Depart Miami via GOL Flight 7749 (flight time 7 hours, 40 min)

Monday, May 25

7:15 am	Wheels Down - Arrive Brasilia Airport
8:30 am	Depart airport for hotel via group van (Drive Time: 30 minutes)
9:00 am	Arrive at Hotel Windsor for Check in
9:00 am-12:30 pm	Executive time
12:30 pm-13:45 pm	Lunch at Hotel Windsor Restaurant for pre-meeting briefing Windsor Hotel Restaurant
14:00 pm	Depart for Meeting at Vice Presidency
14:30 pm 15:30 pm	**#1 Meeting with Vice- Presidency** **Address:** Palácio do Planalto, Anexo I, andar superior, ala A, Praça dos Três P Poderes - Brasília/DF, CEP 70150-900. **Purpose:** The purpose of this meeting is to provide a deeper understanding of Brazil's economic development, industrial policy, and investment agenda from the perspective of the Vice Presidency. The Vice President previously served as Minister of Industry and Commerce, and the office plays a key role in Brazil's engagement with China through COSBAN. Staff will learn how Brazil is approaching supply chain

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	resilience, critical minerals, and bilateral trade and investment, and how these priorities shape the U.S.–Brazil relationship. **Participants:** Celso de Tarso Pereira (Chief Diplomatic Advisor, Vice-Presidency), Daniela Ferreira de Matos (Deputy Secretary for Foreign Trade at the Ministry of Development, Industry, and Commerce), Guiherme Lopes Leivas Leite
15:45 pm	Depart Vice-Presidency of Brazil to Ministry of Industry (drive time: 15 minutes)
16:00 pm	Arrive at MDIC
16:45 pm-18:00 pm	**#2: Ministry of Development, Industry, and Trade (MDIC)** **Address**: Esplanada dos Ministérios, Bloco H - Palácio Itamaraty **Purpose:** The meeting aims to provide an overview of Brazil's economic development strategy, industrial policy priorities, investment agenda, and the broader initiatives led by MDIC to improve competitiveness and the business environment in Brazil. The discussion would also be an opportunity to explore the Ministry's work across areas such as trade, industry, innovation, supply chains, and sustainable development, while highlighting the Brazil–US bilateral economic agenda, including trade relations, investment opportunities, regulatory cooperation, and ongoing dialogue on issues affecting the business environment in both countries. **Participants:** Tatiana Prazeres (Foreign Trade Secretary), Aline Damasceno (Assistant Deputy Minister), Luiz Felipe Gieztera, National Council for Industrial Development (CNDI), Leonardo Ferreira (Deputy Secretary) , and Ricardo Zanata, Alexandre Lobo, (Chief of Special Advisor for International Affairs), Lucas Ramalh (Deputy Secretary for Green Economy, Decarbonization and Bio-industrial at MDIC), Juliana Volpi (Executive Secretary of External Relations for MDIC), Lucia Darios (Executive Secretary Advisor, MDIC)
18:00 pm	Depart MDIC for hotel (Drive time: 15 minutes)
18:15 pm	Arrive hotel for Executive Time (Dinner at the Hotel)
RON	Windsor Brasília Hotel, SHN Q. 1 Conjunto A Bl. A - Asa Norte, Brasília - DF, 70701

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Tuesday, May 26

7:30 am	Breakfast at Hotel
8:30 am	Depart Hotel for U.S. Embassy (drive time: 15 minutes)
8:45 am	Arrive U.S. Embassy
9:00 am-10:00 am	**#3 Private Briefing with U.S. Embassy Chargé d'Affaires Gabriel Escobar and DCM Kim Kelly** **Location:** U.S. Embassy, St. de Embaixadas Sul 801- Asa Sul, Brasilia – DF, 70200-010 **Purpose:** Overview briefing with U.S. Chargé and DCM on Brazil-U.S . relations, to set the context for government meetings in Brasilia and Sao Paulo, including recent updates on political events, and context for civil society meetings. **Participants:** Gabriel Escobar (Chargé d'Affaires), Kim Kelly (DCM) and Rishi Desai (External Affairs Unit Chief)
10:15 am	Depart U.S. Embassy (drive time: 15 minutes)
10:30 am	Arrive at the Presidency
10:45 am 11:45 am	**#4: Meeting at the Presidency** **Address:** Praça dos Três Poderes, s/n, Zona Cívico-Administrativa, Brasília - DF, CEP: 70150-900 **Purpose:** To discuss the priorities for foreign policy and trade of the Lula administration. The purpose of this meeting is to provide a direct understanding of Brazil's foreign policy priorities from the perspective of the Presidency. Staff will meet with the President of Brazil's foreign policy advisor, who serves as a direct channel to the President on international affairs, to discuss how Brazil assesses the current global landscape and how it defines its relationship with the United States. The meeting will help staff better understand Brazil's approach to regional stability, democracy, multilateral institutions, China, climate and energy diplomacy, trade, and other issues that shape U.S.–Brazil relations. **Participants:** Audo Araujo Faleiro (Deputy Chief Advisor at the Special Advisory Office of the President of the Republic), Sergio Xavier (Presidency)
12:00 pm	Depart Presidency (drive time: 15 minutes)

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12:15 pm	Arrive Ministry of Mines and Energy
12:15 pm- 13:15 pm	**#5: Meeting with Ministry of Mines and Energy** **Address:** Esplanada dos Ministérios, Bloco U, em Brasília/DF, CEP: 70.065-900 **Purpose:** To understand Brazil's energy and mining policy framework, with a focus on critical minerals, energy transition, and regulatory priorities affecting investment and bilateral cooperation. **Participants**: Ana Paula Bittencourt (National Secretary for Geology, Mining and Mineral Transformation), Jose Luis Ubaldino de Lima (Director of the Department of Geology and Mineral Production) Anderson Barreto Arruda (Director of Mineral Transformation and Technology), Thomas Johannes Schrage (General Coordinator of Geology, Mining, and Mineral Transformation), Luis Guilherme Parga Cintra (Head of the International Affairs Office),Gustavo Masili (General Coordinator for Strategic Minerals and Energy Transition in the Mining Sector at SNGM/MME), Loyane Ferreira Cavalcanti (staff)
13:15 pm	Depart Ministry of Mines (drive time: 15 minutes)
13:30 pm	Arrive Lunch
13:30 pm- 15:00 pm	**Lunch at Mercado Mane in Brasilia** Address: Mercado Mane - SRPN ST - Asa Norte, Brasília - DF, 70070-701
15:15 pm	Depart for Critical Minerals Event (drive time: 15 minutes)
15:30 pm	Arrive B Hotel for U.S. Chamber of Commerce Critical Minerals Event
15:35 pm 17:30 pm	**#6: U.S. Chamber of Commerce Event on Critical Minerals and Reception** **Address**: B Hotel **Purpose**: To engage with key stakeholders and gain a broader understanding of Brazil's critical minerals sector. It also aims to support informed discussions on opportunities for cooperation and the sector's global relevance. **Participants**: 100 guests, including legislators, executive branch officials, regulators, private sector representatives, Fabrizio Panzini (Director for Public Policy at Amcham), Cassia Carvalho (Executive Director of the Brazil-US Business Council), Shawn Sullivan (Managing Director of Government Affairs for Latin America at Citi), Uallace Lima (Secretary of Industrial Development, Innovation,

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	Trade and Services), Danielle Cancela Cronemberger (Special Secretary for Government Analysis at the Office of the Chief of Staff to the President)
17:30 pm-18:00 pm	Depart B Hotel for Windsor Hotel
18: 05 pm	Depart Windsor Hotel for Chief of Mission Residence (drive time: 30 minutes)
18:35 pm-19:30 pm	**#7: Critical Minerals Reception at U.S. Chief of Mission Residence (CMR)** **Address**: SHIS Qi 26 – chácara 30, Lago Sul – Brasília-DF **Purpose:** The Chargé d'Affaires a.i., of the United States of America Gabriel Escobar is hosting a reception following the Forum on Critical Minerals to support a broader understanding of Brazil's Critical Minerals sector. **Participants:** 100 guests, including legislators, executive branch officials, regulators, private sector representatives, and diplomats who participated in the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Event on Critical Minerals
19:30 pm	Depart CMR for dinner (Drive time: 15 minutes)
19:45 pm 22:00 pm	**#8: Meeting with Ministry of Management and Innovation in Public Services** **Adress**: Marie Cuisine: SHCS CLS 103 - Asa Sul, Brasília - Federal District, 70342- **Purpose:** To discuss perspectives on Brazil–U.S. bilateral relations, with a focus on economic cooperation and strategic sectors. The meeting will also explore Brazil's priorities under the Vice Presidency, including the role of critical minerals in industrial policy, supply chain resilience, and opportunities for collaboration. **Participants:** Francisco Gaetani, Extraordinary Secretary for State Transformation, Sergio Xavier (Presidency), Guilherme Alberto Almeida de Almeida
21:00 pm	Depart restaurant for Hotel (drive time: 15 minutes)
21:15 pm	Arrive Hotel
RON	Windsor Brasília Hotel, SHN Q. 1 Conjunto A Bl. A - Asa Norte, Brasília - DF, 70701

Wednesday, May 27

08:00 am-9:30 am	**#9: Breakfast with Civil Society Organizations** **Restaurant:** Hotel Windsor P Level Room

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	Purpose: To engage with civil society leaders on their role in Brazil's democratic ecosystem, including perspectives on governance, accountability, and institutional dynamics. The discussion will also include observations on the current electoral cycle and broader views on Brazil's democratic landscape. **Participants**: Vitor Oliveira (Pulso Publico), Bruno Brandao (Transparency International)
9:30 am - 11:30 am	Executive Time
11:30 am	Depart for Brazilian National Congress (Drive time: 15 minutes)
11: 45 am	Arrive Brazilian National Congress
12:10 pm 13:15 pm	Visit Congress Senate and House Chambers **Address**: Palácio do Congresso Nacional, na Praça dos Três Poderes, em Brasília - DF. O CEP é 70160-900
13:15 pm- 14:00 pm	**#10: Meeting with Brazilian National Congress members and staff – House side** **Address**: Palácio do Congresso Nacional, na Praça dos Três Poderes, em Brasília - DF. O CEP é 70160-900 **Purpose**: Legislature-to-legislature exchange, including a discussion on critical minerals and Brazil's technology landscape, as well as opportunities for cooperation between Brazil and the US in these areas. **Participants**: Congressman Arnaldo Jardim
14:00 pm- 14:50 pm	Lunch in Senate Cafeteria and transit between Chambers from House to Senate
15:00 pm 15:45 pm	**#11: Meeting with Brazilian National Congress members and staff – Senate** **Address**: Palácio do Congresso Nacional, na Praça dos Três Poderes, Brasília/DF, CEP 70165-900 **Purpose**: Legislature to Legislature exchange, including discussions on foreign policy and cooperation between Brazil and the United States, agribusiness in Brazil, and public safety. **Participants**: Senator Tereza Cristina
15:45 pm	Depart Congress for Meeting at Supreme Court (drive time: 15 minutes)

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16:00 pm 17:00 pm	Arrive Supreme Court for Tour of Supreme Court
17:00 pm 18:00 pm	**#12: Meeting at Supreme Court** **Address:** Praça dos Três Poderes, Brasília - DF, CEP 70175-900 **Purpose:** To gain an overview of the role of Brazil's Supreme Court within the constitutional framework, including its functions, decision-making processes, and interaction with other branches of government. **Participants:** Staff to Supreme Court President Edson Fachin; Embaixador Roberto Doring, Andres.
18:00 pm	Depart Supreme Court to MRE (Drive time: 10 minutes)
18:15 pm	Arrive at the Ministry of Foreign Relations (MRE)
18:15 pm 19:30 pm	**#13: Meeting at the Ministry of Foreign Relations (MRE)** **Address**: Esplanada dos Ministérios, Bloco H - Zona Cívico-Administrativa, 70170-900 - Brasília, DF (Anexo II do MRE, sala 212 (DPC) **Purpose:** To understand MRE's priorities for Brazil's foreign policy, including the Brazil-US relationship **Participants:** Minister Felipe Hees, Ambassador Alexandre Pena Ghisleni (Director of the Department of Economic, Financial and Services Policy)
19:45 pm	Depart for dinner meeting (Drive time: 15 minutes)
20:00 pm- 22:30 pm	**#14: Dinner with Federal Police** **Address:** Rubayat Brasilia: 1 Esportivo Sul, St. de Clubes Esportivos Sul, Brasília - DF, 70200-001 **Purpose**: To exchange views with the Brazilian Federal Police on the growing challenge of illegal mining in the Amazon, assess its links to environmental crime and regional security, and explore opportunities for stronger Brazil–U.S. bilateral cooperation on enforcement, intelligence-sharing, and institutional coordination. **Participants**: Gustavo Caminoto Geiser, Environmental Forensic Expert
22:30 pm	Depart Restaurant for Hotel (drive time: 15 minutes)
22:45 pm	Arrive Hotel

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7:30 am	Depart Hotel for Airport (drive time: 30 minutes)
8:00 am	Arrive Brasilia Airport
9:45 am	Flight from Brasilia to Sao Paulo (LATAM 4738; flight time 1 hour 45 minutes)
11:30 am	Arrive Sao Paulo airport
12:00 pm	Depart Sao Paulo Airport for lunch meeting (drive time: 30-60 minutes)
13:00 pm-15:00 pm	**#15: Lunch Meeting with Sao Paulo State Government, InvestSP** **Restaurant**: Cantaloup **Address**: R. Dr. Renato Paes de Barros, 65 - Itaim Bibi, São Paulo - SP, 04530-000, Brazil **Purpose**: Discussion will focus on U.S.–Brazil trade and investment, industrial cooperation and competitiveness, and private sector perspectives on policy risk. **Participants**: Samo Tosatti, Head of International Affairs of São Paulo State Government, and Rui Gomes and Julia Saluh (Invest SP)
15:15 pm	Depart Restaurant for Meeting at the Public Prosecutor's Office (30-60 minutes)
16:00 pm-18:00 pm	**#16: Meeting with Public Prosecutor's Office of the State of São Paulo (MPSP)** **Address**: R. Riachuelo, 115 - Sé, São Paulo - SP, 01006-020, Brazil **Purpose:** Meet with Sao Paulo Public Prosecutor in charge of organized crime investigations **Participants:** Lincoln Gakiya, State Prosecutor and Paulo Sérgio de Oliveira e Costa, Prosecutor's Office, Beatriz, Public Prosecutor, Cars Gaya (Attorney), Julian, Organized Crime Unit
18:05 pm	Depart for dinner meeting (drive time: 55-60 minutes)
19:00 pm	Arrive Restaurant Marena Cucina for Dinner
19:00 pm-	**#17: Dinner Meeting with Civil Society and Agriculture Private Sector**

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21:00 pm	**Restaurant**: Marena Cucina **Address**: Rua Pais de Araujo, 138, Itaim Bibi - Sala Pietra, São Paulo, **Purpose**: Discussion with private sector representatives on agriculture where we explored key bottlenecks facing the industry in both Brazil and the United States, as well as opportunities to strengthen cooperation between the two countries. **Participants:** Fernando Zelner, Sustainability Director, (Brazilian Association of Meat Exporting Industries (ABIEC), Paulo Pianes (MBRF), Liege Correia (JBS), Paulo Sotero (retired, former Director of Brazil Program at the Wilson Center), Igor Patrick (Fellow of the Brazil Program and Folha de Sao Paulo)
20:05pm	Depart Dinner for Hotel (drive time 15-25 minutes)
20:30 pm	Arrive hotel
RON	Canopy by Hilton, R. Saint Hilaire, 40 - Jardim Paulista, São Paulo - SP, 01423-040

Friday, May 29

8:00 am	Depart Hotel for Amcham Event (Drive time: 60 minutes)
9:00 am- 11:15 am	**#18: American Chamber of Commerce (AmCham) event** **Address:** Rua da Paz, 1431. Chácara Santo Antônio. São Paulo, SP 04713-001 **Purpose:** Brazil's Political and Economic Overview, focusing on the business environment. Sectoral Snapshots and Brazil-US Cooperation **Participants:** U.S. Deputy Consul-General, Mr. Benjamin Wohlauer, Abrao M. Arabe Neto, President of AmCham Brazil, opened the discussion with an overview of the economic ties between the two countries and the opportunities for deeper bilateral cooperation. Leonardo Porto, Brazil Head Economist at Citi Brazil, then presented an overview of the country's current economic landscape, followed by Thiago Schwinke Vidal, Political Analysis Director at Prospectiva Public Affairs Latam, who shared insights on Brazil's political outlook and the road to the 2026 elections. Fernanda Magnotta (Professor at FAAP and Fellow of Inter-American Dialogue Brazil Program), Marisa Cesar (Critical Minerals Association-PLS)
11:30 am- 12:00 pm	Depart Amcham for Lunch Meeting at Veranda (drive time: 30 minutes)

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12:00 pm-13:00 pm	**#19: Internal Debrief Discussion with Delegation at Veranda Restaurant** **Location**: Verdana Restaurant, Rua General Mean, Barreto, 793 Jardim Paulista SP **Purpose:** To hear delegation's feedback about the trip and discusss next steps
13:00 pm-15:00pm	**#20: Lunch with civil society organization on public security** **Restaurant**: Veranda **Address**: Rua General Mean, Barreto, 793 Jardim Paulista SP **Purpose and Participants**: Met with David Marques from the Fórum Brasileiro de Segurança Pública to discuss the organization's work and Brazil's current public security landscape. The conversation covered topics such as the Brazilian prison system, the expansion of organized crime, and the implications of these dynamics for U.S.–Brazil cooperation on security and transnational crime.
15:05pm	Depart restaurant for hotel (drive time: 15 minutes)
15:30 pm	Arrive Hotel
17:30 pm	Depart for Sao Paulo Airport (drive time: 90 minutes)
19:00 pm	Arrive Sao Paulo airport
21:30pm	Flight from Sao Paulo to Dulles - United flight UA-860) (Flight time: 10 hours)

Saturday, May 30

6:25 am	Arrive IAD - Dulles International Airport