



Job Description

Position:	Regional Lead for Latin America
Contract:	Fixed term (2 years with possibility for extension)
Location:	Brazil
Responsible to:	Head of Government Affairs

Deadline for applications: 21 May 2025

Who we are:

The Global Renewables Alliance (GRA) was established at COP27, as an umbrella organisation of six other well-known renewable energy associations, the Global Wind Energy Council, the Global Solar Council, the International Hydropower Association, the Green Hydrogen Organisation, the Long Duration Energy Storage Council, and the International Geothermal Association. Together, we advocate for a unified voice to accelerate the global energy transition.

At COP28 in Dubai, GRA played a pivotal role in securing the commitment to triple global renewable energy capacity by 2030, marking the largest private sector renewable energy intervention to date. Our mission is to champion a future powered by clean, secure, and just energy—renewables.

To date, the GRA has been active in promoting renewable energy growth at multilateral levels, including high-profile events such as New York Climate Week, the Clean Energy Ministerial, and COPs. We are now expanding our efforts to support the implementation of the tripling goal at the national level, with a particular focus on Latin America and the Asia Pacific regions. We collaborate closely with governments, industry leaders, investors, NGOs, multilateral organisations and corporations to accelerate the energy transition at the necessary speed and scale.

Role Overview:

The Regional Lead for Latin America will lead GRA's strategic and political engagement across the region, with a primary focus on Brazil. This role is instrumental in advancing the implementation of the global goal to triple renewable energy by 2030, agreed at COP28. The Lead will work to help shift political dynamics in the region to accelerate renewable energy deployment, engage with key stakeholders, and leverage regional leadership to drive progress with neighbouring countries.

Key Responsibilities:

1. Strategic engagement in Brazil:

- Develop and execute a strategy to enhance Brazil's renewable energy ambitions, aligning with the tripling goal.
- Engage with federal and state governments, policymakers, and regulatory bodies to advocate for supportive policies and frameworks.
- Collaborate with national renewable energy associations, private sector stakeholders, and civil society organisations to foster a cohesive approach to renewable energy deployment.
- Work closely with GWEC and OEP Brazilian leads to ensure alignment and synergy in national initiatives.

2. Regional and international collaboration – LatAm and Caribbean:



- Monitor and track progress in the region and identify opportunities for engagement.
- Identify and leverage leadership from countries with advanced renewable energy sectors to influence neighbouring nations.
- Facilitate knowledge sharing and best practices among Latin American countries to promote regional collaboration.
- Support engagement with international and multilateral organisations to align efforts and help mobilise resources for renewable energy projects where viable.
- Support efforts to influence COP30 leadership and outcomes on renewable energy, and delivery GRA's COP30 strategy. Engage and maintain relationships with the COP30 presidency.

4. Stakeholder Relationship Management:

- Build and maintain robust relationships with key stakeholders, including government agencies, industry leaders and civil society organisations.
- Leverage existing networks to identify opportunities for collaboration and influence policy development.
- Represent GRA at key forums, workshops and conferences that support the growth of renewables.

Qualifications:

- Minimum of 8 years of experience in the renewable energy or energy sector, with a strong understanding of the political landscape in Latin America.
- Proven track record of strategic leadership and successful stakeholder engagement.
- Strong understanding of political campaigns and advocacy.
- Extensive network within the renewable energy sector and related civil society groups across Brazil (and wider Latin America desirable).
- Ability to work collaboratively with diverse stakeholders, including governments, private sector, and civil society organisations.
- Strategic thinker with the ability to identify and leverage opportunities for advancing renewable energy objectives.
- Strong communication and advocacy skills.
- Native equivalent Portuguese and English language skills. Proficiency Spanish a plus.

Compensation and Benefits

GRAs competitive benefits and a salary commensurate with your experience.

The job is a contract position for two years with possibility for extension.

To apply, please send your CV and cover letter to Louise Burrows – Louise@globalrenewablesalliance.org - quoting the job title in the email subject. Failing to do so will result in your application being delayed or rejected.

We regret to inform that only shortlisted candidates will be notified.

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