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Specialized Meetings Schedule FILBo 2025

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The FILBo's specialized meetings are divided into two categories: business and specialized meetings.

Business



International Business Show

FILBo becomes the epicenter of the publishing sector in the region during the first half of each year. It is the ideal setting for industry professionals to buy and sell books, negotiate publishing and translation rights, and access other publishing services.



Fellowship Program

This is FILBo's strategy for globalizing the Colombian publishing industry by supporting foreign entrepreneurs to participate in the International Business Show. Fellows, selected through an application process, must have experience and knowledge in the Spanish-language rights market.



International Librarians Mission

This program provides financial support to cover the costs of airfares and hotels for librarians from international documentation centers and libraries interested in making their acquisitions at FILBo. They are selected through a call for application.

Specialized meetings

Participants registered for these events, whether paid (\$) or free, will be given admission to the fair venue.



Book Forums and Masterclasses^{\$}

An opportunity for professional development for different professionals from the book publishing chain, focusing on relevant topics in the industry. The forums consist of panels and conferences with experts from Colombia and around the world, while the masterclasses provide more practical and specialized training. This initiative has received support from the Bogotá Chamber of Commerce and Cerlalc.



International Meeting of Librarians

Regional and international libraries share success stories, network, and discuss relevant topics.



International Meeting of Booksellers

An initiative for booksellers from Colombia and around the world to share their experience, with the aim of strengthening traditional and regional bookstore.





Meeting on Books for Children and Young People

This event aims to evaluate and identify potential approaches and analyses within this sub-sector; to review its scope; and to engage with specialists to come up with new opportunities for growth and consolidation. It has received support from the Colombian Association of Children's and Youth Literature.



Editorial and Literary Translation Forum^{\$}

With the support of the Colombian Association of Translators, Terminologists, and Interpreters, FILBo is organizing a forum focused on analyzing topics, profiles, and career paths relating to the translation process. It is intended for translators, editors, students, and those interested in translation.



Comic Professionals Forum

Entreviñetas and FILBo come together to create a space for recognition, positioning, and influence for professionals in the comic book sector in Colombia.



International Copyright Seminar

Academic meeting with national and international copyright experts, covering various topics related to trends, case studies, business models, and the global economy. Organized by the National Copyright Directorate.



National Meeting of Copy Editors[§]

A training opportunity for those interested in the formal, technical, technological, and physical aspects of copy editing. Organized in partnership with the Correcta Network.



FILBo Emprende

A call aimed at strengthening publishing ventures by providing comprehensive training on the book publishing chain. Beneficiaries also secure a commercial space at FILBo the following year. Supported by the District Institute of Arts and the Bogotá Chamber of Commerce.



FILBo Ilustra Masterclasses and Portfolio Review

Classes led by experienced professionals that explore different graphic language techniques and expressions. With the support of Casa Tinta, qualified editors review the portfolios of illustrators selected through an application process and provide constructive feedback.




Book Fair Network Meeting

A meeting for literary event organizers from around the country to strengthen networks and share experience with their international counterparts. Organized with the support of the Ministry of Culture, Art, and Knowledge and the National Library.


April 2025

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Saturday 26	Sunday 27	Monday 28	Tuesday 29	Wednesday 30	Thursday 1	Friday 2	Saturday 3	Sunday 4	Monday 5	Tuesday 6	Wednesday 7	Thursday 8	Friday 9
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International visitors interested in obtaining free admission to all days of the FILBo can contact Paula Moreno, International Buyers Analyst, at the email: pmoreno@corferias.com. This admission is only valid for access to the fair venue and does not include registration for the specialized meetings.