

## **World Bank Group Country Survey FY 2019 – Paraguay**

The World Bank Group is interested in gauging the views of clients and partners who are either involved in development in Paraguay or who observe activities related to social and economic development. The following survey will give the World Bank Group's team that works in Paraguay, greater insight into how the Bank's work is perceived. This is one tool the World Bank Group uses to assess the views of its stakeholders, and to develop more effective strategies that support development in Paraguay.

A local independent firm has been hired to oversee the logistics of this survey. This ensures anonymity and confidentiality. We hope you'll be candid.

Finally, the survey relates to the World Bank Group's work. The World Bank Group consists of IBRD, IDA, IFC, MIGA, and ICSID. When responding to the survey, please consider the area of the World Bank Group with which you are most familiar.

**To complete the survey, please circle/check the response that most accurately reflects your opinion. If you prefer not to answer a question, please leave it blank. If you feel that you do not have an adequate amount of information on a subject, please check "Don't know".**

**PLEASE NOTE: IN SOME CASES THE SURVEY WILL ASK FOR A SPECIFIC NUMBER OF RESPONSES. PLEASE DO NOT CHOOSE ANY MORE THAN REQUESTED. IF MORE RESPONSES ARE CHOSEN, DATA CANNOT BE INCLUDED IN ANALYSIS.**

## SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES FACING PARAGUAY

### A1. When you think about the future in Paraguay, are you ... ?

1	Very pessimistic
2	Somewhat pessimistic
3	Somewhat optimistic
4	Very optimistic
5	Not sure

### A2. Do you think that economic opportunity for citizens in Paraguay is ... ?

1	Increasing
2	Decreasing
3	Staying about the same

### A3. Listed below are a number of development priorities in Paraguay.

Please identify which of the following you consider the most important development priorities in Paraguay. (Choose no more than THREE)

1	Private sector development	15	Crime and violence
2	Education	16	Trade and exports
3	Public sector governance/reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure)	17	Agriculture and rural development
4	Fiscal system reform	18	Natural resource management (renewable and non-renewable)
5	Public sector transparency/anti-corruption	19	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)
6	Citizen engagement	20	Poverty reduction
7	Food security	21	Judiciary reform
8	Urban development	22	Economic growth
9	Health	23	Innovation in information and communications technology
10	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	24	Financial markets
11	Gender equity (closing the gap between women and men, and boys and girls)	25	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)
12	Energy	26	Disaster risk management (e.g., floods)
13	Water and sanitation	27	Equality of opportunity (i.e., social inclusion)
14	Job creation/employment	28	Catastrophic disease (e.g., cancer, heart attack, stroke)

## SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

**A4. Poverty reduction is a broad term that encompasses work in many different areas.**

**Which THREE areas of development listed below do you believe would contribute most to reducing poverty in Paraguay? (Choose no more than THREE)**

1	Energy	15	Urban development
2	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	16	Public sector transparency/anti-corruption
3	Agriculture and rural development	17	Citizen engagement
4	Disaster risk management (e.g., floods)	18	Health
5	Equality of opportunity (i.e., social inclusion)	19	Financial markets
6	Catastrophic disease (e.g., cancer, heart attack, stroke)	20	Public sector governance/reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure)
7	Innovation in information and communications technology	21	Fiscal system reform
8	Trade and exports	22	Natural resource management (renewable and non-renewable)
9	Economic growth	23	Job creation/employment
10	Crime and violence	24	Private sector development
11	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)	25	Education
12	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	26	Food security
13	Judiciary reform	27	Gender equity (closing the gap between women and men, and boys and girls)
14	Water and sanitation		

**A5. When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in Paraguay, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Poor coordination within the government
2	Inadequate level of donor coordination
3	Reforms are not well thought out in light of country challenges
4	Inadequate level of capacity in the government (e.g., institutional weaknesses, limited capacity for project implementation)
5	Inadequate level of government accountability
6	Corruption
7	Private sector involvement and/or influence
8	Inadequate level of citizen/civil society participation
9	Weakness of the justice system (e.g., inadequate application of the Law)
10	Political pressures and obstacles
11	Inadequate level of private sector participation
12	Other (please specify): _____

## SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

A6. To what extent do you trust each of the following groups to do what is right?												
		To no degree at all						To a very significant degree				Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1	The national/federal government	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Bilateral organizations (e.g., DFID, JICA, GIZ, USAID)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	The World Bank Group	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	The International Monetary Fund	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	UN	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Regional development banks	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Paraguay's Central Bank	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	International private sector	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
9	Domestic private sector	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
10	International civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Domestic civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	Faith-based institutions	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
13	Domestic traditional media and their web presence (e.g., newspapers, TV stations, radio)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
14	International media and their web presence	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
15	Web based media (i.e., blogs, social media, other web-based news and information sources)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

A7. Please describe the direction Paraguay is moving in, when considering ... ?						
		Getting much worse	Getting somewhat worse	Staying the same	Getting somewhat better	Getting much better
1	Human development (e.g., health, education, and social protection)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Equal opportunity for girls and boys, men and women	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Growing Paraguay's economy in a way that leads to jobs and employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	The gap between the rich and the poor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Making government more effective	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Anti-corruption	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Attracting new sources of foreign investment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## SECTION A: GENERAL ISSUES

**A8. Listed below are global challenges. Which do you think have the most serious impact on Paraguay? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Trade constraints	6	Jobs/employment
2	The gap between the rich and the poor	7	Fragility in Paraguay or neighboring countries
3	Environmental degradation	8	Technology based disruption
4	Terrorism	9	Geo political uncertainty
5	Migrants and refugees	10	Climate change

**A9. When thinking about development efforts in Paraguay, do you think that civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs) should ... ?**

1	Engage significantly less
2	Engage somewhat less
3	Engage somewhat more
4	Engage significantly more
5	Engage at the same level it does currently
6	Don't know

## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK GROUP

### B1. How familiar are you with the work of these organizations in Paraguay?

		Not familiar at all										Extremely familiar
1	World Bank Group (WBG)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
2	Inter-American Development Bank (IDB/BID)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
3	Latin American Development Bank (CAF)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

### B2. Overall, please rate your impression of the effectiveness of these organizations in Paraguay.

		Not effective at all										Very effective	Don't know
1	World Bank Group (WBG)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Inter-American Development Bank (IDB/BID)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Latin American Development Bank (CAF)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>

### B3. To what extent do you believe the World Bank Group's staff is well prepared (e.g., skills and knowledge) to help Paraguay solve its most complicated development challenges?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
To no degree at all									To a very significant degree	Don't know

### B4. When thinking about how the World Bank Group can have the most impact on development results in Paraguay, in which sectors do you believe the World Bank Group should focus most of its resources (financial and knowledge services) in Paraguay? (Choose no more than THREE)

1	Health	15	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)
2	Fiscal system reform	16	Natural resource management (renewable and non-renewable)
3	Food security	17	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)
4	Gender equity (closing the gap between women and men, and boys and girls)	18	Equality of opportunity (i.e., social inclusion)
5	Private sector development	19	Agriculture and rural development
6	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	20	Innovation in information and communications technology
7	Education	21	Trade and exports
8	Public sector governance/reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure)	22	Crime and violence
9	Financial markets	23	Catastrophic disease (e.g., cancer, heart attack, stroke)
10	Urban development	24	Poverty reduction
11	Job creation/employment	25	Disaster risk management (e.g., floods)
12	Citizen engagement	26	Public sector transparency/anti-corruption
13	Energy	27	Judiciary reform
14	Water and sanitation	28	Economic growth

## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK GROUP

**B5. When thinking about the World Bank Group's role, which activity do you believe is of greatest VALUE and which activity is of second greatest value in Paraguay?**

		<b>Greatest Value (Choose only ONE)</b>	<b>Second Greatest Value (Choose only ONE)</b>
1	Bringing together different groups of stakeholders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Capacity development related to World Bank Group supported projects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Technical assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Policy advice, studies, analyses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Financial resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Data and statistics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Promoting knowledge sharing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Implementation support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9	Mobilizing third party financial resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10	Donor coordination	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Promote participatory dialogue platforms to discuss the country's development challenges (e.g., <i>Ask the Economist</i> series)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	Other (please specify): _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**B6. Which of the following do you identify as the World Bank Group's greatest WEAKNESSES in its work in Paraguay? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Not adequately sensitive to political/social realities in Paraguay
2	Not aligned with country priorities
3	Too influenced by developed countries
4	Not adequately flexible
5	Not sufficiently focused on sustainable results
6	Not collaborating enough with civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)
7	World Bank Group's processes too slow and complex
8	Not enough public disclosure of its work
9	Arrogant in its approach
10	Inadequate World Bank Group's staffing in Paraguay
11	Not willing to honestly criticize policies and reform efforts in the country
12	Staff too inaccessible
13	Not collaborating enough with private sector
14	Not collaborating enough with partners such as bilaterals, multilaterals, trust funds, UN
15	Other (please specify): _____
16	Don't know

## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK GROUP

**B7. To what extent do you believe that the World Bank Group's work and support help the poorest in Paraguay? (Select only ONE response)**

1	To a fully sufficient degree
2	To a somewhat sufficient degree
3	To a somewhat insufficient degree
4	To a very insufficient degree
5	Don't know

**B8. From your perspective, which of the following best describes the World Bank Group's current emphasis on investing in human capital (e.g., education, health, social protection)?**

1	Increased its emphasis recently
2	Decreased its emphasis recently
3	Emphasis has remained pretty consistent over time
4	Don't know

**B9. In addition to the regular relations with the national government, which TWO of the following groups should the World Bank Group collaborate with more in your country? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Local government	7	Academia/think tanks/research institutes
2	Donor community	8	Parliament
3	Youth/university groups	9	Foundations
4	Private sector	10	Media
5	NGOs/Community Based Organizations	11	Other (please specify): _____
6	Beneficiaries	12	Don't know

**To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the World Bank Group's work in Paraguay?**

		Strongly disagree										Strongly agree	Don't know
<b>B10</b>	Overall the World Bank Group currently plays a relevant role in development in Paraguay	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B11</b>	The World Bank Group's work is aligned with what I consider the development priorities for Paraguay	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>



## SECTION B: OVERALL ATTITUDES TOWARD THE WORLD BANK GROUP

To what extent is the World Bank Group an effective development partner in Paraguay, in terms of each of the following?												
		To no degree at all					To a very significant degree					Don't know
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
<b>B12</b>	Responsiveness to needs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B13</b>	Flexibility (in terms of the institution's products and services)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B14</b>	Flexibility (in terms of changing country circumstances)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B15</b>	Being inclusive	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B16</b>	Openness (sharing data and other information)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B17</b>	Collaboration with the Government	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B18</b>	The speed in which it gets things accomplished on the ground	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B19</b>	Helping to bring discipline/effective supervision to implementation of investment projects	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B20</b>	Collaboration with civil society	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B21</b>	Staff accessibility	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B22</b>	Collaboration with other donors and development partners	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B23</b>	Collaboration with the private sector	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B24</b>	Straightforwardness and honesty	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B25</b>	Treating clients and stakeholders in Paraguay with respect	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B26</b>	Being a long-term partner	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

## SECTION C: WORLD BANK GROUP'S EFFECTIVENESS AND RESULTS

**C1. How EFFECTIVE do you believe the World Bank Group is in terms of the work it does in the following areas of development in Paraguay?** *(If you have NO exposure to/experience in working in any of the sectors listed below, please respond "Don't know")*

		Not effective at all										Very effective	Don't know
1	Social protection (e.g., pensions, targeted social assistance)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Gender equity (closing the gap between women and men, and boys and girls)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Private sector development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Education	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Public sector governance/reform (i.e., government effectiveness, public financial management, public expenditure)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Fiscal system reform	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Public sector transparency/anti-corruption	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Catastrophic disease (e.g., cancer, heart attack, stroke)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
9	Urban development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
10	Energy	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Water and sanitation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
12	Health	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
13	Transport (e.g., roads, bridges, transportation)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
14	Agriculture and rural development	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
15	Natural resource management (renewable and non-renewable)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
16	Climate change (e.g., mitigation, adaptation)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
17	Poverty reduction	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
18	Economic growth	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>
19	Disaster risk management (e.g., floods)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		<input type="checkbox"/>

## SECTION C: WORLD BANK GROUP'S EFFECTIVENESS AND RESULTS

### C2. To what extent does the World Bank Group's work help to achieve development results in Paraguay?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
To no degree at all									To a very significant degree	Don't know

### C3. To what extent does the World Bank Group influence the development agenda in Paraguay?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
To no degree at all									To a very significant degree	Don't know

### To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the World Bank Group in Paraguay?

		Strongly disagree										Strongly agree	Don't know
C4	The World Bank Group's financial instruments (i.e., investment lending, Development Policy Loan, Trust Funds, Reimbursable Advisory Services) meet the needs of Paraguay	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C5	The World Bank Group meets Paraguay's needs for knowledge services (e.g., research, analysis, data, technical assistance)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>	

### C6. To what extent do you believe that Paraguay received value for money from the World Bank Group's Reimbursable Advisory Services (RAS)?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
To no degree at all									To a very significant degree	Don't know

**SECTION D: THE WORLD BANK GROUP'S KNOWLEDGE WORK AND ACTIVITIES (i.e., ANALYSIS, STUDIES, RESEARCH, DATA, REPORTS, CONFERENCES)**

**D1. How frequently do you consult World Bank Group's knowledge work and activities in the work you do?**

1	Weekly
2	Monthly
3	A few times a year
4	Rarely
5	Never

**In Paraguay, to what extent do you believe that the World Bank Group's knowledge work and activities:**

		To no degree at all					To a very significant degree					Don't know
<b>D2</b>	Are timely	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D3</b>	Include appropriate level of stakeholder involvement during preparation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D4</b>	Lead to practical solutions	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D5</b>	Are source of relevant information on global good practices	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D6</b>	Are adequately disseminated	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D7</b>	Are translated enough into local language	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D8</b>	Are adaptable to Paraguay's specific development challenges and country circumstances	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

**D9. Overall, how significant a contribution do you believe the World Bank Group's knowledge work and activities make to development results in your country?**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not significant at all									Very significant	Don't know

**D10. Overall, how would you rate the technical quality of the World Bank Group's knowledge work and activities?**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Very low technical quality									Very high technical quality	Don't know

## SECTION E: WORKING WITH THE WORLD BANK GROUP

To what extent do you agree/disagree with the following statements?												
		Strongly disagree								Strongly agree		Don't know
<b>E1</b>	The World Bank Group disburses funds promptly	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E2</b>	The World Bank Group effectively monitors and evaluates the projects and programs it supports	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E3</b>	The World Bank Group's approvals and reviews are done in a timely fashion	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E4</b>	The World Bank Group's Environmental and Social Framework requirements are reasonable	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E5</b>	The World Bank Group's conditions on its lending are reasonable	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E6</b>	The World Bank Group takes decisions quickly in Paraguay	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E7</b>	Working with the World Bank Group increases Paraguay's institutional capacity	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E8</b>	Where country systems (e.g., procurement, financial management, etc.) are adequate, the World Bank Group makes appropriate use of them	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	<input type="checkbox"/>

## SECTION F: THE FUTURE ROLE OF THE WORLD BANK GROUP IN PARAGUAY

**F1. Which of the following SHOULD the World Bank Group do to make itself of greater value in Paraguay? (Choose no more than TWO)**

1	Offer more innovative financial products
2	Ensure greater selectivity in its work
3	Engage more effectively with civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)
4	Increase the level of capacity development in the country
5	Offer more innovative knowledge services
6	Collaborate more effectively with Government clients (e.g., national, state, local)
7	Increase availability of Reimbursable Advisory Services (RAS)
8	Help to bring discipline/effective supervision to implementation of World Bank Group projects
9	Engage more effectively with partners such as bilaterals, multilaterals, trust funds, UN
10	Work faster
11	Reduce the complexity of obtaining World Bank Group financing
12	Provide more adequate data/knowledge/statistics/figures on Paraguay's economy
13	Engage more directly with beneficiaries
14	Improve the quality of its experts as related to Paraguay's specific challenges
15	Engage more effectively with private sector
16	Other (please specify): _____

**F2. When considering the combination of services that the World Bank Group offers in Paraguay, and taking into account its limited level of resources, which ONE of the following do you believe the World Bank Group should offer more of in Paraguay? (Select only ONE response)**

1	Financial services
2	Reimbursable Advisory Services (RAS)
3	Knowledge products
4	Convening services
5	None of the above
6	The combination is appropriate for Paraguay
7	Don't know

## SECTION G: COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SHARING

### G1. How frequently do you interact with the World Bank Group now in Paraguay?

1	Never
2	Less than once a year
3	Once a year to a few times a year
4	Less than once a month
5	At least once a month
6	At least once a week

### G2. How do you get most of your information about economic and social development issues in Paraguay? (Choose no more than TWO)

1	International newspapers	7	Local radio
2	Local television	8	Public conferences and debates
3	International radio	9	Internet
4	Social media (e.g., blogs, Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, Flickr)	10	Local newspapers
5	Periodicals	11	Other (please specify): _____
6	International television		

### G3. How would you prefer to receive information from the World Bank Group? (Choose no more than TWO)

1	Direct contact with World Bank Group (i.e., face to face meetings/discussions)	4	e-Newsletters
2	World Bank Group's website	5	World Bank Group's seminars/workshops/conferences
3	Social media (e.g., blogs, Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, Flickr)	6	World Bank Group's publications and other written materials

### G4. Which Internet connection do you use primarily when visiting a World Bank Group website?

1	High speed/WiFi
2	Dial-up

## SECTION G: COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SHARING

**G5. Over the past SIX MONTHS, on average how often did you do any of the following related to the World Bank Group (WBG)?**

		Every few days	Every few weeks	Every few months	Not at all
1	Read, viewed or heard a story about the WBG in local media (newspaper, magazine, TV, radio)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Read, viewed or heard a story about the WBG in global media (newspaper, magazine, TV, radio)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Interacted with the WBG on Social Media (e.g., read a post or tweet, liked, commented, shared, retweeted)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Visited a WBG website (e.g., read a blog, used data)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Attended an event/conference hosted by the WBG	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Watched a webinar or online event hosted by the WBG	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Read some or all of a WBG research paper or publication	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Met professionally with WBG staff	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



## SECTION H: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

<b>H1. Which of the following best describes your current affiliation? (Select only ONE response)</b>			
1	Office of the President, Prime Minister	11	Private Foundation
2	Office of Minister	12	NGO/Community Based Organization
3	Office of Parliamentarian	13	Media (press, radio, TV, web, etc.)
4	Employee of a Ministry, Ministerial Department or Implementation Agency	14	Independent Government Institution (i.e., Regulatory Agency, Central Bank/oversight institution)
5	Project Management Unit (PMU) overseeing implementation of project/ Consultant/Contractor working on World Bank Group supported project/program	15	Trade Union
6	Local Government Office or Staff	16	Faith-Based Group
7	Bilateral Agency	17	Youth Group
8	Multilateral Agency	18	Academia/Research Institute/Think Tank
9	Private Sector Organization	19	Judiciary Branch
10	Financial Sector/Private Bank	20	Other (please specify): _____

<b>H2. Please identify the primary specialization of your work. (Select only ONE response)</b>			
1	Water	12	Gender
2	Social protection and labor	13	Transport and ICT
3	Fragility, conflict and violence	14	Urban, rural, and social development
4	Environment and natural resources	15	Governance
5	Public-private partnerships	16	Poverty
6	Education	17	Jobs
7	Health, nutrition, and population	18	Agriculture
8	Energy and extractives	19	Climate change
9	Macroeconomics and fiscal management	20	Generalist (specialized in multiple sectors)
10	Trade and competitiveness	21	Other (please specify): _____
11	Finance and markets		

<b>H3. Currently, do you professionally collaborate/work with the World Bank Group (IBRD, IFC, MIGA, ICSID) in your country?</b>	
1	Yes
2	No

<b>H4. If yes, which of the following agencies of the World Bank Group do you primarily collaborate/work with in Paraguay? (Select only ONE response)</b>	
1	The World Bank (IBRD)
2	The International Finance Corporation (IFC)
3	The Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)
4	International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID)

## SECTION H: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

### H5. Do your projects involve both the World Bank and the IFC?

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|---|-----|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No  |

### H6. Which of the following describes most of your exposure to the World Bank Group in Paraguay? (Choose no more than TWO)

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|---|---|
| 1 | Observer (i.e., follow in media, discuss in informal conversations, etc.) |
| 2 | Use World Bank Group reports/data   |
| 3 | Engage in World Bank Group related/sponsored events/activities            |
| 4 | Collaborate as part of my professional duties                             |
| 5 | Use World Bank Group website for information, data, research, etc.        |

### H7. What's your gender?

- |   |        |
|---|--------|
| 1 | Female |
| 2 | Male   |

### H8. What's your age?

- |   |              |
|---|--------------|
| 1 | 25 and under |
| 2 | 26-35        |
| 3 | 36-45        |
| 4 | 46-55        |
| 5 | 56 and above |

### H9. Which best represents your geographic location?

- |   |                                |
|---|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Capital and Central Department |
| 2 | Western Region                 |
| 3 | Eastern Region                 |

**Thank you for completing the survey!**