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**Renewable and Efficient Energy Expert, Dr. Daniel Kammen, to Visit Brazil
On Behalf of ECPA Senior Fellows**



Washington, D.C., August 18, 2014 – [Dr. Daniel Kammen](#), a Senior Fellow in the Energy and Climate Partnership of the Americas (ECPA), will be traveling August 19th – August 20th to participate in meetings and discussions in Brazil related to the role of shale gas, changing energy factors, environmental/regulatory barriers, and carbon markets. He will be meeting with representatives from the Institute of Energy and Environment from the [University of Sao Paulo](#). This visit will be part of Dr. Kammen's first meeting with the [Fulbright NEXUS in Brasilia](#). Senior ECPA Fellow Dr. Daniel Kammen works at the University of California Berkeley as a Professor of Public Policy, Professor in the Energy and Resources Group, and the director of Renewable and Appropriate Energy Laboratory.

[The Senior ECPA Fellows](#) program is a network of high-level technical experts in the fields of climate change and energy who travel between countries in the Western Hemisphere to consult with governments or other institutions. The program is sponsored by the [U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Western Hemispheric Affairs](#) and is administered by [Partners of the Americas](#). There are currently [10 Senior ECPA Fellows](#) who participate in these international exchanges. The main areas of focus for the program are: energy efficiency, renewable energy, energy infrastructure, energy poverty and access, sustainable forestry and land use, and climate change adaptation.

Under his role of [lead scholar](#) for the [Fulbright NEXUS](#), Dr. Daniel Kammen has been invited to attend the [first group and orientation meeting](#) in Brasilia in August 16th – 19th, 2014. Afterwards, he will visit Sao Paulo and will be joining forces on the 20th with the [Institute of Energy and Environment \(IEE\) from the University of Sao Paulo \(USP\)](#) to host two informational workshops. The first workshop will discuss the role of shale gas, changing energy factors, and environmental/regulatory barriers from the perspective of the U.S., Russia, Argentina, and Brazil. During the second workshop Dr. Daniel Kammen and USP Professors will focus on climate change policies and regulations, and carbon markets role and effects in society.

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