



**MUNICIPAL LEADERSHIP
HOUSING FORUM**
Building Houses through Building People

Presented by: Eduardo Rojas

- **Informal housing in Latin America – an overview**
- **Similarities and differences with South Africa, a discussion**



- **Preventing informal housing,**
- **Housing sector reform and**
- **Low cost land development**
- **Peru, Columbia**



- **Solving the problems of informal settlements**
- **Upgrading, titling, social and economic developing**
- **Brazil, Chile**



- **Building with people**
- **Incremental housing, a challenge**
- **Chile, Brazil**



- **Implementing settlement upgrading and incremental housing support programmes**
- **The roles of the municipalities, a discussion**



- **Lessons learnt**
- **What can be transferred, what cannot?**



REFERENCES

- Brakarz, J. M. Greene, and E. Rojas (2002) *Cities for All. Recent Experiences with Neighbourhood Upgrading Programs.* Washington, D.C.
- Greene, M. And Rojas, E. (2008) “Incremental Construction, a Strategy to Facilitate Access to Housing” *Environment and Urbanization* 20:89-109

