

Elizabeth, Moira, Ana, Lorena and Leonor, on this first day of sharing our Experience in Distance Learning in Meteorology we are asking ourselves the following question

Why should we create a distance learning course in Meteorology?

For some time now the number of forecasters who start working in the National Weather Service has been quite low. On the other hand the number of forecasters retiring from the National Weather Service has been increasing steadily. If this continues

Who will be preparing our weather forecasts when they have all retired??

Under this future scenario the Minister of Science and Technology and the General Director of the National Weather Service signed an agreement to promote the formation of human resources in meteorology, a national vacancy area, financing scholarships for students to become Bachelors of Atmospheric Science in the University of Buenos Aires

Students from any university in Argentina studying Physics, Mathematics or Engineering are eligible candidates. After two years of courses in the Department of Atmospheric and Ocean Sciences they will receive their degree

A degree in only two years ??? Yesss and we have been working so that the first course they take is through

Distance Learning!

This is how the Project of creating General Meteorology in Distance Learning mode was born.

In this first activity we would like to hear about the origin of your distance learning courses in Meteorology. Write freely in the ORIGIN forum of Day 1