<u>Winners of the 2025 National Academic Economics Competition (CANE in Spanish)</u>

On October 23, the awards ceremony for the 15th National Academic Economics Competition (CANE in Spanish) took place. This academic initiative, organized by the Student Council of the School of Economics at Universidad del Rosario, aims to promote academic exchange and enhance economic knowledge among students from across the country.

In the fifteenth edition of the competition, three universities were recognized for their outstanding performance. Thirty-one universities participated in this edition, each represented by a team of five students.

The winning teams of the 2025 CANE were:

First place: Universidad EAFIT

Samuel Acosta Ochoa Sara Echeverri Díez Sandra Patricia Gómez Moncada Jerónimo Salazar Aguirre Juan David Zapata Guerra

## Second place: Universidad del Rosario

Sergio Daniel Alzate Valencia Antonio Gutierrez Arango Paulina Herrera Duque Maria Alejandra Motta Romero Daniela Alejandra Sánchez Sánchez

## Third place: Universidad de Antioquia

Cristian Betancur Trespalacios Durley Alberto Ocampo Salazar Karol Juliana Parra Mazo Miguel Ángel Patiño Adarve John Santiago Vallejo Fernández

Since 2009, *Banco de la República* has supported this initiative through the guidance and expertise of its researchers, who have contributed as members of the judging panel. In this edition, Julián Parra, senior economist, participated as an evaluating judge.

Congratulations to the fifteen student winners of the competition!
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