Warm Greetings,

Today, Medellín is recognized internationally as an example of social and urban transformation, creating a great balance between innovation, education, leadership, social inclusion, sustainable mobility and civic culture.

This city breathes future and has the capacity to inspire and charm with its sustained progress over the last few years, its economic development and its creative capacity to improve the quality of life of its inhabitants. Chosen as the first Latin-American city to have The Fourth Industrial Revolution Network affiliate Center, allowing Medellín to continue to work tirelessly to be a reference in science, technology and innovation in the region.

The process of internationalization of the city is a priority for “Medellin of the future”. That is why we have an infrastructure of international stature that has allowed it to host and develop large scale events successfully such as IDB Annual Meeting, The World Urban Forum, Global Entrepreneurship Congress, UNWTO General Assembly and Cities for Life Global Meeting, among others, what has positioned us as one of the best destinations for business and tourism events in Latin America.

In this context it is our intention and purpose to offer our City as the official headquarters to host 2021 INFORMS-ALIO-ASOCIO International Conference, including all the facilities for its proper development and success.

We sincerely hope that the nomination of Medellin is welcomed by you and the committee, and thus be able to welcome the participants of this event with care and warmth.

DANIEL QUINTERO CALLE
Mayor of Medellin