IICA

INSTITUTO INTERAMERICANO DE CIENCIAS AGRICOLAS
OEA

ITS EVOLVING ROLE IN

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

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DIRECCION GENERAL

San José, Costa Rica, 18 de mayo de 1969
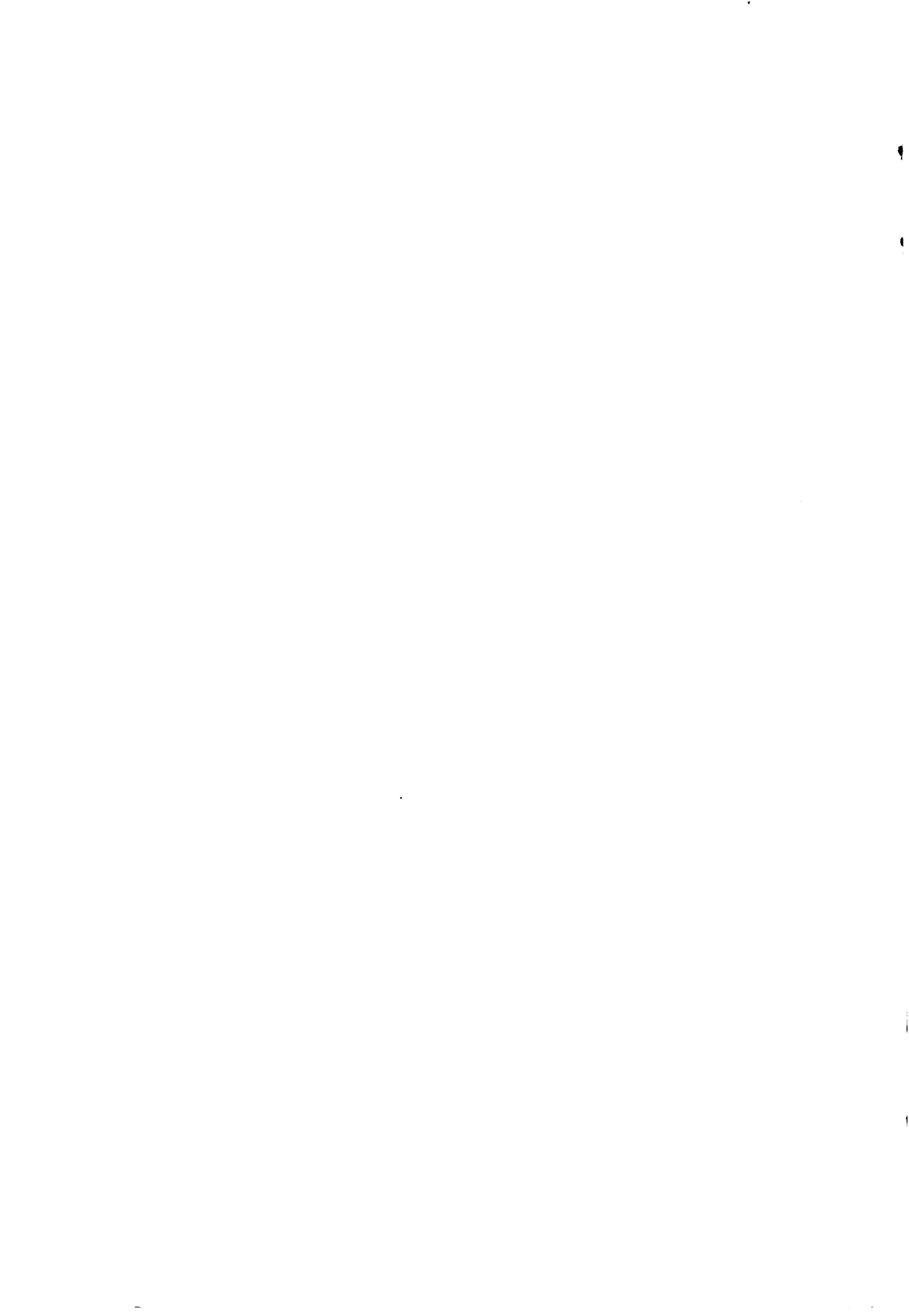
IICA PROMOTES

INTERAMERICAN SOLIDARITY

By Working With and Through

♦   Agricultural Leadership

♦   Interinstitutional Cooperation

♦   Multinational Efforts

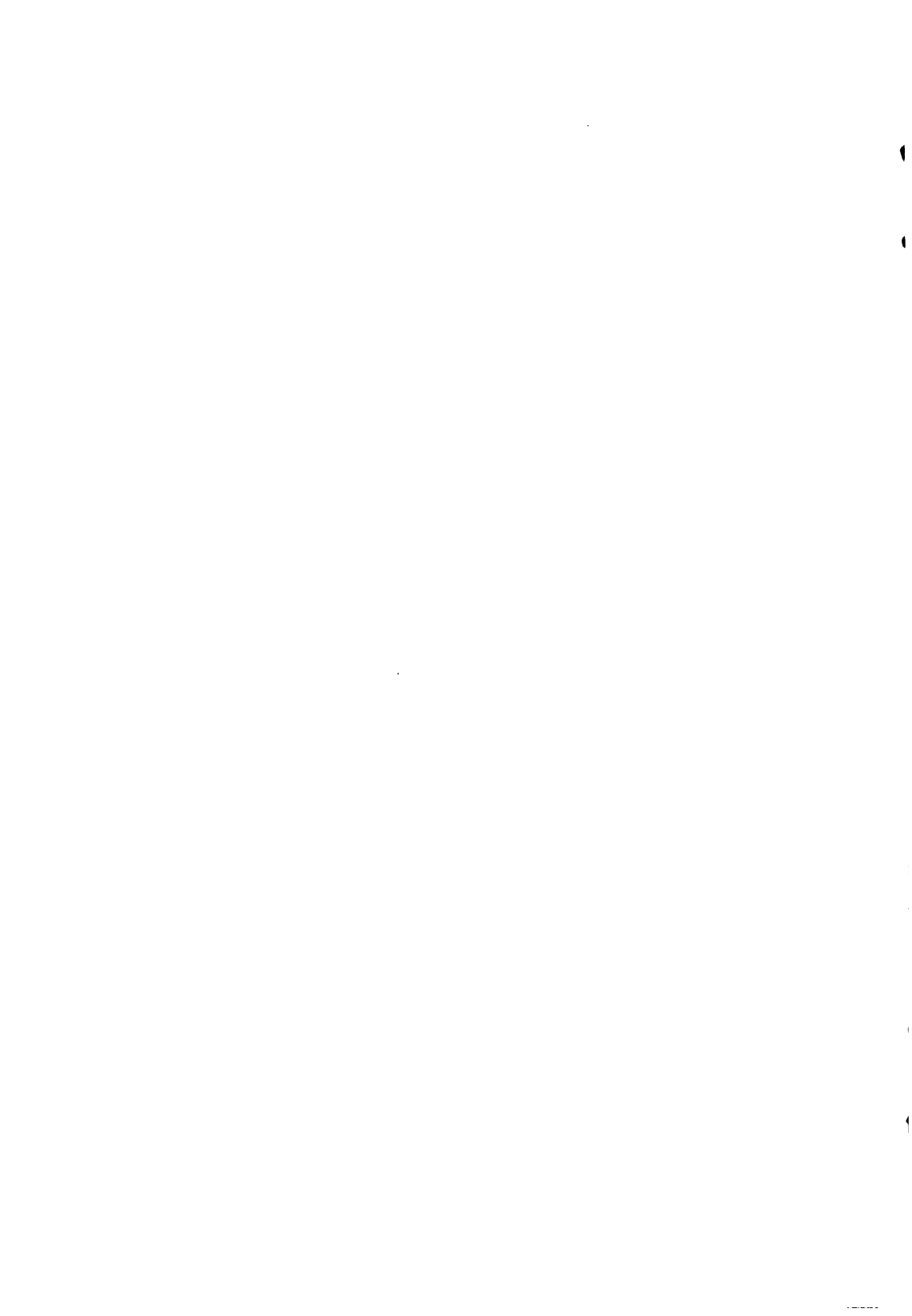To Accelerate Agricultural Development

IICA Contributes

by helping member countries

Improve Their Institutions of:

★   Research;
         creation of Knowledge and Know—how

★   Education;
         diffusion of Knowledge

★   Rural Development;
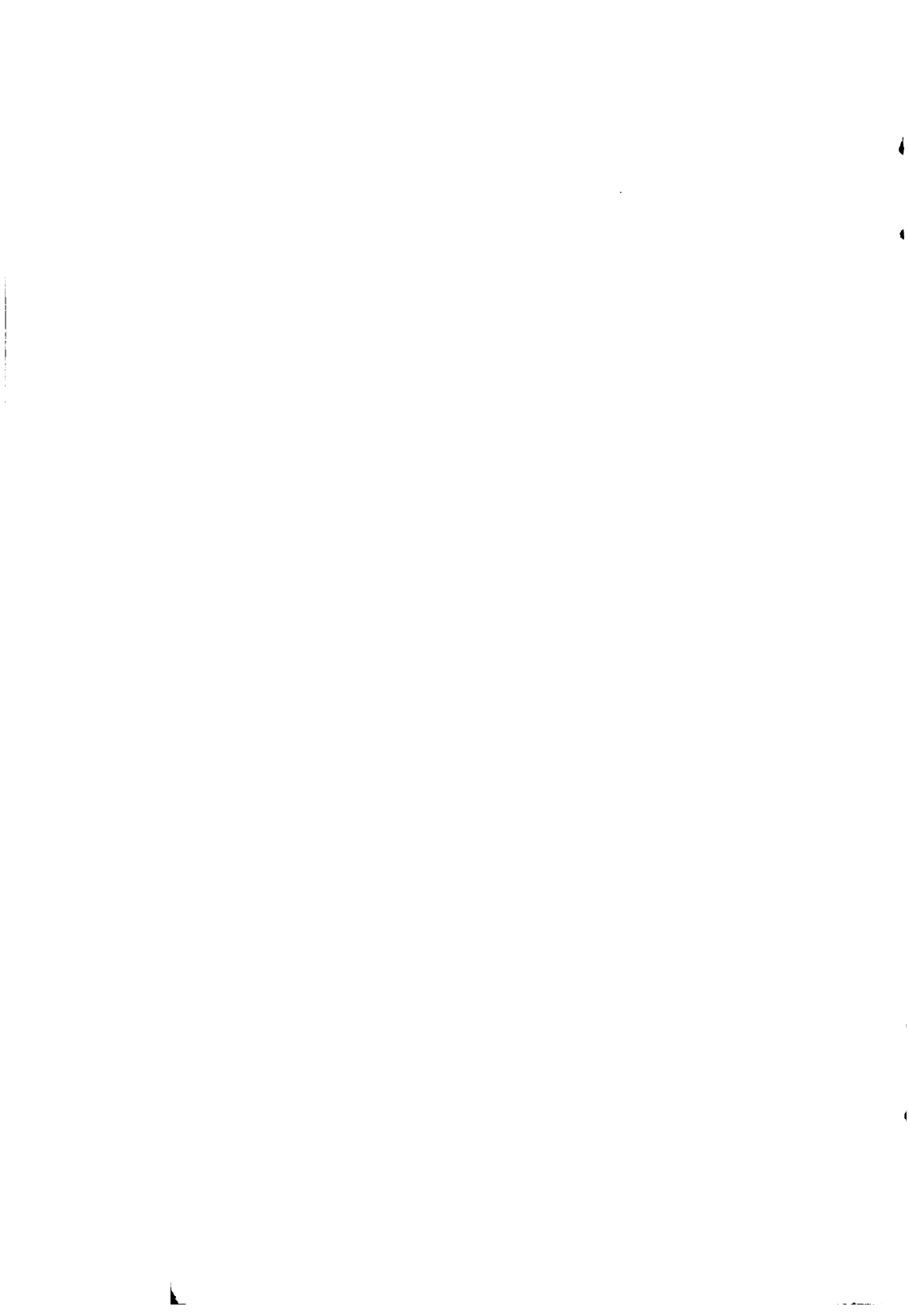   application of Knowledge and Know—how

To do this effectively

IICA has evolved its

▲   Strategy

▲   Activities

▲   Structure

R E S E A R C H

Creation of Knowledge

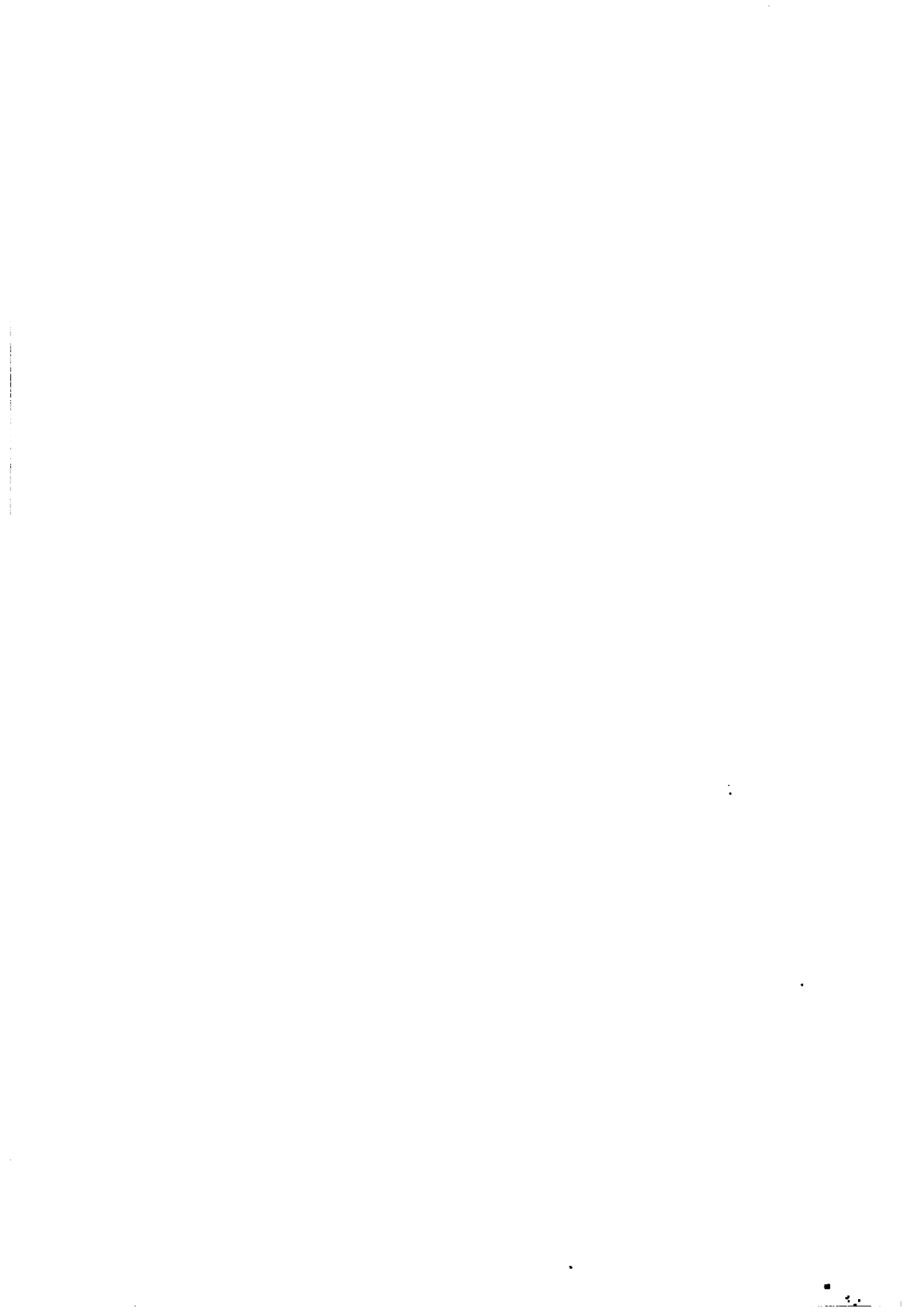Research in Own CENTER (CEI)   1943

Training Researchers, Graduate Level   1946

Strengthening National Research Institutions   1946

Introducing Research Methods, Training
in Agricultural Colleges   1951

Cooperative Research Programs with National
Institutions   1965

E D U C A T I O N

Diffusion of Knowledge

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Application of Knowledge and Know—how

**INTRODUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT
OF RESEARCH AND EDUCATION IN:**

Farm Management

Community Development

Home Economics

Marketing

Credit

Agrarian Reform

Resources for Development

Area and Regional Rural Development

RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Application of Knowledge and Know—how

in terms of size and space

Farm, Farm Family and Rural Community   1946

Demonstration Areas   1951

Area Development   1961

Regional Agricultural Development   1963

Institutional Structure of the
Agricultural Sector   1966

COMMUNICATION

Exchange of Knowledge and Experiences

Library Facilities

Documentation Services

Publications

Technical Meetings

Professional Associations

Reciprocal Technical Assistance

MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

Operation of Programs with other Agencies

Technical Cooperation Program of the OAS (TCP)

Project 39 (Short Course Training)
Project 201 (Agricultural Credit)
Project 206 (Rural Development and Agrarian Reform)

U. S. Government

A. I. D.
Nuclear Energy Program

United Nations Development Program – FAO

Private Organizations

American International Association
American Cocoa Research Institute

MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

Execution of Programs for Governments and Agencies

Latin American Governments

Argentina	(Graduate School)
Brasil	(Ceplac; Priority Area Studies)
Chile	(Area Maipú)
Ecuador	(CIERA)
Paraguay	(Area Yaguarón)
Perú	(CENRA)
Venezuela	(Yaracuy)

Multinational Science and Technology Program (OAS)

GEOGRAPHIC AND PROGRAM

ARTICULATION

	Executive Offices		
ANDEAN ZONE	RESEARCH	EDUCATION	Rural Development and Agrarian Reform
NORTHERN ZONE	RESEARCH	EDUCATION	Rural Development and Agrarian Reform
SOUTHERN ZONE	RESEARCH	EDUCATION	Rural Development and Agrarian Reform
SUPPORTING CENTERS			

← Geographic Articulation →

← Program Articulation →
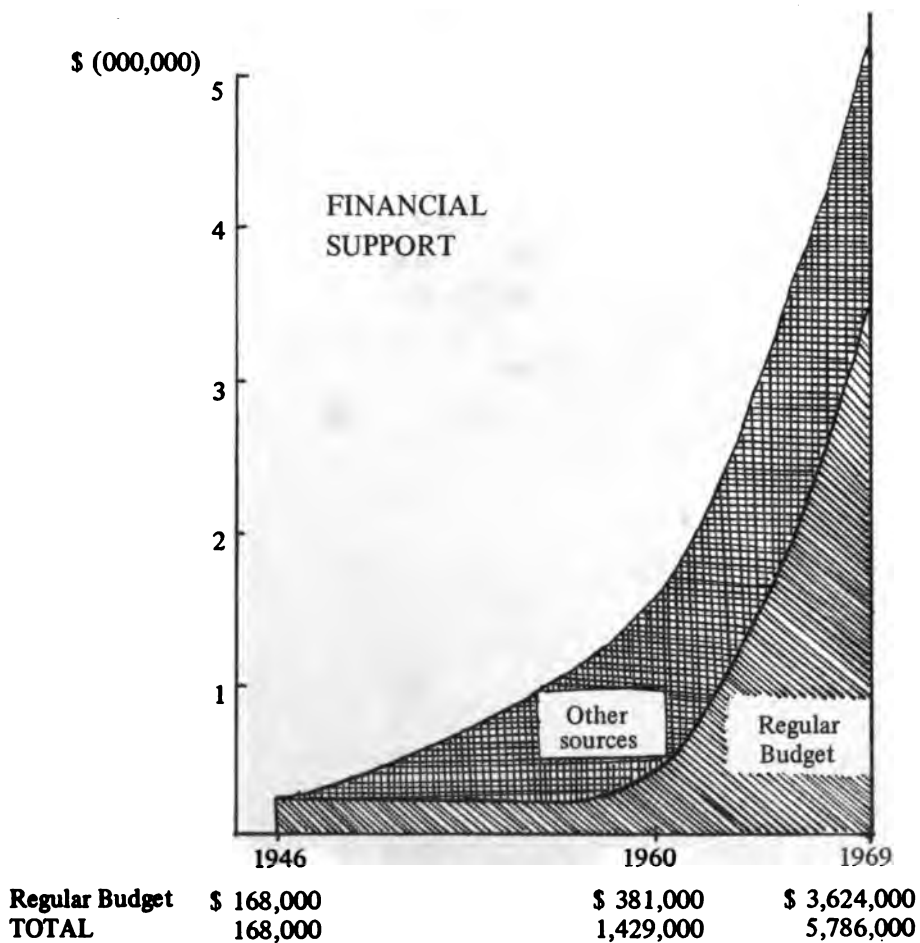
SUPPORTING CENTERS

CEI (Turrialba)
CIRA (Bogotá)

- **Prepare Professionals in Critical Subject Matter Areas**

- **Investigate Priority Problems**

- **Participate in Programs of National Institutions**

- **Serve as Unifying Force Providing Technical Articulation of IICA's Programs**

- **Contribute to the Formulation of the Policy and Strategy of Institutional Development**

SOME INDICATIONS
OF EVOLUTION

	1946	1960	1969
Regular Budget	$ 168,000	$ 381,000	$ 3,624,000
TOTAL	168,000	1,429,000	5,786,000

SOME INDICATIONS
OF EVOLUTION

Number
of
Member
Countries

1946   8

1960   16

1969   21

Number of
Countries
where IICA
Staff are
located

1946   1

1960   4

1969   15
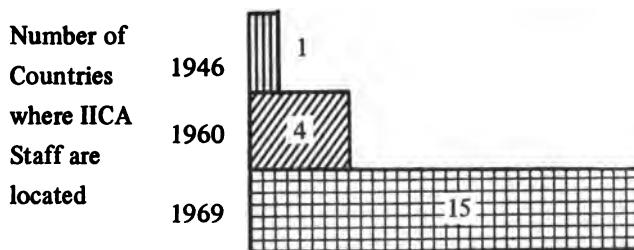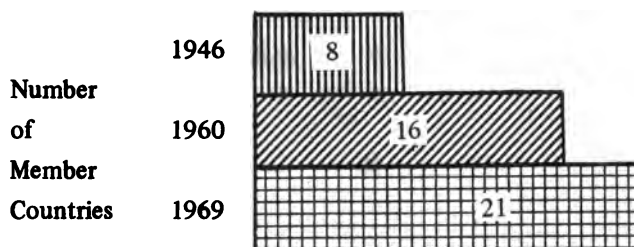
I I C A's E V O L U T I O N

1942   Turrialba
   Own Research and Education

1960   the New Dimension
   Institutional Development

   April, 1967   Declaration Presidents of America
   April, 1969   Declaration of Quito
   1969 or 70   6th Interamerican Agricultural Conference

1970?   the Third Dimension ?
   Agricultural Development

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