

Enabling the AI Revolution

AI is revolutionizing economies globally.
How can Canada and Chile **work together**
to best take advantage of that?



AI's Economic Potential

The AI revolution is well underway and is leveraged in a multitude of scenarios

AI applications offer SMEs growth potential through:

- More efficient supply chains
- Automated customer support
- Highly personalized e-commerce
- Targeted customer access globally



By 2030, AI
will boost
global GDP
by 14%

That's \$16
trillion USD

Canada's AI Strengths

- Toronto region: **world's highest concentration of AI start-ups**
- Montreal: **world's highest concentration of AI researchers**
- Canada's AI leadership: supported by **\$182B USD (ICT) sector**
- Federal policies: use **fast tracking, post-graduate work permits** and **citizenship opportunities** to attract AI talent to Canada



Chile's AI Strengths

- Chile's national **Digital Transformation Strategy** promotes digitization of government services
- **Start-Up Chile** (government-back tech accelerator) has created huge start-up community
- Regulations emphasize **human-rights centred approach to AI**
- Drafting of **Chile's National AI Strategy** received input from over 1,700 people across multiple sectors



Looking Ahead: Future Collaboration

- Chile and Canada share a commitment to **growth with responsible governance**
- Chile, New Zealand and Singapore struck up **Digital Economic Partnership Agreement (DEPA)** in 2020
 - World's first digital-only trade agreement
 - Canada is actively exploring joining DEPA
- Certain shared sectors, such as **mining**, provide opportunities for Canadian-Chilean collaboration
 - In mining, AI can increase productivity, reduce emissions, and increase safety



Looking Ahead: APEC Report & Recommendations

APEC's new report, ***"Artificial Intelligence in APEC: Progress, Preparedness and Priorities,"*** examines the role of AI in APEC member countries, including Canada and Chile

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Three main recommendations:

1. Create an enabling regional AI ecosystem
2. Leverage the role of diverse regional AI leaders
3. Build trustworthy AI

