

## Session 4:

## Story of Zaragosa: The Importance of Environmental Impact Assessments

## **Session Objectives:**

- Illustrate the need to systematically assess potential environmental impacts prior to implementation for every project that is funded by USAID—regardless of sector;
- Illustrate how best development practices should be applied to <u>environmental</u> aspects of design and implementation of development projects as a way of improving their outcomes.