

MARSHALL ISLANDS / UNESCO COOPERATION
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1. **Membership in UNESCO:** since 30 June 1995
2. **Membership on the Executive Board:** No
3. **Membership on Intergovernmental Committees, Commissions, etc.:**
4. **The Director-General's visits to Marshall Islands:** No
5. **UNESCO Office in Marshall Islands:** None.
Covered by Apia Cluster Office. Established in 1983
 - **Member States serviced:** Australia, Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, New Zealand, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu and Tokelau.
 - **Director:** Mr Etienne Clement
6. **National Commission for UNESCO:**
 - Established: March 1997
 - Chairperson: Hon. Dr. Hilda C. Heine (since February 2012)
 - Secretary-General: Mr Gary Ueno (since February 2012)
 - UNESCO Officer: Mr Catalino Kijiner (since January 2014)
7. **Personalities linked to UNESCO's activities:** None
8. **UNESCO Chairs:** None
9. **Associated Schools:** 7 (5 primary schools, 2 secondary). Marshall Islands joined the ASP Network in 1998.
10. **Category 2 Institutes and Centers:** None
11. **World Heritage sites:**
Cultural
 - Bikini Atoll Nuclear Test Site (2010)
12. **Tentative list:** 3
 - Northern Marshall Islands Atolls (2005)
 - Likiep Village Historic District (2005)
 - Mili Atoll Nature Conservancy (and Nadrikdrik) (2005)
13. **Intangible Heritage List:** None
14. **Biosphere Reserves:** None
15. **Memory of the World Register:** None
16. **Creative cities network:** no appointment
17. **Legal Instruments:** 4 ratified and 35 non-ratified
18. **Anniversaries with which UNESCO is associated in 2014-2015:** None

19. Participation Programme:

- 2014-2015: Marshall Islands has not submitted PP requests
- 2012-2013: 6 projects submitted
- 2010-2011: 5 projects approved for a total amount of US\$ 121,000.

20. Fellowships: No fellowships awarded since 2010

21. Voluntary contributions to UNESCO:

Voluntary Contributions to UNESCO Extra-Budgetary Activities and Institutes			
(Expressed in US Dollars)			
COUNTRY	Jan-Jun 2015	2014	2013
MARSHALL ISLANDS	0	0	0

22. Payment of assessed membership fees for 2014-2015:

(Assessment rate: 0.001%; contributions assessed for 2014-2015: US\$ 6,530)

23. Representation within the Secretariat : non-represented (min.2 - max.4)