

KEY FACTS AND FIGURES ON KIRIBATI / UNESCO COOPERATION

1. **Membership in UNESCO:** since 24 October 1989
2. **Membership on the Executive Board:** None
3. **Membership on Intergovernmental Committees, Commissions, etc.:**
 - Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission (IOC).
4. **The Director-General's visits to Kiribati:** None
5. **Permanent Delegation to UNESCO:** None
6. **UNESCO Office in Kiribati:** 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
7. **National Commission for UNESCO:**
 - Established: February 1997
 - Chairperson: Hon Mrs Maere Tekanene (since February 2012)
 - Secretary-General: Ms Tererei Abete-Reema (since January 2014)
8. **Personalities linked to UNESCO's activities:** None
9. **UNESCO Chairs:** None
10. **Associated Schools:** 10 (primary schools). Kiribati joined the ASP Network in 1998.
11. **Category 2 Institutes and Centers:** None
12. **World Heritage sites:**
Natural
 - Phoenix Islands Protected Area (2010)
13. **Tentative list:** None
14. **Intangible Heritage List:** None
15. **Biosphere Reserves:** None
16. **Memory of the World Register:** None
17. **Creative cities network:** no appointment
18. **Legal Instruments:** 3 ratified and 36 non-ratified
19. **Anniversaries with which UNESCO is associated in 2014-2015:** None
20. **Participation Programme:**
Since 2002-2003 Kiribati has not submitted PP requests.

21. **Fellowships:** 3 fellowships awarded since 2010, for a total amount of US\$ 31,000

22. **Voluntary contributions to UNESCO:**

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

23. **Payment of assessed membership fees for 2014-2015:**

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

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