

<b>KEY FACTS AND FIGURES ON TIMOR-LESTE / UNESCO COOPERATION</b>
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1. **Membership in UNESCO:** since 5 June 2003
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 Timor-Leste:**
  - 15-16 August 2012: official visit
5. **Permanent Delegation to UNESCO:**
  - H. E. Mr Antonio de Araujo, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Delegate (designate)
  - Previous Permanent Delegate: H.E. Mr José Barreto Martins
6. **UNESCO Office in Timor-Leste:** None  
 Indonesia is covered by the UNESCO Office in Jakarta  
**Director:** Mr Shabaz Khan (Australia). (since 28 August 2015)  
 In 2004 a UNESCO Antenna Office was set up in Dili under the direct supervision of the UNESCO Jakarta Cluster Office. The Antenna Office aims to support the Government's effort in capacity-building and in elaborating long-term strategies in the priority areas of education, sciences, culture and communication/information. The UNESCO Antenna Office in Dili works closely together with the Timor-Leste National Commission for UNESCO in implementing UNESCO programmes and projects to achieve an inclusive, equitable, fair, balanced, green and sustainable development path for Timor-Leste.
7. **National Commission for UNESCO:**
  - Established: 23 April 2009
  - Chairperson: Mr. Bendito dos Santos Freitas (since March 2014)
  - Secretary-General: Ms Angelita Sarmiento (since March 2014)
8. **Personalities linked to UNESCO's activities:** None
9. **UNESCO Chairs:** None
10. **Associated Schools:** None
11. **Category 2 Institutes and Centers:** None
12. **World Heritage sites:** None
13. **Tentative list:** None
14. **Intangible Heritage List:** None
15. **Biosphere Reserves:** None
16. **Memory of the World Register:** 1
  - On the Birth of a Nation: Turning points (2013)

17. **Creative cities network:** no appointment
18. **Legal Instruments:** 0 ratified and 39 non-ratified
19. **Anniversaries with which UNESCO is associated in 2014-2015:** None
20. **Participation Programme:**
- 2014-2015: 5 projects approved for a total amount of US\$ 104,540
  - 2012-2013: 6 projects approved for a total amount of US\$ 119,000
  - 2010-2011: 7 projects approved for a total amount of US\$ 156,400
21. **Fellowships:** 1 fellowships awarded since 2010, for a total amount of US\$ 9103.
22. **Voluntary contributions to UNESCO :**

<b>Voluntary Contributions to UNESCO Extra-Budgetary Activities and Institutes</b>			
<b>( Expressed in US Dollars )</b>			
<b>COUNTRY</b>	<b>Jan-Jun 2015</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>TIMOR-LESTE</b>	0	0	0

23. **Payment of assessed membership fees for 2014-2015:**  
(Assessment rate: 0.002%; contributions assessed for 2014-2015: US\$ 13,060)
24. **Representation within the Secretariat : non-represented** (min.2 - max.4)