## KEY FACTS AND FIGURES ON MICRONESIA / UNESCO COOPERATION OFFICIAL NAME: FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

- 1. **Membership in UNESCO:** 19 October 1999
- 2. Membership on the Executive Board: Never been a Member
- 3. Membership of Intergovernmental Committees, Commissions, etc.: none
- 4. The Director-General's Visits to Micronesia: none
- 5. **Permanent Delegation to UNESCO:** none
- 6. UNESCO Cluster Office in Apia:
  - Date of establishment: 1983
  - Member States served: Today, the Office operates as a Cluster Office in charge of 16 countries plus 1 associate member: Australia, the Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, the Marshall Islands, Micronesia (the Federated States of), Nauru, New Zealand, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, the Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu and Tokelau (Associate Member)
  - Director: Mr Etienne Clement (since 01/112013 D-1, Belgium)
- 7. National Commission of Micronesia for UNESCO:
  - Date of establishment: 2001
  - Chairperson: Mr Wayne Mendiola (since January 2014)
  - Secretary-General: Mr Augustine Kohler (since January 2014)
- 8. Personalities linked to UNESCO activities: none
- 9. UNESCO Chairs & UNITWIN Networks: none
- **10. Associated Schools:** 3 (2 Primary Schools, 1 Secondary). Micronesia joined the ASP Network in 2001.
- 11. Category 2 Institutes and Centres: none
- 12. World Heritage Sites: none
  - Note: The Federated States of Micronesia joined the World Heritage Convention in 2002 but has no sites inscribed on the WH List.
- **13.** Tentative List: 2
  - Yapese Disk Money Regional Sites (2004)
  - Ceremonial Centres of the Early Micronesian States: Nan Madol and Lelu (2012)
- 14. Intangible Heritage List: none
- 15. Biosphere Reserves: 2
  - Utwe Biospere Reserve (2005)
  - And Atoll (2007)
- **16. Memory of the World Register:** no entry

- 17. Creative Cities Network: none
- **18.** Legal instruments: 3 ratified and 36 non-ratified
- 19. Anniversaries with which UNESCO is associated in 2014-2015: none
- 20. Participation Programme:
  - Since 2008-2009 Micronesia has not submitted PP requests.
- **21. Fellowships:** no fellowship awarded since 2010.
- 22. Voluntary contributions to UNESCO:

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

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

(Assessed rate: 0.001%; Arrears as at 31.12.13 US\$16,900; contributions assessed for 2014-2015: US\$ 6,530)

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