

## WHV - Young Explores Zambia

Kalambo falls archaeological site (prehistoric settlement site) / Dag Hammarskjöld Memorial (Crash site) / Mwela Rock Paintings, Zambia

Sites inscribed on a tentative list since  
1997 / 1997 / 2009

06/07/2018 – 20/07/2018



The site Kalambo is exposed a stone age sequence extending from the early stone age through to the iron age, most of it stratified in living floors.

The Memorial marks the site of the plane crash in which Dag the second and the then United Nation Secretary General (1953-1961) was killed in 1961 while on a peace building mission.

The intrinsic values of Mwela rocks stem from the way the cultural beliefs of people over many millennia have been inspired and influenced.

### Project objectives:

The project aims at raising awareness and educating the volunteers and local communities on the preservation and conservation of the three heritage sites.

### Project activities:

Through the study tours on the three sites, the volunteers will learn about cultural values and conservation methods used. Together with local communities, and under the supervision of the site management authorities, they will clean-up, rehabilitate the pathways and document the site through stories and pictures. The particular knowledge and experiences will enable them to produce relevant promotional materials, advocating for their heritage through different media (TV, radio, social media) to further raise awareness of the importance of the preservation and conservation of sites.

### Partners:

Ministry of Tourism, National Heritage and Conservation Commission, Zambia National Commission for UNESCO, Zambia Tourism Agency, local universities



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