

WHV - Angkor

Angkor, Cambodia

Cultural property inscribed on the World Heritage List since 1992

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Angkor, in Cambodia's northern province of Siem Reap, is one of the most important archaeological sites of Southeast Asia. Temples such as Angkor Wat, the Bayon, Preah Khan and Ta Prohm, exemplars of Khmer architecture, are closely linked to their geographical context as well as being imbued with symbolic significance. The park is inhabited, and many villages, some of whom the ancestors are dating back to the Angkor period are scattered throughout the park.

Project objectives:

Implemented for the third time, the project aims at involving the local community and national and international volunteers in activities that promote awareness to preserve the heritage monuments at the World Heritage site. It will also provide an opportunity for intercultural learning to the local youth through World Heritage education and exchanges.

Project activities:

The volunteers will participate in the preservation and conservation of the site through simple manual and technical activities. They will film and edit a video focusing on a specific issue faced by the site, and will continue implementing the campaign to promote the visitors' Code of Conduct and encourage sensitive and sustainable tourist behaviors.

Partners:

Authority for the Protection of the Site and Management of the Region of Angkor (APSARA).

Union of Youth Federations of Cambodia (UYFC) and Korea Angkor Cultural Heritage Institute

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