

United National Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)

UNESCO strives to build networks among nations that enable [humanity's moral and intellectual] solidarity, by:

- Mobilizing for education
- Building intercultural understanding
- Pursuing scientific cooperation
- Protecting freedom of expression

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“UNESCO - the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) was founded on 16 November 1945. For this specialized United Nations agency, it is not enough to build classrooms in devastated countries or to publish scientific breakthroughs. Education, Social and Natural Science, Culture and Communication are the means to a far more ambitious goal: to build peace in the minds of men.”

“In short, UNESCO promotes international co-operation among its 190* Member States and six Associate Members in the fields of education, science, culture and communication.

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