

**Inputs to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Public Draft of the 10 Year Framework of Programmes**

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<b>3. Sectoral Opportunities</b>					
<b>Priority Areas for the framework</b>	<b>Existing<sup>1</sup> Activities</b>	<b>Gaps<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Proposed Programmes<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Means of implementation</b>	<b>Actors</b>
3.D. Sustainable Tourism	<p>Promote information management and documentation support</p> <p>Production of publications and the establishment of networking systems in tourism.</p> <p>Increase strategic capacity in the areas of tourism education and knowledge management</p> <p>Implement best practices and technologies for reduction of negative environmental impacts resulting from coastal tourism</p>		<p>Update international standards and design new compilation guidance.</p> <p>Undertake research and develop manuals on sustainable development of tourism.</p> <p>Collect and disseminate best practices on tourism governance and PPPs and promote their adoption by Members</p> <p>Coordinate and follow up the production of UNWTO publications in various languages and further development of the UNWTO-e-library</p> <p>Provide training to national and local officials and other tourism stakeholders on: a) sustainable tourism policies and tools and b) their application to specific destinations and types of tourism resources: coastal areas, cities, heritage sites, natural parks, rural areas, SIDS, intangible heritage, etc.</p> <p>Reinforce the UNWTO network of centres specialized in knowledge resources and quality</p>		Global Environmental Facility, UNEP, UNIDO.

	<p>Good environmental practices, sustainable siting, design and construction.</p> <p>Support to international policy processes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Marrakesh Task Force on Sustainable Tourism</li> <li>• The Tourism Sustainability Group – EC</li> <li>• Global Sustainable Tourism Criteria</li> <li>• Sustainable Tourism Stewardship Council</li> <li>• UN Commission on Sustainable Development</li> </ul> <p>Leading the “Davos process” on “Climate Change and Tourism. Comprehensive report and several publications issued on this topic.</p> <p>Advice on sustainable tourism policy issues to Member States and partner organizations.</p> <p>Provide guidance on regulatory and voluntary instruments for sustainability in tourism (certification schemes, labels, awards, etc.)</p>		<p>education and training</p> <p>Sustainable Coastal Tourism Project in Africa.</p> <p>Tour Operators` Initiative</p> <p>Pilot adaptation projects at SIDS - GEF (Fiji, Maldives,)</p>		<p>UNEP, UN Foundation, UNESCO, RA, ITF-SDT, ISEAL-Alliance, TOI, IUCN</p>
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	<p>Support to Member States and partner organizations for the application of indicators of sustainability in tourism.</p> <p>Excellence in Energy for the Tourism Industry (EETI) project in Europe :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Survey of energy use and energy management in the hotel sector.</li> <li>• Development of user-friendly tools for benchmarking and capacity building for energy efficiency in the hotel sector.</li> <li>• Improve access to suitable energy efficient and renewable energy technologies in the hotel sector</li> </ul>				<p>EACI, UNEP, IH&amp;RA, EREC, French Environmental and Energy Management Agency.</p>
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