

## UNESCO AND CURAÇAO: KEY FACTS AND FIGURES

1. **Membership in UNESCO:** associated membership since 25 October 2011.
2. **Membership on the Executive Board:** no
3. **Current Membership on Intergovernmental Councils/Committees and Commissions:** none
4. **DG's visit to Curaçao:** none to date
5. **Former Director Generals' visit to Curaçao:** none
6. **Permanent Delegation to UNESCO:** none
7. **UNESCO Office:** Curaçao is covered by the UNESCO Cluster Office in Kingston Office (Jamaica). Ms Katherine Grisby (Nicaragua, D-1) has been the Director of this office since August 1, 2015.
8. **The Curaçao National Commission for UNESCO:** located within the Ministry of Education
  - Chairperson: The Hon. Marilyn M. Alcalá-Wallé, Minister of Education, Science, Culture and Sport (since June 2017)
  - Secretary General: Ms Marva C. Browne
9. **Personalities linked to UNESCO's activities:** none
10. **UNESCO Chairs:** 2
  - 2016: UNESCO Chair in Water Technology, the University of Curaçao Dr Moises da Costa Gomez
  - 2010: UNESCO Chair on Caribbean Smalls Island Development, the University of Curaçao Dr Moises da Costa Gomez
11. **Associated Schools:** 1
  - 1 primary and secondary school: Kolegio Don Sarto
12. **Category 2 Institutes and Centres:** none
13. **UNESCO Clubs:** none
14. **Biosphere Reserves:** none
15. **UNESCO Global Geoparks:** none
16. **World Heritage Sites:** 1
  - 1997: Historic Area of Willemstad, Inner City and Harbour, Curaçao (a cultural site registered under Netherlands)
17. **Tentative List:** 1

- 2011: Plantations in West Curaçao (submitted by the Netherlands on 17/08/2011)
- 18. Intangible Cultural Heritage List:** none
- 19. Memory of the World Register:** 1
- 2011: Archive Middelburgsche Commercie Compagnie (MCC)
- 20. Creative Cities Network:** none
- 21. UNESCO's standard-setting instruments:** N/A
- 22. Anniversaries with which UNESCO was associated in 2018-2019:** none
- 23. Participation Programme:**
- 2018-2019: four requests were approved for a total amount of US\$75,000
  - 2016-2017: four requests were approved for a total amount of US\$76,000
- 24. Fellowships:**
- Since 2010, no fellowship has been awarded to Curaçao.
- 25. NGOs in official partnership with UNESCO:** none
- 26. IGOs in official relations with UNESCO:** none
- 27. Payment of assessed membership fees for 2019 :**
- Assessment rate: 0.0006 %
  - Last payment: 11 April 2018
- 28. Staff members' status:** there is no staff member in the Secretariat from Curaçao.