KEY FACTS AND FIGURES ON DENMARK / UNESCO COOPERATION

1. **Membership in UNESCO:** founding member (4 November 1946)

2. **Membership on the Executive Board:** not currently (previous term of membership: 2009-2013)

3. **Membership on Intergovernmental Committees, Commissions, etc.:**
   - Intergovernmental Committee for Physical Education and Sport (term expires in 2017)
   - Intergovernmental Council of the International Programme for the Development of Communication (term expires in 2017)
   - Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission

4. **The Director-General’s visits to Denmark:** 2
   - 7-8 November 2011: on the occasion of the Pledging Conference of the Global Partnership for Education (ex Fast Track Initiative) in Copenhagen
   - 14-17 December 2009: on the occasion of the COP 15 United Nations Climate Change Conference Copenhagen

5. **The former Director-General’s visits to Denmark:** 2
   - 20-21 October 2008: official visit
   - 31 May-2 June 2004: official visit

6. **Permanent Delegation to UNESCO:**
   - H.E. Mr Klavs Arnoldi Holm, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Permanent Representative to the OECD, Permanent Delegate to UNESCO (since 4 September 2013)
   - Former Permanent Delegates: H.E. Mr Poul Erik Dam Kristensen (July 2009 – August 2013), H.E. Mr Ulrik Vestergaard Knudsen (July 2008 – July 2009), H.E. Mr Steffen Smidt (January 2006 – May 2008), H.E. Mr Peter Brückner (September 2001 – December 2005)

7. **UNESCO Office:** Since 1995, the Department of Biology of Copenhagen University has hosted a decentralized Programme Office of the IOC (3 staff).

8. **Danish National Commission for UNESCO:**
   - Date of establishment: July 1947.
   - Chairperson: Mr Bo Manderup Jensen (since September 2016).
   - Secretary-General: Mr Jens Dalsgaard (since February 2014).

9. **Danish personalities linked to UNESCO’s activities:**
   - Ms Christine Bosse, Member of the UN Secretary-General’s MDG Advocacy Group (appointed in 2014).

10. **UNESCO Chairs:** 1
    - UNESCO Chair in Problem-Based Learning in Engineering Education, established at the Aalborg University (2007)

11. **Associated Schools:** 43 (3 primary, 17 primary and secondary, 21 secondary, 1 teacher training and 1 vocational and technical). Denmark joined the ASPnet in 1957 and is particularly active in the network.

12. **Category 2 Institutes and Centres:** 1
    - Aalborg Centre for Problem-Based Learning in Engineering Science and Sustainability, Aalborg, Denmark

13. **UNESCO Clubs:** none
14. **Biosphere Reserves:** 2
   - North-East Greenland (1977)
   - Moen-Southern Baltic Sea (2017)

15. **Global Geoparks Network:** 1
    - Odsherred Global Geopark

16. **World Heritage Sites:** 8
   - **Cultural**
     - Christiansfeld, a Moravian Church Settlement (2015)
     - The Par Force Hunting Landscape in North Zealand (2015)
     - Kronborg Castle (2000)
     - Roskilde Cathedral (1995)
     - Jelling Mounds, Runic Stones and Church (1994)
   - **Natural**
     - Stevns Klint (2014)
     - Wadden Sea (2009)
     - Ilulissat Icefjord (2004)

17. **Tentative List:** 7 properties
    - Viking Monuments and Sites / Jelling mounds, runic stones, palisade area and church (2011)
    - Viking Monuments and Sites / the Trelleborg fortresses, Denmark (2011)
    - The Trelleborg fortresses (2010)
    - Moler landscapes of the Liim Fiord (2010)
    - Aasivissuit, Arnangarnup Qoorua (Greenlandic inland and coastal hunting area) (2003)
    - Church ruin at Hvalsø, episcopal residence at Gardar, and Brattahlid (A Norse/Eskimo cultural landscape) (2003)
    - Amalienborg and its district (1993)

18. **Intangible Heritage Lists:** no elements

19. **Memory of the World Register:** 8 inscriptions
    - The Arnamagnæan Manuscript Collection (2009), jointly with Iceland
    - Sound Toll Registers (2007)
    - Manuscripts and correspondence of Hans Christian Andersen (1997)
    - The Linné Collection (1997)
    - The Søren Kierkegaard Archives (1997)
    - Archives of the Danish overseas trading companies (1997)

20. **UNESCO Creative Cities:** none

21. **Legal instruments:** 28 ratified and 12 non-ratified
    - Convention for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage: approval (30 October 2009)
    - International Convention against Doping in Sport: ratified (15 December 2005)
    - Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage: non-ratified

22. **Anniversaries with which UNESCO is associated in 2016-2017:** No proposals

23. **Participation Programme:**
    - 2014-2015: no projects submitted
    - 2012-2013: no projects submitted
2010-2011: 1 request approved for US$ 35,000 (“Youth Promoting Peace-Building through Peaceful Conflict Resolution in the Horn of Africa”)
2008-2009: 1 request approved for US$ 30,000 (“Crossing Borders - Promoting Peace in the Horn of Africa”)
2006-2007: 3 requests approved for a total amount of US$ 30,000

24. **Fellowships:** between 2010 and 2016, 1 Fellowship awarded for a total of $20,000.

25. **NGOs in Official Partnership with UNESCO:**
    - **Official partnership - consultative status:** 3
      - Foundation For Environmental Education (FEE) 2010
      - International Alliance Of Women (IAW) 1961
      - International Federation For Housing And Planning (IFHP) 1962

26. **Payment of assessed membership fees for 2016-2017:** fully paid
    - Assessment rate for 2016-2017: 0.584%;
    - Contributions assessed for 2016-2017: US$ 3,813,520

27. **Voluntary contributions** (equivalent in US$):

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28. **Representation within the Secretariat:** over-represented
    - 8 professional staff in geographical posts (min. 3, max. 6)
    - 2 professional staff in non-geographical posts