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**List of institutes and centres under the auspices of UNESCO (category 2)<sup>1</sup>  
and indication of “parent” sector**

**MP I – Education**

1. International Research and Training Centre for Rural Education (INRULED), Baoding, China
2. Asia-Pacific Centre of Education for International Understanding (APCEIU), Seoul, Republic of Korea
3. Guidance, Counselling and Youth Development Centre for Africa (GCYDCA), Lilongwe, Malawi
4. Regional Centre for Educational Planning (RCEP), Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
5. International Centre for Girls' and Women's Education in Africa (CIEFFA), Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso
6. South-East Asian Centre for Lifelong Learning for Sustainable Development (SEA-CLLSD), Philippines
7. Regional Centre for Early Childhood Care and Education in the Arab States, Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic

**MP II – Natural sciences**

8. International Research and Training Centre on Erosion and Sedimentation (IRTCES), Beijing, China
9. Regional Humid Tropics Hydrology and Water Resources Centre for South-East Asia and the Pacific, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
10. Regional Centre on Urban Water Management (RCUWM), Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran

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<sup>1</sup> This list includes all institutes and centres under the auspices of UNESCO (category 2) that have been approved by UNESCO's General Conference (or in some cases the Executive Board)

11. International Centre for Pure and Applied Mathematics (ICPAM), Nice, France
12. Regional Centre for Training and Water Studies of Arid and Semi-arid Zones (RCTWS), 6<sup>th</sup> of October City, Egypt
13. International Centre on Qanats and Historic Hydraulic Structures (ICQHHS), Yazd, Islamic Republic of Iran
14. Latin American Physics Centre (CLAF), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
15. Regional Centre for Biotechnology Training and Education, Faridabad, India
16. International Centre for Water Hazard and Risk Management (ICHARM), Tsukuba, Japan
17. Regional Water Centre for Arid and Semi-arid Zones of Latin America and the Caribbean (CAZALAC), La Serena, Chile
18. European Regional Centre for Ecohydrology, Łódź, Poland
19. International IHP-HELP Centre for Water Law, Policy and Science, University of Dundee, Scotland, United Kingdom
20. International Research and Training Centre on Urban Drainage (IRTCUD), Belgrade, Serbia
21. Regional Centre on Urban Water Management for Latin America and the Caribbean (CINARA), Cali, Colombia
22. Regional Centre for Shared Aquifer Resources Management, Tripoli, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
23. International Groundwater Resources Assessment Centre (IGRAC), Utrecht, Netherlands
24. International Centre of Water for Food Security, Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga, Australia
25. Regional Centre for Water Management Research in Arid Zones, Pakistan
26. International Centre for South-South Cooperation in Science, Technology and Innovation, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
27. International Centre on Hydroinformatics for Integrated Water Resources Management, Parque Tecnológico Itaipú Binacional, Paraguay and Brazil
28. International Sustainable Energy Development Centre, Moscow, Russian Federation
29. International Research Centre on Karst, Guilin, China

30. International Institute for a Partnership for Environmental Development (IPED), Trieste, Italy
31. International Centre on Space Technologies for Cultural and Natural Heritage in Beijing, China
32. Centre for the Sustainable Management of Water Resources in the Caribbean Island States, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
33. International Training and Education Centre in Proteomics, Functional Genomics and Bioinformatics (BIOmics), Rehovot, Israel
34. International Centre on Water Resources and Global Change, Federal Republic of Germany
35. International Centre on Coastal Ecohydrology, Portugal
36. International Centre for Education, Capacity Building and Applied Research in Water, Frutal, Minas Gerais, Federative Republic of Brazil
37. International Centre for Integrated Water Resources Management (ICIWaRM) hosted by the Institute for Water Resources (IWR) of the United States Army Corps of Engineers, Alexandria, Virginia
38. Asia-Pacific Centre for Ecohydrology (APCE), Cibinong, Indonesia
39. Regional Centre for Science Park and Technology Incubator Development in Isfahan, Islamic Republic of Iran

### **MP III – Social and Human Sciences**

40. International Centre for Human Sciences (ICHHS), Byblos, Lebanon
41. Observatory on Women, Sport and Physical Education, Greece
42. International Children's Centre (ARTEK), Ukraine
43. International Centre for the advancement of Human Rights, Buenos, Aires, Argentina
44. West Africa Institute for International Research on Regional Integration and Social Transformations, Praia, Cape Verde

### **MP IV – Culture**

45. International Institute for Central Asian Studies (IICAS), Samarkand, Uzbekistan
46. International Institute for the Study of Nomadic Civilizations (IISNC), Ulan Bator, Mongolia
47. Nordic World Heritage Foundation (NWHF), Oslo, Norway

48. Regional Centre for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of Latin America (CRESPIAL), Cuzco, Peru
49. Regional Centre for Book Development in Latin America and the Caribbean (CERLALC) Bogotá, Colombia
50. Regional Centre for Underwater Archaeology, Zadar, Croatia
51. World Heritage Training and Research Institute for the Asia and the Pacific Region, China
52. Institute for African culture and International Understanding Abeokuta, Ogun State, Nigeria
53. Centre for Black Culture and International Understanding (CBCIU) in Osogbo, Osun State, Nigeria
54. International Training Centre for Intangible Cultural Heritage in the Asia and the Pacific Region, China
55. International Information and Networking Centre for Intangible Cultural Heritage in the Asia-Pacific Region, Republic of Korea
56. International Research Centre for Intangible Cultural Heritage in the Asia-Pacific Region, Japan
57. Arab Regional Centre for World Heritage (ARC-WH), Bahrain
58. Regional Heritage Management Training Centre, Brazil
59. Moscow Regional Museum Centre, Moscow, Russian Federation
60. African World Heritage Fund (AWHF), South Africa
61. Regional Research centre for Safeguarding Intangible Cultural Heritage in West and Central Asia, Tehran, Islamic Republic of Iran
62. Regional Centre for the Safeguarding of Intangible Cultural Heritage, Sofia, Bulgaria
63. Regional World Heritage Institute, Zacatecas, Mexico
64. Regional Centre for the Living Arts in Africa, Bobo-Dioulasso, Burkina Faso

**MP V – Communication and information**

65. ISSN International Centre for the Registration of Serial Publications (ISSN), Paris, France
66. Regional Centre for the Information and Communication Technology, Manama, Bahrain