

GLOBAL KNOWLEDGE PLATFORMS FOR ISLANDS

Islands are not only at the forefront of climate change but also knowledge sharing...
Get online and get connected at the following global-level island knowledge platforms.

	<p>Global Island Database brings together existing sources of data and information relevant to island systems. It presents new analyses to aid resource managers and decision-making at the island, national, regional, and global level.</p>	<p>Web site: http://gid.unep-wcmc.org</p>
	<p>Global Island Partnership promotes action for island conservation and sustainable livelihoods by inspiring leadership, catalyzing commitments and facilitating collaboration among all islands. Participation is open and voluntary and available to any government, agency or organization that shares its mission.</p>	<p>Web site: www.glispa.org Email Group: glispa-discuss@googlegroups.com Contact: info@glispa.org</p>
	<p>SIDSnet is a global platform to coordinate and facilitate the activities related to the sustainable development of Small Island Developing States (SIDS) by tracking relevant international meetings and inter-governmental processes, contributing to filling gaps in data availability and facilitating partnerships across the thematic areas of the Barbados Programme of Action.</p>	<p>Web site: http://www.sidsnet.org Contact: info@sidsnet.org</p>
	<p>SIDS Policy & Practice is a knowledgebase on SIDS' sustainable development SIDS which: Tracks and reports from international meetings and inter-governmental processes related to SIDS; and provides a community announcement list for policy makers and practitioners involved in SIDS. SIDS Policy and Practice serves as the news, events and reporting service for SIDSnet.</p>	<p>Web site: http://sids-liisd.org Email Group: sids-l@lists.iisd.ca Contact: faye@iisd.org</p>
<p>Islands Communications Toolkit</p>	<p>Islands Communications Toolkit demonstrates how communications strategies can be used to stimulate behavior change, inspire leadership or create global awareness of climate change, conservation and sustainable development issues using examples from islands for islands.</p>	<p>Web site: www.commstoolkit.com Email Group: islands-comms@googlegroups.com Contact: info@glispa.org</p>
	<p>University Consortium of Small Island States enhances the capacity of graduate education institutions in small island states by facilitating the development of the institutional and systemic capacity needed to implement the Barbados Programme of Action.</p>	<p>Web site: http://www.myucsis.com Contact: ucsis@uwimona.edu.jm</p>

