

WHITRAP Shanghai is launching a Call for Good Practices as part of HeritAP initiative on **World Heritage Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals**. The Call for Good Practices seeks to collect examples of good practices undertaken by heritage practitioners to streamline sustainable development into heritage conservation and management.

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World Heritage Contribution to
Sustainable Development Goals



Background

World Heritage Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals is a six-year initiative set up by WHITRAP Shanghai, aiming to facilitate the understanding of **the 2015 Policy document for the Integration of a Sustainable Development Perspective into the Processes of the World Heritage Convention** and create appropriate tools for site managers to streamline recommendations for their effective use of heritage as a driver for sustainable development. Ultimately, HeritAP would launch the report on World Heritage Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals, *Streamlining Sustainable Development into Heritage Conservation and Management: A Roadmap for Practitioners*.

In addition, the UNESCO Thematic Indicators for Culture (Culture| 2030 Indicators) set four transversal thematic dimensions to measure and monitor the progress of culture's enabling contribution to the SDGs: Environment & Resilience; Prosperity & Livelihoods; Knowledge & Skills; Inclusion & Participation. HeritAP will annually call for good practices around one dimension from 2024 to 2027. Applicants are welcome to apply for one or multiple thematic dimensions and submit the process and outcomes of the practice according to following process.

For more information, please refer to 2023 HeritAP Annual Meeting: heritap.whitr-ap.org

Eligibility for participation

The Call for Good Practices is open to heritage practitioners and other actors directly involved with the conservation and management of World Heritage properties, either already inscribed or on the tentative list.

Benefits of participation

Selected good practices will gain:

•Recognition of heritage conservation and management

Selected good practices will be included in WHITRAP's submission to UNESCO's *World Heritage Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals report*.

•Localization strategies for World Heritage Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals

The host heritage site of the annual meeting will receive suggestions from domestic and international experts on its roadmap towards sustainable development strategies and associated capacity-building activities.

•International publicity and promotion

Representatives of the selected application will have the opportunity to be invited to participate in HeritAP annual meeting. WHITRAP and HeritAP websites will promote and publicize good practices to expand their influence.

Themes

The theme of the annual Call for Good Practices varies according to the transversal thematic dimensions in the Culture 2030 Indicators as follows: Environment and Resilience (2024); Prosperity and Livelihoods (2025); Knowledge and Skills (2026); Inclusion and participation (2027).

Participation guidelines

- Applicants must submit their good practice examples by completing the provided short application form available in this link (in English or Chinese). **Alternatively**, they can complete the WORD application form and submit it via email.
- If there are multiple cases, applicants can submit them separately.
- WHITRAP may request additional information from the applicants to better illustrate the case.
- The **deadline** for submitting good practices for each thematic priority is as follows:

· Environment and Resilience:	31 March 2024
· Prosperity and Livelihoods:	31 March 2025
· Knowledge and Skills:	31 March 2026
· Inclusion and participation:	31 March 2027
- Selected practices will be announced on HeritAP website at the end of April each year and will be invited to presented in HeritAP Chats.

