



On 25 August 2023, the 77th session of the United Nations General Assembly adopted the resolution (A/RES/77/326) to proclaim the period 2024-2033 the International Decade of Sciences for Sustainable Development and invited UNESCO to lead the implementation of the Decade.

The Science Decade was officially and successfully launched on 2 December at CILAC Forum, marking an important milestone.







The sciences and a science culture required for a sustainable world developed and accessible to all

To engage all societal actors to further advance science and equally benefit from it



Major Expected Outcomes of IDSSD

The global community is empowered through scientific literacy.

National innovation systems are transformed, in order to respond better to the needs of science and society.



Actionable scientific knowledge is produced and used to accelerate progress towards the SDGs, in alignment with human rights.

Open science is widely and equitably used to democratize scientific processes and access to scientific knowledge.



Basic Sciences are Advanced through Global Collaborative Research Initiatives





The Decade will leverage a decentralised and open approach to implementation

Executive Committee

The decisive governing body to provide strategic direction to the implementation of the Decade (ISC is a member)

Working Groups

Coordinate the implementation of programmes, projects, and activities as per endorsed proposals, report to Executive Committee through the Secretariat.



Advisory Committee

Provide expert advice, review
Decade Project proposals, and
offer guidance on scientific
and ethical matters

National Committee

Responsible for coordinating relevant programmes, projects, activities for the implementation of the science decade in their member states

The Secretariat: the primary body responsible for the daily coordinating and managing all implementation activities related to the Decade.





The Decade Secretariat will issue a call for new Decade Initiatives every six months.

Various partners are encouraged to propose initiatives which could be programmes, projects and activities at the global, regional, national and local levels.

The First Call

for Initiatives for the Implementation of the IDSSD, by 31 December 2024.

Sum of Applications by Country



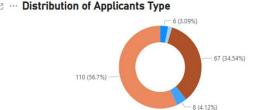
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Sum of Application

52
Count of Country

Region

- Africa
- Arab States
- Asia and the Pacific
- ☐ Europe and North America
- ☐ Latin America and the Caribbean



Sum of Company

- Sum of Government
- Sum of Institute
- Sum of UNESCO Ch
- Sum of University

The Science Decade has mobilized over 200 proposals from more than 50 countries in its first Call for Initiatives, showcasing strong global interest and commitment.







Expected Outcomes

 Aligns with Decade's Strategic Plan and SDG targets



Requirements

- Scientific and technical soundness.
- Funding and implementation feasibility
- Inclusivity and partnerships
- Challenges for science in achieving SDG
- Unique strength of the proposal



Commitments

- Knowledge sharing
- Gender considerations
- Reporting and monitoring commitment
- Use of IDSSD branding

Criteria and Procedures for Evaluating Initiatives



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Thank you!

