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Sustainable
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To: National Commissions for UNESCO
of Invited Countries
Permanent Delegations to UNESCO
of Invited Countries
(See Annex I)

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Subject: **UNESCO/ISED Co-Sponsored Fellowships Programme – 2016**

Madam/Sir,

On behalf of the Director-General, I am pleased to inform you that the International Center for Sustainable Energy Development (ISED) in Moscow, Russian Federation is offering **twenty (20)** fellowships of four-week duration within the framework of the UNESCO/ISED Co-Sponsored Fellowships Programme.

The energy questions being a priority for the international community and the United Nations System, these fellowships are aimed at enhancing the capacity-building and human resources development in the field of sustainable and renewable energy in developing countries and countries in transition.

The training will be held in specialized institutions in the Russian Federation from **3 to 28 October 2016**. The medium of instruction being English, only candidates proficient in this language are eligible to apply.

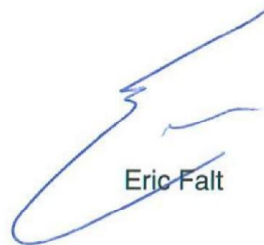
This letter of announcement is addressed to Member States whose names are on the attached list (Annex I).

Annex II to this letter provides detailed information concerning the fields of study proposed, the qualifications required, the facilities offered, the general conditions governing the award of fellowships and the procedures for the submission of applications. In order to enable the Selection Committee to make the best possible choice, I would be grateful if you would kindly arrange for your country's nominees (a **maximum of 2 candidates**) to complete and attach – in as detailed manner as possible – the required forms and documents.

All applications should be sent **in duplicate** to the attention of Mr. Stoyan Bantchev, Chief, Participation Programme and Fellowships Section, UNESCO, 7, place de Fontenoy 75352 Paris 07 SP, France not later than **15 April 2016**. A scanned copy may be sent by e-mail: y.negash@unesco.org and l.zas-friz@unesco.org.

This Programme is offered in open competition. As the number of fellowships put at the disposal of UNESCO under this Programme is limited, only candidates who demonstrate outstanding intellectual qualities, imagination and personal commitment will have a chance of being selected.

Please accept, Madam/Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.



Eric Falt

cc: National Commission for UNESCO of the Russian Federation
Permanent Delegation of the Russian Federation to UNESCO
UNESCO Field Offices of Invited Countries

Attachments: 4 (Annexes I, II, III, IV)

UNESCO/ISED Co-Sponsored Fellowships Programme – 2016

LIST OF MEMBER STATES INVITED TO SUBMIT CANDIDATURES

AFRICA (46 Member States)

- Angola*
- Benin*
- Botswana
- Burkina Faso*
- Burundi*
- Chad
- Cameroon
- Cabo Verde
- Central African Republic*
- Comoros*
- Congo
- Côte d'Ivoire
- Democratic Republic of the Congo*
- Djibouti*
- Eritrea*
- Ethiopia*
- Gabon
- Gambia
- Ghana
- Guinea*
- Guinea-Bissau*
- Equatorial Guinea*
- Kenya
- Lesotho*
- Liberia*
- Madagascar*
- Malawi*
- Mali*
- Mauritius
- Mozambique*
- Namibia
- Niger*
- Nigeria
- Rwanda*
- Seychelles
- United Republic of Tanzania*
- Somalia*
- South Africa
- Swaziland
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Senegal*
- Sierra Leone*
- Togo*
- Uganda*
- Zambia*
- Zimbabwe

ARAB STATES (15 Member States)

- Algeria
- Bahrain
- Egypt
- Iraq
- Jordan
- Lebanon
- Mauritania*
- Morocco
- Oman
- Palestine
- Saudi Arabia
- Sudan*
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tunisia
- Yemen*

ASIA & THE PACIFIC (39 Member States)

- Afghanistan*
- Bangladesh*
- Bhutan*
- Cambodia*
- China
- Cook Islands
- Fiji
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran (Islamic Republic of)
- Kazakhstan
- Kiribati*
- Kyrgyzstan
- Lao People's Democratic Republic*
- Malaysia
- Marshall Islands
- Maldives*
- Micronesia (Federated States of)
- Mongolia
- Myanmar*
- Nauru
- Nepal*
- Niue
- Pakistan
- Palau
- Papua New Guinea
- Philippines
- Vanuatu*
- Samoa*
- Solomon Islands*
- Sri Lanka
- Tadjikistan
- Thailand
- Timor-Leste
- Tonga
- Turkmenistan
- Tuvalu*
- Uzbekistan
- Viet Nam

LATIN AMERICA & THE CARRIBEAN (32 Member States)

- Antigua and Barbuda
- Argentina
- Barbados
- Belize
- Bolivia (Plurinational State of)
- Brazil
- Chili
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Cuba
- Dominica
- Dominican Republic
- El Salvador
- Ecuador
- Grenada
- Guatemala
- Guyana
- Haiti*
- Honduras
- Jamaica
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Saint Kitts and Nevis
- Saint Lucia
- Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
- Suriname
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Uruguay
- Venezuela

EUROPE & NORTH OF AMERICA (22 Member States)

- Albania
- Armenia
- Azerbaijan
- Belarus
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Bulgaria
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Estonia
- Georgia
- Hungary
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Montenegro
- Republic of Moldova
- Romania
- Poland
- Serbia
- Slovakia
- The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
- Turkey
- Ukraine

ASSOCIATED MEMBER STATE (1)

- Tokelau

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Africa:	46
Arab States:	15
Asia & the Pacific:	39
Latin America & the Caribbean:	32
Europe & North of America:	22
Associated Member State:	1

TOTAL 155 = 154 Member States and 1 Associated Member State
invited to submit candidatures

* *Least Developed Countries (LDC)*