

ACS Focal Area: Promotion of Multidestination Tourism (MDT)	Project/Initiative: Follow up Meetings and Workshop for the Regional Network of Artisans in Tourism of the Greater Caribbean								
	Activity	Year	Month	State/Institution		Activity Location	Funding	Total Cost	Results
	First meeting of the regional network of artisans in Tourism of the Greater Caribbean	2015	March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Saint Lucia</li><li>Barbados</li><li>Jamaica *</li><li>Guatemala</li><li>Nicaragua</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Colombia</li><li>México</li><li>Panamá</li><li>Dominican Republic</li></ul>	Montego Bay, Jamaica	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>OAS</li><li>ILO</li></ul>	USD 65,000.00	1. Regional Network of Artisans in Tourism of the Greater Caribbean launched. Nine (9) women Artisan Entrepreneurs participated in the workshop, representing each of the four geographic sub-regions that comprise the Greater Caribbean.
	Entrepreneurship Training Workshop	2015	March						2. Entrepreneurship Training Workshop.
	Collaborating Institutions				Executing Partners				3. First Meeting of the Regional Network of Artisans in Tourism of the Greater Caribbean.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Office of Culture and Tourism of the Organisation of American States (OAS)</li><li>Decent Work Team and Office for the Caribbean of the International Labour Organisation (ILO)</li><li>United Nations World Tourism Organization (UNWTO)</li></ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>OAS</li><li>ILO</li></ul>					4. Plan of Action developed.

ACS Focal Area: Capacity Building	Project/Initiative: Workshop on Technical Vocational Education and Training (TVET) in Tourism										
	Activity	Year	Month	State/Institution <sup>1</sup>	Location of activity	Funding	Total Costs	Results			
	Workshop on Technical Vocational Education and Training (TVET) in Tourism and Delivery of Results of the "Training for Careers in Sustainable Tourism " Consultancy	2015	July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>CANTA</li><li>CTO</li><li>OECS</li><li>CERTIFICA</li><li>AFD</li></ul>	Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>AFD</li></ul>	USD 5,000.00	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Directory / catalogue of the offer of technical vocational education and training in the Greater Caribbean on Tourism and Hospitality.</li><li>Development of country profiles in education in the tourism sector</li><li>Proposed Regional TVET Framework.</li><li>Proposed Action Plan.</li></ol>			
				Collaborating Institutions					Executing Partners		
									<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>French Development Agency</li></ul>		

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ACS Focal Area: Promotion of Safety and Security in the Tourism Industry	Project/Initiative: Technical Assistance in Tourism Safety							
	Activity	Year	Month	State/Institution <sup>1</sup>	Activity Location	Funding	Total Cost	Results
	Tourism Safety Technical Assistance	2015	July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Colombia*</li><li>Barbados</li><li>Guatemala</li><li>México</li><li>Panamá</li><li>Dominican Republic</li><li>Saint Lucia</li><li>Trinidad and Tobago</li></ul>	Bogotá, Colombia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism of the Republic of Colombia</li></ul>	USD 30,000.00	1. The transfer of knowledge, best-practices and experiences of countries with Tourism Police units utilising exchange mechanisms and south-south co-operation.
				Collaborating Institutions		Executing Partners		2. Delivery of training, technical assistance and documentation to increase the competencies of tourism stakeholders in the Greater Caribbean Region, as it relates to visitor safety and security.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism of the Republic of Colombia</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism of the Republic of Colombia</li></ul>		3. Creation of a work group integrated by representatives of: Colombia, Guatemala, México, Panamá, Dominican Republic, Saint Lucia and the ACS to design a Tourism Safety Strategy.					

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ACS Focal Area: Coordination with International and Regional Agencies in the area of Sustainable Tourism	Project/Initiative: Implementation of the indicators and certification system for the Sustainable Tourism Zone of the Greater Caribbean							
	Activity	Year	Month	State/Institution <sup>1</sup>	Activity Location	Funding	Total Cost	Results
	Workshop: Indicators for Sustainable Tourism in the Greater Caribbean	2015	November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Colombia</li><li>Panamá*</li><li>Guatemala</li><li>CARIBSAVE</li><li>Organization of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS)</li><li>Sistema de Integración turística Centroamericana (SITCA)</li><li>Caribbean Tourism Organization (CTO)</li><li>Global Sustainable Tourism Council (GSTC)</li></ul>	Panamá City, Panamá	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li></ul>	USD 18,000.00	1. Exchange of information and best practices between members of the ACS
				2. Alliances with regional partners were created to promote sustainable tourism initiatives in the Greater Caribbean				
				3. The establishment of support mechanisms to include the STZC Steering Committee.				
Collaborating Institutions				Executing Partners		4. Agreement to work on the harmonization of sustainable tourism indicators.		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Tourism of Panama</li></ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Panama Ministry of Foreign Affairs</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Panama</li></ul>				

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ACS Focal Area: Coordination with International and Regional Agencies in the area of Sustainable Tourism	Project/Initiative: Workshop “Training for Careers in Sustainable Tourism”										
	Activity	Year	Month	State/Institution <sup>1</sup>	Activity Location	Funding	Total Cost	Results			
	Regional Technical and Vocational Education and Training in Tourism Stakeholder Consultation Workshop	2015	November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Confederación Panamericana de Escuelas de Hotelería, Gastronomía y Turismo (CONPEHT)</li><li>Caribbean Association of National Training Agencies (CANTA)</li><li>Centro Interamericano para el Desarrollo del Conocimiento en la Formación Profesional (CINTERFOR/ILO)</li><li>Caribbean Tourism Organization (CTO)</li><li>Organization of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS)</li><li>Sistema de Integración Turística Centroamericana (SITCA)</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Panama*</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Guatemala</li><li>French Development Agency</li></ul>	Panama City, Panamá	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Panama</li><li>French Development Agency</li></ul>	USD 18,000.00	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Establishment of the Regional TVET Tourism Working Group.</li><li>Action plan to promote capacity building and increase competitiveness in the framework of the ACS and the tourist products and services of the Greater Caribbean.</li></ol>			
				Collaborating Institutions					Executing Partners		
				<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Tourism of Panama</li></ul>					<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Panama</li></ul>		

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ACS Focal Area: Promotion of the Languages and Cultures of the Greater Caribbean (CPLC)

Project/Initiative: Student Exchange Programme of the Centre for the Promotion of Languages and Cultures of the Greater Caribbean							
Activity	Year	Month	State/Institution <sup>1</sup>	Activity Location	Funding	Total Cost	Results
Student Exchange Programme	2015	December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Guadeloupe*</li><li>Dominica</li><li>Costa Rica</li><li>Guatemala</li></ul>	Guadeloupe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ACS</li></ul>	USD 174,000.00	1. The first exchange program to promote intensive immersion in French language and culture of Guadeloupe was successfully implemented, with the participation of 36 students and 3 coordinators from each of the three selected countries.
					<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Guadeloupe International Centre for a Regional Approach to Languages</li></ul>		
					<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Regional Council of Guadeloupe</li></ul>		
Collaborating Institutions				Executing Partners			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Tourism of Dominica</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Costa Rica</li><li>Ministry of Tourism of Guatemala</li></ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Association of Caribbean States (ACS)</li><li>Guadeloupe International Centre for a Regional Approach to Languages (CIGAREL) and the Regional Council of Guadeloupe</li></ul>			

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