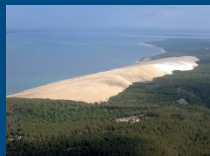


Developing countries matters - BIML activities
in liaison with other international
organizations



- Cooperation with UNIDO
- Discussions with ACP EU TBT Programme
- DCMAS Network

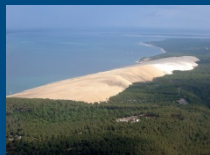




UNIDO

Follow-up of the AFRIMETS legal metrology school held in Tunis in October 2014:

- Consideration of comments made by participants for improvement of future schools
- Editing and publication of a results booklet
- Short video of event – to be finalised

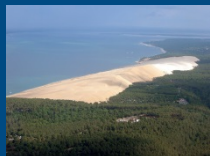




UNIDO

Discussions on future activities:

- Short awareness-raising brochure on the importance of legal metrology
- Participation in quality infrastructure training events such as those held in conjunction with the last two DCMAS meetings





ACP EU TBT Programme

ACP

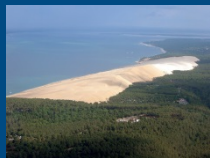
- Helps Africa, Caribbean, Pacific countries

EU

- European Union funding programme

TBT

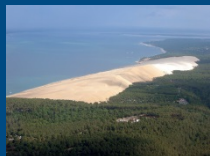
- Projects aim to reduce technical barriers to trade





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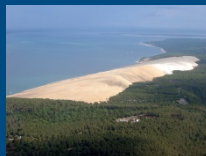
- Based in Brussels
- Funded almost all participants in the 2014 AFRIMETS legal metrology school
- Possible future development of publication on the economic benefits of legal metrology
- Set of videos on importance of metrology in association with BIPM
- Project request form available





DCMAS Network

- Network of international organisations working in the fields of Metrology, Accreditation and Standardisation
- Members:

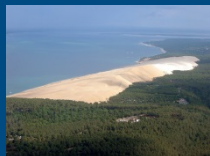




DCMAS Network

Meeting 2015

- Held in March 2015 in Maputo, Mozambique
- In conjunction with UNIDO regional quality infrastructure training event for Least Developed Countries
- Similar format for last two years

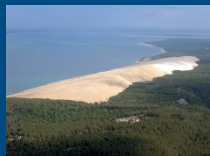




DCMAS Network

Web site

- OIML has hosted DCMAS web site since Network's foundation
- Revision of web site underway with external company
- Provides
 - general information for public
 - Document archive which is needed with rotating chair

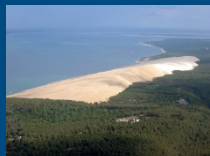




DCMAS Network

Possible name change

- Name currently includes
 - Metrology
 - Accreditation
 - Standardisation
- IEC asked to include “conformity assessment” in the Network’s name
- Change not made since already clearly included in the Terms of Reference
- Also considered changing to QI for “Quality Infrastructure”, but no clearly accepted definition





DCMAS Network Chair

- BIPM took on chair for 2015-2016
- OIML will chair in 2016-2017

