Latin America and the Caribbean are home to a vibrant heritage that includes 141 World Heritage sites, diverse and prominent contemporary cultural expressions, ancient cultures and subcultures, strong links to the environment, and rich indigenous knowledge reserves.

Our goal is to promote the integrated and sustainable management of this heritage, paying particular attention to major region-specific issues of contemporary heritage and disaster risk management.

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A NEW REGIONAL PROGRAMME
WHAT WE WILL DO

Promote an integrated, inclusive and sustainable approach to cultural heritage management.

HOW WE WILL DO IT

EFFECTIVE APPROACHES TO HERITAGE MANAGEMENT

In our hands-on training, heritage managers and caretakers will discuss cutting-edge issues and decision support tools, including value and impact assessments, people-centered approaches, and culture-nature integration, to ensure effective conservation and sustainable use.

A FOCUS ON CONTEMPORARY ART

We will embark on a regional analysis of the state of conservation and management of contemporary art collections in order to underpin capacity-building initiatives.

TRAINING ON DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT

Professionals from the heritage, humanitarian aid and civil protection sectors will strategize and create more resilient communities while integrating cultural heritage effectively into existing disaster response and recovery frameworks.

KNOWLEDGE RESOURCES IN SPANISH & PORTUGUESE

Heritage resources in Spanish and Portuguese will be developed with professionals from the region. Existing resources will also be translated, including ICCROM’s website, which will be made available in Spanish.