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Participation Web Site



Be part of a growing community of development professionals who use participatory approaches and want to share their experiences.

Visit the Participation Web Site (www.fao.org/participation) and see what more than 7,500 monthly visitors have already discovered.



Participation

is a process where everyone involved in development – from government planners to community groups to households – plays an active part. Unlike



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the paternalistic, top-down methods that have been the source of so many development failures, participation offers a democratic, bottom-up approach. The Participation Web Site gives you the tools you need to facilitate participation.



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Use the tools...

Explore the online library of FAO publications or submit a publication for others to read.

Search the database of participatory field tools, methods and approaches.

Read about the experiences of others who use participatory approaches in the Lessons Learned section.

Present your own participatory field tools and Lessons Learned.



Help keep the site up-to-date by sharing your experiences, your knowledge, your resources and by offering feedback.

Sign up for the E-Newsletter and be alerted to changes and additions to the Web site the moment they happen.

Discover related Web sites and learn about other organizations that are using participatory approaches.

The Participation Web site is dynamic and responsive and urges users to ask questions and make suggestions. It needs the input of a wide range of development professionals whose diverse experience is a valuable asset.

Build on experience

The Participation Web Site is a virtual community of development professionals sharing knowledge, ideas and practical experiences. It is an essential forum for learning that builds on FAO's broad and deep experience around the world. These valuable lessons are a rich resource helping to ensure the success of future programmes and projects.

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