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HAITI RAPID AND RESEARCH NEEDS WORKSHOP

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International solidarity in Haiti

The Haitian Government appreciates the work done by scientific missions in Haiti after the earthquake of January 12, 2010 and is eager to continue hosting them.

We would like to make some recommendations for a better harmonization of activities to optimize benefit for Haiti (data, facilities, training).

Harmonization of the scientific missions post-Haiti earthquake

- Scientific missions should contact the Haitian institutions with which they would like to work before entering in Haiti.
- They have to carry out sustainable projects.
- They should avoid duplicating projects.

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- They should involve Haitian professionals in their activities so they can benefit from the experiences;
- They have to include a training component in their activities for the Haitian professionals at short, medium or long term;

Harmonization of the scientific missions post-Haiti earthquake

- Transmit to the institutions with which they have worked a copy of their report regarding the results of their works;
- A copy of the totality of the data has to be given to the institutions with which they have worked;
- The Haitian institutions have to be involved in the interpretation and the publication of the data.



THANK YOU

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