

## Task Group: Documentation and support of restoration of the traditional architecture in Nias, Indonesia

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Referring to the list of gaps identified in Appendix A, this task group is addressing the following **Needs**

- 1.f by involving the private sector and outside organisations

- 2. to integrate recording, documentation and information management activities into the conservation and the reconstruction process

### Target Audience

World heritage and conservation professionals involved in world heritage documentation and reconstruction including national and international decision makers.

### Purpose and Objective

In this task group, the interdisciplinary approach for the recording and conservation of cultural heritage with the integration of the public in the aftermath of a natural disaster is investigated. As a case study the architecture of Nias island in Indonesia after the tsunami 2004 and earthquake in march 2005 was chosen.

The following steps will be undertaken:

- + assessment and documentation of the traditional houses and villages
- + restoration of the four remaining kings houses (omo sebua)
- + action plan for the conservation of the traditional villages - individual funding for the restoration of the traditional houses
- + proposal for conservation of dealing with cultural heritage in the aftermath of natural disasters



### Deliverables

This task group will provide the results of the case study concerning the recording of cultural heritage and the implementation of a renovation process. The report will line out a method to bridge the gaps between national, international organisations and the affected people in their efforts to save cultural heritage after a natural disaster. Proposal for conservation of dealing with cultural heritage in the aftermath of natural disasters

### Seeking Help / Input / Participation / Cooperation

- + contact to people / organisation having any information on cultural heritage and additional relevant studies (e.g. geology) of the area of Nias
- + information of people / organisations experienced in interdisciplinary research in Indonesia
- + international organisations for the support to implement renovation and reconstruction work in Nias
- + implementation partners with experience in renovation and reconstruction work at a large scale after natural disasters
- + additional funding possibilities