

Ministry of Environment, Maldives - (www.mhe.gov.mv)



The Ministry of Housing and Environment is established by the President of Maldives. The Ministry of Environment is a pivotal agency in Maldives in relation to sustainable development practice.

The following institutions operate under the Ministry of Housing and Environment.

1. Maldives Meteorological Service
2. Environmental Protection Agency
3. Maldives Energy Authority
4. National Disaster Management Centre

Some of the mandate of this Ministry is to formulate policies related to Environment, Energy, Water and Meteorology, and formulating regulations and standards needed for the implementation of legislation; protecting the environment of the Maldives, and planning the sustainable development and implementation of all aspects of energy, water and sanitation, and meteorology; and carrying out major activities related to the environment, energy, water and sanitation, sewerage and meteorology.

Contribution to MDP: - The Ministry of Environment in Maldives was part of the original and amended proposal submitted to MacArthur Foundation. They are a leading and influential country in international deliberations on climate change. There are multiple opportunities for student places, particular in,

- a. Climate Change Division
- b. Resilient Island Project



Left: - Coastal adaptation survey findings presentation

Middle: - Establishment of the renewable energy office

Right: - President of Maldives and cabinet members at the underwater meeting staged to highlight the threat of global warming.

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