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Ohnia:kara Aspiring Global Geopark Steering Committee

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Presentation Topic

Ohnia:kara Aspiring Global Geopark Steering Committee

Presentation includes slides

Yes

Previously presented topic

No

Presentation Details

Professor Mc Keever directed the formalising of the relationship between the Global Geoparks Network and UNESCO. This has happened through the creation of the new International Geoscience and Geoparks Programme and the creation of the UNESCO's first new site designation since the creation of the World Heritage Site label in 1972 by establishing of the designation "UNESCO Global Geopark" which happened in November 2015. Today there are 140 UNESCO Global Geoparks in 38 countries. Prof Mc Keever drafted the statutes and operational guidelines for UNESCO Global Geoparks and has given countless keynote talks and workshops (both regional and national) on UNESCO Global Geoparks and has advised countries on every continent regarding the creation of UNESCO Global Geoparks.

Video Consent

Yes

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