

**Nations Development Programme**  
**Country: Global**  
**PROJECT DOCUMENT<sup>1</sup>**



**Project Title: GEF IW:LEARN: "Strengthening IW Portfolio Delivery and Impact."**

**UNDP Strategic Plan: Managing energy and the environment for sustainable development**

**Primary Outcome:**

**Strengthened national capacities to mainstream environment and energy concerns into national development plans and implementation systems**

**Executing Entity/Implementing Partner: United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS)**

**Implementing Entity/Responsible Partners:**

**UNDP (via Regional Centre for Europe and CIS based in Bratislava, Slovakia)**

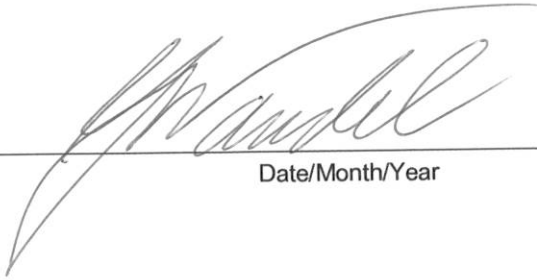
**Brief Description**

A global project, encouraging learning, information sharing, collaboration and replication of good practices and experiences in the GEF International Waters portfolio. The project has a strong focus on groundwater and supporting the Middle East and North Africa Development (MENARID) process, and in the replication and sharing of good practices between transboundary surface and groundwater management. IW:LEARN will provide tools and procedures to assist IW projects better achieve their objectives through the provision of improved knowledge management and guidance on mainstreaming climatic variability & change, gender and public-private co-operation in IW projects. Lastly IW:LEARN will facilitate the 6<sup>th</sup> IW Conference and initiate improved involvement between IW projects and the wider science community through the first IW Science Conference.

Programme Period:	42 months	Total resources required:	\$9,299,824
Atlas Award ID:	00060708	Total Cost to the GEF Trust Fund	\$4,095,000
Project ID:	00076562	UNDP	\$3,160,000
PIMS #	4219	UNEP	\$935,000
Start date:	01 JAN 2011	In-kind contributions:	
End Date	30 JUN 2014	UNDP	\$1,823,000
Management Arrangements	Agency Execution	UNEP	\$951,824
PAC Meeting Date	tbc	UN University	\$1,240,000
		UNESCO	\$550,000
		UN Commission for Europe	\$60,000
		UNEP (CEP)	\$100,000
		NGOs	\$480,000

<sup>1</sup> For UNDP supported GEF funded projects as this includes GEF-specific requirements

Agreed by (UNDP):

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26 January 2011

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