

Portuguese Language Speaking Countries Environmental Studies Network



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- Natural resources
- Protected areas
- Tourism
- Water availability
- Health



- Lactation
- Breastfeeding
- The studies
- Main goals
- Pilot project

REALP

Realp started as RLBEA in 1997 as a cooperation network between Portugal and Brazil with the specific objective of implementing a Masters Degree in Management and Environmental politics between both countries.



Institutions

Portugal: Aveiro University (UA), Évora University (UE), Açores University, Nova Lisbon University, Ministry of Environment and the national Foundation for Sciences and Technology (FCT)

Brazil: Brasília University (UnB), Amazonas University (UFPA), Federal de Santa Catarina University (UFSC), Federal de Pernambuco University (UFPE), Ministry of Environment, CNPq and CAPES.



In 2004 RLBEA expanded to African Portuguese Language speaking Countries such as, a University Eduardo Mondlane from Mozambique and University of Cabo Verde.
In 2009, University Agostinho Neto from Angola participated in several events joining the network in 2011, during the XIV Annual meeting of the Network in Recife - Brazil. Also in 2011 Lisbon University (Portugal) joined the Network, changing the name to "Rede de Estudos Ambientais dos Países de Língua Portuguesa - REALP".
2015 - During the XVII Network meeting the Polytechnic of Tomar joined the Network.



VIII Encontro da RLBEA
Salvador, Brasil 2004

XII Encontro da RLBEA
Florianópolis, Brasil 2008

XIV Encontro da REAPLP
Recife - Brazil

XV Encontro da REAPLP
Angola

XVII Encontro REALP
Cabo Verde



Cooperation

- *Students and lecturers mobility;*
- *Training courses;*
- *Short term placements;*
- *Conferences.*

PhD Program on Management and Environmental Politics in Cape Verde

- *Lecturers from Cape Verde; Portugal and Brazil in every single module;*
- *The students choice of Coordinators;*
- *Main goal to develop studies in order to solve problems of Cape Verde;*
- *Pilot project.*

Some of the main problems

- *Fisheries*
- *Natural resources*
- *Protected areas*
- *Tourism*
- *Water availability*
- *Health*



The Future

- *Expand the Network to other countries such as Timor, Guiné, São Tomé e Príncipe*
- *Develop Projects, some applications are in course - Highlands - Rise - H2O2O*
- *Have fun doing it*

