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Environmental Emergencies, International Cooperation, and the Role of Aviation

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UNEP/OCHA Joint Environment Unit (JEU)

- UNEP/OCHA Joint Environment Unit was founded in 1994 at request of UN Member States
- Global mechanism to respond to environmental dimensions of emergencies
- Combines UN's humanitarian coordination mandate with its environmental expertise
- Coordinates and supports sustainable humanitarian action











ICAO Aviation Green Recovery Seminar Response - Mission Statistics 2020

1. Response missions

Lebanon – Beirut port explosion August 2020 Mauritius – MV Wakashio Oil Spill August 2020



In total the JEU and its partners have deployed on more than 215 missions...

2. Remote support

Afghanistan Colombia Haiti India South Africa South Sudan Sudan Suriname

Trinidad and Tobago



3. The piloting of an urban version of the Nexus **Environment Assessment Tool**

Brazil - November 2020 Colombia - November 2020



Capacity Building and Sustainable Humanitarian Action

- Trainings and capacity building
- Online Platforms
- Environment and humanitarian action



















Mobilizes environmental and technical experts for humanitarian field operations

Provides remote environmental analysis for humanitarian crises

Develops customized tools and guidance

Trains experts to enhance readiness

Conducts environmental assessments of humanitarian

activities

Contributes to policy and advocacy at the interface between environment and emergencies

Shares knowledge and convenes networks





International Cooperation and the Role of Aviation

- Global Fire Monitoring Center (GFMC)
- RescEU
- Global Alliance for the Protection of Rainforests

















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