

The CVI Update is a periodic newsletter to briefly update those who have shown an interest in the Climate Vulnerability Index with key developments along the CVI journey.



Four CVI workshops are now scheduled during the first half of 2020: Wadden Sea (Denmark, Germany & Netherlands) is scheduled for mid-February; Vega Archipelago Cultural Landscape (Norway) in late-March; and two Scottish properties (Old and New Towns of Edinburgh; the Antonine Wall section of Frontiers of the Roman Empire) in May.



High-level presentations showcasing the CVI have recently occurred around the world. On the same day in October, the CVI was presented at the launch of the [Climate Heritage Network](#) (Edinburgh) and at the [Coral Reef Futures Symposium](#) (Sydney). In September, the CVI was part of a presentation on archaeological management in Oman.



There is growing interest to apply the CVI methodology beyond World Heritage properties. A Traditional Owner group in north-eastern Australia ([Yuku Baja Muliku](#)) is proposing to trial the CVI in their sea-country in early 2020. The UK National Trust is considering how the CVI methodology might help assess some of their thousands of heritage sites being impacted by climate change.



A CVI session has recently been accepted for the IUCN [World Conservation Congress](#) in Marseilles (France, 11th - 19th June 2020). A session involving CVI has also been accepted for the International Symposium for Society & Resource Management ([ISSRM](#)) in Cairns (Australia, 22nd -26th June 2020).



CVI developers are working with Australia's National Environmental Science Programme (NESP) to ensure current descriptors for physical climate risk factors are incorporated into the CVI methodology. This mirrors terminology being used globally to bring ecological and social aspects into climate change assessments.

For further information about the CVI (including contact details) go to: cvi-heritage.org.

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