

Exhibition

Desertification

A Challenge for Science



For a view of the exhibition on line:
<https://tinyurl.com/y8n2jgap>

Information and booking:
exposition@ird.fr

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Lending

- 23 banners display 85 x 200 cm
- Eyelets on upper and lower edges and stabilizing bars
- Interior or exterior
- Available in french, english and spanish
- HD file for printing

Desertification is a result of land degradation, mainly caused by human activity, in dry areas of the planet. Climate change amplifies the negative effects of these activities on soils and vegetation.

Desertification is not just an environmental issue, but also an issue for sustainable development. It is a major obstacle for efforts to increase the standard of living in countries in the Global South.

For scientists, observing and understanding desertification is essential. In conjunction with other interested parties (farmers, civil society organisations, etc.), scientists are conducting research to create solutions to slow down land degradation and rehabilitate degraded lands.

In 23 panels and photos, this exhibition illustrates the essential role of scientific research in the fight against desertification.

This exhibition has been created in partnership with the French scientific committee on desertification.

Detail of the exhibition

- 1- Title
- 2- What is Desertification?
- 3- Desertification in the world
- 4- Human activities causing desertification
- 5- Climat and desertification, complex connexions
- 6 -Photo
- 7- Adapting to survive
- 8- Vulnerable populations
- 9- Photo
- 10- Mobility, a complex affair
- 11- Long walks for life
- 12- Photo
- 13- Managing water in arid regions
- 14- Sustainable oasis
- 15- Photo
- 16- Sustainable agriculture
- 17- Beneficial relationships
- 18- Photo
- 19- Under intense scrutiny
- 20- From the skies
- 21- Observing to assess
- 22- International mobilisation
- 23- Credits

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