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Background information and references

2015 Caribbean Sub-regional meetings:

SUBWOC March 27

SUBRAC March 28 - 29

Introduction

This information note provides hyperlinks to background information and documents that will help you achieve the most from your attendance and participation at the sub-regional meetings as well as your further engagement with Public Services International (PSI). The note serves as a reminder to the veterans of the sub-regional meetings and as a useful introduction to those of you who are attending for the first time.

For those of you who are attending sub-regional meetings for the first time, we invite you to visit [PSI's web page](#) and learn more about [who we are](#).

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2012 World Congress

PSI World congresses are held in 5-year cycles. The last congress was held in [Durban, South Africa](#). The congress agrees on a Programme of Action and other resolutions/policy decisions.

1. [Programme of Action](#)
2. [Constitution](#)
3. [Resolutions 3 - 49](#)

The next world congress will be held in 2017 in Geneva.

The Inter-Americas (IA) region (The Americas)

The Caribbean is one of the 7 sub-regions in the IA. The others are:

- **Andean countries** – Aruba#, Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela
- **Southern Cone** - Argentina, Chile, Paraguay, Uruguay
- **Brazil**
- **Central America, Mexico, and Dominican Republic** - Cuba, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama
- **Canada**
- **USA**

The Inter-American Regional Conference ([IAMRECON](#)) and related activities will be held in Mexico City, April 20 to 24, 2015

Read the draft [IA Regional Action Plan](#).

The Caribbean sub-region

24 affiliates in 20 countries and territories (in order of country)

1. Anguilla Civil Service Association (ACSA)
2. Antigua & Barbuda Public Service Association (ABPSA)
3. Antigua & Barbuda Workers' Union (ABWU)
4. Bahamas Public Services Union (Bahamas PSU)
5. National Union of Public Workers, Barbados (NUPW Barbados)
6. Belize Energy Workers' Union (BEWU)
7. Public Service Union of Belize (PSU of Belize)
8. Bermuda Industrial Union (BIU)
9. Bermuda Public Services Union (Bermuda PSU)
10. Algemene Bond Van Overheidpersoneel (ABVO-Curaçao)
11. Dominica Public Service Union (DPSU)
12. Grenada Public Workers' Union (GPWU)
13. Guyana Local Government Officers' Union (GLGOU)
14. Guyana Public Service Union (GPSU)
15. Confédération des Travailleurs et Travailleuses des Secteurs Public et Privé (CTSP d'Haïti)
16. Jamaica Association of Local Government Officers (JALGO)
17. Jamaica Civil Service Association (JCSA)
18. Montserrat Civil Service Association (MCSA)
19. St Lucia Civil Service Association (SLCSA)
20. St Lucia National Workers' Union (SLNWU)
21. Public Service Union of St Vincent & the Grenadines (SVGPSU)
22. Windward Islands Civil Servants' Union/Private Sector Union (WICSU/PSU)
23. National Union of Government & Federated Workers of Trinidad & Tobago (NUGFW-TT)
24. Public Services Association of Trinidad & Tobago (PSA-TT)

Other countries covered by the sub-region are British and US Virgin Islands, Martinique, French Guyana, Guadeloupe, St Kitts-Nevis, Suriname.