



The eco-solidarity project has enabled

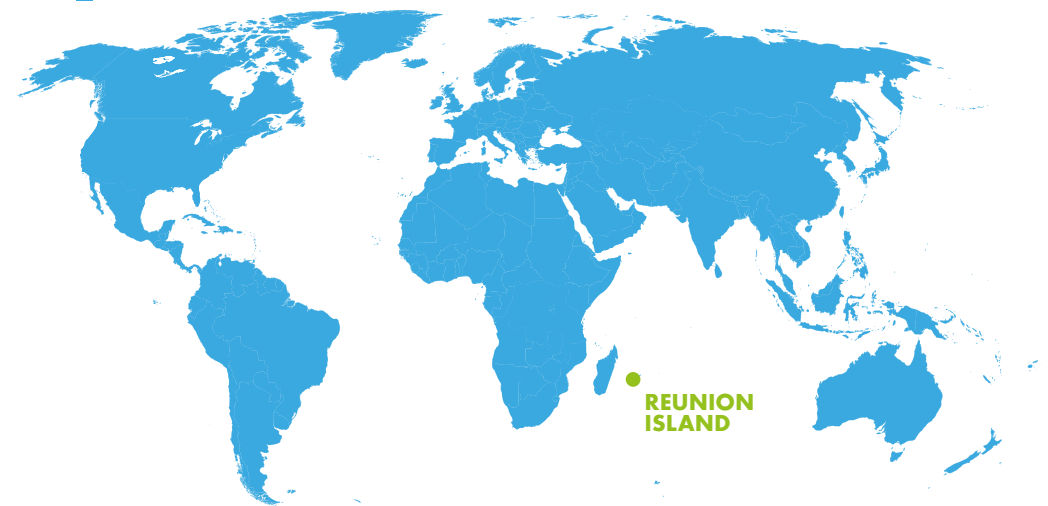
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INDIVIDUAL
SOLAR WATER
heaters to be installed,
an investment of
7 670 000 €
(since 2011)



259,5 GWH :
the total amount of
PHOTOVOLTAIC
ENERGY
produced in
2016
(6.2% more than in 2015).
this corresponds to the
electricity consumption of
73 000
REUNIONESE
households.



2 308 :
the number of
RESIDENTIAL
PHOTOVOLTAIC
INSTALLATIONS
on reunion island
IN 2016.



REUNION ISLAND GREEN REVOLUTION

SOLAR
ISLAND
AND
TERRITORY
OF
INNOVATION



LA RÉUNION!
positive!





INTRODUCTION BY THE PRESIDENT

Particularly vulnerable to the effects of climate change as insular territories, we are now more aware than ever of the urgent need to deeply modify on a global scale the behavior to invest, and at least diminish, the trend of global warming: the ecological footprint and its direct impact on health, nutrition, agriculture and the development of women and men.

For several years now, we have been implementing a sustainable development strategy, of production of renewable energies and biodiversity conservation. These topics are at the heart of our public policies, driven with a logic of less environmental impact, of initiative and positive action.

I believe in the strength of the actions taken at a local level, actions that start with citizens and regions and alert national governments. This is the sense of the partnerships we have established throughout the years with national and international networks that share the same idea : The Climate Group, of course, nrg4SD (the Network of Regional Governments for Sustainable Development), WWF France, R20 (Regions of Climate Action) and IUCN (International Union for Conservation of Nature).

Following on the Declaration of islands, elaborated in La Reunion on 2014 and presented at the COP 21 in Paris on 2015, the International Conference on Climate Change Adaptation, organized in collaboration with nrg4SD on 4-6 October 2017, will be the opportunity to prepare an updated Declaration to be presented at the COP 23 in Bonn on November of this year. Because it is everyone's interest that the voice of islands, lands of innovative solutions for climate change adaptation for all territories is really understood.



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REUNION, SOLAR ISLAND AND TERRITORY OF INNOVATION

Proactive projects in favour of sustainable development

THE POPULATION OF REUNION

Committed actors
for the future
of the Planet



The Photovoltaic
cheque program

The eco-solidarity project



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CLIMATE ADAPTATION

**"Islands, land of innovative
solutions for all territories"**

From **4th to 6th October 2017**, the Regional Council of Reunion Island, in partnership with the Network of Regional Governments for Sustainable Development - nrg4SD, is organizing the second International Conference on Climate Change Adaptation, this time entitled "Islands, land of innovative solutions for all territories", in conjunction with the 2017 nrg4SD General Assembly.

Reunion Island a French and European island in the Indian Ocean aims to be a reference for other regions, especially the extremely vulnerable island territories and ultra-peripheral regions (UPR), in terms of energy autonomy and innovative sustainable solutions. In 2010, Reunion Island adopted a voluntary policy on energy excellency with an eye towards reducing the ecological footprint.

ATTEND THE CONFERENCE ON 5 AND 6 OCTOBER

The International Conference on Climate Change Adaptation will provide the opportunity to highlight the islands 'and regions' expertise, in order to raise awareness on their role in adaptation and their specificities. It will also aim in identifying solutions to effectively tackle the challenges of climate change. Multiple stakeholders such as insular and regional representative governments, civil societies, and the scientific communities will discuss impacts of climate change and pioneering solutions to build greater resilience and effectively adapt to climate change. Experts will elaborate on how to advance the development and implementation of solutions through investment and finance, as well as through awareness and innovation.

The event will also be an important preparatory step towards the 23rd session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 23) to the UN Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) hosted in Bonn (Germany), this November. With the Fiji Islands as the President of COP 23, the negotiations will gain the perspective of those who are most vulnerable to the effects of climate change, small states and islands.

Find more information about the Conference and registration at
www.reuniongreenrevolution.com

