

# A NEW GUIDE IS COMING...



A small icon of a lighthouse with a dark blue body and a white top, emitting three yellow beams of light that point towards the word "ISLANDS".

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**INCLUSIVE SPORTS FOR LOCALS AND NATURE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES**



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## **What is it about?**

The guide explores the main social and environmental challenges affecting remote and isolated territories, including islands.

## **Why does it matter?**

Sports associations can become more than places for physical activity.


They can become local agents of change, helping communities become more inclusive, sustainable and connected.



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-  Biodiversity protection
-  Water resource management
-  Tourism pressure
-  Social inclusion
-  Training opportunities
-  Civic participation






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**This practical resource will focus on how to improve local sports opportunities in remote and isolated contexts, including islands.**

**The guide will explore key environmental and social challenges, from biodiversity protection and water management to social inclusion, training opportunities and civic participation.**

**Through this publication, ISLANDS aims to support sports associations in becoming stronger local agents of change. Sport. Inclusion. Sustainability. Community.**





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