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Comparative Judgement of
Job and Living Preferences

The Use of **Mobile Phones**
and its Effect on Indigenous
Social Structures

Culturally Specific
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Culture and **Colour Concepts**

Early **Tsunami** Awareness
in Indigenous Peoples

Consultation on
Reforestation

Structural Analysis of Cultural Systems

is a

- **Research institution**
with a
- **Focus on indigenous
cultures,**
carrying out
- **Empirical studies**
and
- **Intervention Projects.**
We are also available for
- **Consulting**
as well as for
- **Education and training.**

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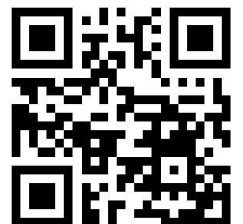
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Tourinfo

***A Cultural
Sustainability
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Structural Analysis of Cultural Systems

(S.A.C.S.) is a scientific institution that is based in Berlin. S.A.C.S. is in Special Consultative Status with the **United Nations Economical and Social Council**. Our focus is on indigenous cultures, especially on the implementation of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples. We carry out research and intervention projects in cooperation with ministries, universities and NGOs in various countries (please see “cooperations” at our website).

One of our initiatives of particular importance to indigenous peoples is our **Tourinfo** project, which has been listed by **UNESCO** as a measure to maintain cultural diversity.

<http://unesco.de/6826.html>



The Tourinfo Project promotes the protection of culture as a key resource for tourism. When local culture is destabilised, the destination becomes less attractive for visitors. It is therefore in the interest of tour providers to maintain and re-stabilise culture. Focussing on this, S.A.C.S. carries out on-site interventions in a highly effective way, according to academic and UN standards.

Intervention

Government and non-government institutions, as well as indigenous activists, can call on S.A.C.S. to implement culturally sustainable strategies in accordance with the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.

Field Training

Also, S.A.C.S. is the only academic institution that offers training and education of culturally sustainable behaviour in indigenous contexts, in observance of the UN indigenous rights standards.

A seminar on this topic is regularly offered each Summer Term. The seminar comprises methods of field research, data collecting methods in intercultural contexts, as well as insights into international law and the UN. The modules consist of a theoretical part, field research training in a quasi-indigenous setting, empirical and intervention techniques.

Participation in a one-week UN session is an essential part of the seminar.