

## How Do I Get Involved?

The Remediation Wiki is a valuable information source and your effective participation is encouraged. As a user you will be able to:

- Browse content (e.g. compare technologies, case studies, find relevant IAEA guidance)
- Create pages/articles (e.g. for new case studies, new technologies, innovative methodologies)
- Change content (e.g. add additional information, files, pictures and videos to an existing topic)
- Use page history to follow changes and revert to original text if necessary
- Discuss solutions and approaches on discussion pages

## How Do I Gain Access?

Access to the Wiki is available to ENVIRONET participants, with the aim of encouraging ownership within the community of remediation professionals.

The first step is to register on NUCLEUS (IAEA's portal for nuclear knowledge and information) via <http://nucleus.iaea.org/Home/index.html>.

After the NUCLEUS account has been established you will need to access the CONNECT platform (e.g. by using the search box or the NUCLEUS catalogue) and then apply for access to the ENVIRONET

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# ENVIRONET ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDICATION WIKI



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## **ENVIRONET Environmental Remediation Wiki**

The Environmental Remediation Wiki is a feature in the IAEA CONNECT platform that allows users to share information acquired from implementation of environmental remediation at radioactively contaminated sites.

The Wiki is maintained by the IAEA's Network on Environmental Management and Remediation (ENVIRONET) on the Agency's CONNECT platform.

It has been established to enhance cooperation between those involved in remediation of radioactively contaminated sites around the world. Users comprise relevant stakeholders, inter alia:

- Implementers
- Regulators and other Governmental Authorities
- Contracting and Consulting Community
- Universities and Research Organizations
- NGO's
- General Public

### **What is the Benefit for Me?**

The Wiki provides learning opportunities that will contribute to a safer, quicker, smarter and more cost effective way of implementing environmental remediation projects. This is achieved, among other things, through gaining knowledge of current managerial methodologies and emerging technologies and their practical application in today's remediation environment.

Inside the Wiki you will find real experience concerning technical solutions and related supporting functions, e.g. quality, project and knowledge management approaches. Contributions are expected from professionals involved in a range of projects spanning from the most technologically advanced to those that are in an early stage of development. The main potential benefits are:

- Gaining a picture/overview of the international remediation scene and recent developments
- Being in contact with colleagues and relevant experts from around the world
- Comparing different approaches (case studies), questioning your own approaches and developing new approaches
- Finding the appropriate technical solution to a current problem
- Promoting good practice and improving techniques and their application and benefitting from the lessons learned
- Identifying new R&D topics and projects
- Gaining experience on regulatory approaches and practice
- Optimising waste management
- Saving time and money

### **How Does it Work?**

Browsing the pages, you will soon become familiar with the Wiki structure; automated links bring you to connected pages and topics. A side panel provides structured data related to the article being viewed. These may be technical parameters or structural elements.

The overall success of the Wiki strongly depends on your contribution. Based on a give and take approach, your experience is valuable for other users, as their experience and feedback is valuable for you.

### **How Can I Contribute?**

The Wiki comprises information on all aspects of remediation, including the decision making process for selection of strategies and technologies and the methods for their implementation and deployment. This may include:

- Remediation strategies
- Technologies deployment
- Waste management
- Safety and licensing
- Project, quality, risk and knowledge management
- Resourcing and skills retention throughout project lifetime
- Stakeholder engagement
- R&D activities
- Dealing with unexpected situations

Making a contribution is easy. To create and edit content is very simple! A wiki user manual can also be found on the wiki's main page, if needed.