Water for Resilience and Peacebuilding in Syria

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The Graduate Institute initiated in 2012 a research program on water management challenges in the Orontes River Basin. Research was initially conducted from a post conflict perspective. With the prolongation of the conflict access to water for domestic and agricultural purposes has become a critical issue. Data collected as part of the Orontes program on water resources, infrastructures, utilization and management is used to elaborate rehabilitation projects and support Syrian civil organizations and the population in their efforts to take charge of the situation.
From the Orontes Rivers Basin to In-and Post-Conflict Challenges

Rehabilitation of Water Supply Infrastructure

Mediation to Restore Cross-Line and Inter-Ethnic-Water Networks

Water Project Training
Cross-Line and Inter-Ethnic-Water Networks
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A Actors Mapping
2017

Tribes

Gouvernance Bodies

Influencial families

Armed forces

Water Supply Management Committee

Self-Rule Administration Afrin

Shykhban Ajoum Shkakai Amaki Rashwan Biyin Roubarai

Bani Khaled Aaqai Damalkhah Aassasnah Naaim

Local Councils Izaz & Dart Izah

Zadah Mourad Hess Semo Maydani Ali Agha Batal Youssef Bouzan Haj Abdo

Kano, Amori, Hassano, Altawall, Allo, Diman Abass

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Rehabilitation and Management of the Ar-Ruj Irrigation Scheme
Idlib, Syria
The Ar-Ruj rehabilitation and management project demonstrates the capacity of the population and Syrian organizations to take charge of the situation with the support of international agencies.
Ar Ruj Actors

- Armed forces
- Local Councils
- Farmers
- Former scheme employees
- Geo Expertise
- Project Committee
- Water User Association
- Qatar Fund for Development
- Qatar Red Crescent
- Private sector