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# **SciDev.Net**

**CABI's independent news service**

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**Help individuals and organisations **apply science** to decision making**

**News, views and analysis about science and technology **for global development****

**SciDev.Net is **editorially independent****

## 2: Brief history of SciDev



**2001**

3 December  
**SciDev.Net**  
officially  
launched



**2002**

Sub-Saharan  
Africa  
launches



**2003**

Latin America  
& Caribbean  
launches



**2010**

Middle East &  
North Africa  
launches



**2011**

Asia & Pacific  
launches



**2017**

**SciDev.Net**  
joins CABI

### 3: SciDev's reporting team



**Kenya**  
SSAE (English)

**Senegal**  
SSAF (French)

**Egypt**  
MENA (Arabic)

**Brazil**  
LAC (Spanish)

**Philippines**  
AsiaPacific  
(English)

■ **SciDev.Net regional coordinators**

■ **SciDev.Net Contributor**

4: SciDev's achievements



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Free courses  
Media skills for scientists





## 4: SciDev's achievements



In past 5 years:

- Published **5,500 news and feature** articles
- **760 multimedia** productions
- **294 opinions** by thought leaders
- **8,000** articles were **syndicated** by 1,300 media outlets
- **31 Practical guides** read 510,000 times
- Developed dozens of **training partnerships**
- Reached an estimated **427 million readers**



Sida

Bosch

Rockefeller

FAPESP

IAI

EC



**Capacity development** with  
journalists and researchers  
(e.g. 'Script')

**Customised content** for specific interests groups such as sponsored articles, events or tailored news (e.g. IDRC)

**Outsourcing skills** helping  
other entities produce  
strategies and content





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