

WHV - CHAN CHAN - Adobe citadel largest in pre-Columbian America

Chan Chan Archaeological Zone, Peru

Cultural property inscribed on the List of World Heritage in danger since 1986

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The Chimu Kingdom, with Chan Chan as its capital, reached its apogee in the 15th century, not long before falling to the Incas. The planning of this huge city, the largest in pre-Columbian America, reflects a strict political and social strategy, marked by the city's division into nine 'citadels' or 'palaces' forming autonomous units.

Project objectives:

The project aims at sensitising the local authorities and communities on the conservation, protection and preservation of the archaeological zone of Chan Chan, through awareness-raising campaigns and actions involving national and international volunteers,

Project activities:

The volunteers will take part in the reconstruction of Chan Chan Archaeological Zone by being involved in cleaning campaigns, training and workshops. In order to raise awareness, they will also be involved in artistic and cultural activities for children and young people in the community by preparing and performing a play entitled "We care Chan Chan".

Partners:

Proyecto Especial Complejo Arqueológico Chan Chan, Media (Newspaper, radio, TV), School and University from Trujillo

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