**FACTS**
- Surface | 31 km²
- Location | Caribbean Sea
- Official language(s) | Dutch & English
- GDP | 108 million USD (2017)
- GDP per capita | 27,800 USD (2017)

**Official website** | [https://www.statiagovernment.com/](https://www.statiagovernment.com/)

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**Project name |** Efficient Dutch as a foreign language-teaching for Saba & Statia  
**Budget |** € 42,254  
**Duration |** 01/09/2020 - 31/08/2022  
**Objectives |** There is a transition underway in education in the schools on St Eustatius & Saba. The switch to English as a language of instruction on Statia has seen the status of Dutch being reinvented as a strong foreign language. This implies that there is a need for an approach which is based on the didactics of foreign language teaching.  
**Coordinator |** Golden Rock Roman Catholic School  
**Project website |** [https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project)

**BEST2.0**

**Project name |** Restoration of Ecosystem Services and Coral reef Quality (RESCQ)  
**Budget |** € 393,468  
**Duration |** 01/05/2016 – 30/04/2019  
**Objectives |** The aim was to restore coral reef zones by establishing coral nurseries on each of the 4 islands (Sint Maarten, Saint Eustatius, Saba, Turks & Caicos) & transplanting coral fragments at selected restoration sites, with also the production of a practical manual for coral restoration.  
**Partner |** St Eustatius National Parks  
**Coordinator |** Wageningen Marine Research  
**Project website |** [http://www.rescq.eu/](http://www.rescq.eu/)