

UNESCO head appeals for end to Rwandan killing

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PARIS, April 18 (Reuter) - The head of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) appealed to Rwandans on Monday to stop massacring one another.

“Faced with the appalling events unfolding today in Rwanda, there is only one thing that can be said : ”Stop!”“ UNESCO Director-General Federico Mayor said in a statement.

”In the name of the intellectual organisation of the United Nations system, I ask you, I beg you to stop,“ he said.

Thousands of people have died in 11 days of ethnic violence in the central African country.

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