

Member of the Executive Committee

Mr Dinu Bumbaru graduated in architecture and conservation at ICCROM and the University of York. He is Policy Director and main spokesperson for the media at the Heritage Montreal Foundation, an independent civic organisation working through education and advocacy to safeguard and revitalise the built, landscape, commemorative, archaeological and natural heritage of the historical metropolis of Canada. He is active in metropolitan and national organisations in the fields of heritage, environment, cultural and economic development and regional planning. He is associate professor in architecture at the Université de Montréal and is an expert and advisor to municipal and governmental authorities in Canada and abroad. He takes part in many symposiums, discussions and public consultations taking these as opportunities to introduce ICOMOS and raise support for its work and principles.

Since 2009, Dinu Bumbaru is President of ICOMOS Canada. He was member of the Executive Committee between 1993-2008 and Secretary General from 2002-2008, overseeing the organisation of three General Assemblies, including the first one held in Africa. He contributes to the work of the International Scientific Committees on 20th C. Heritage, Theory of Conservation and Risk Preparedness. He coordinated the drafting of the ICOMOS-TICCIH joint principles on industrial heritage. For this involvement, and his contribution to the progress of the cause of heritage and its conservation locally and globally, he was appointed to the Order of Canada.