Protecting the World’s Cultural Heritage in Times of Change:
Emergency Preparedness and Response

8 December 2011

09.00 - 09.45 hrs  Registration & Coffee at the National Museum of Korea

09.45 - 11.00 hrs  Opening Ceremony
Master of Ceremony: Chang In-Kyung, Board, ICOM Korea

Julien Anfruns, President of ICBS

Kim Youngna, Director General of the National Museum of Korea

Choe Kwang Shik, Korean Minister of Culture, Sports and Tourism

Keynote speeches

Richard Kurin, Under Secretary fo History, Art, and Culture, Smithsonian Institution
“Cultural heritage emergencies: Are we prepared to respond, and how?”

Kim Sang-Hun, CEO, NHN Corporation
Keynote opening speech

11.00 - 12.00 hrs  The impacts of natural disasters and environmental changes
Master of Session: Han Sang-Wan, President, Korean Association of Archives Management

Eladio Fernandez-Galiano, Executive Secretary, EUR-OPA Major Hazards Agreement, Council of Europe
“Impact of climate change on disasters and built cultural heritage: some European experiences and action”

Kwon Won-Tae, Director General, Korean National Institute of Meteorological Research
“Climate change and cultural heritage”

12.00 - 14.00 hrs  Lunch

14.00 - 15.30 hrs  The impacts of natural disasters and environmental changes
Master of Session: Han Sang-Wan, President, Korean Association of Archives Management

Takeyuki Okubo, Professor, Department of Science and Engineering, Ritsumeikan University
“Environmental Water Supply Systems (E.W.S.S.) for disaster prevention”

Eiji Mizushima, Chair of the Board, ICOM Japan
“Rescue and restoration of museum collection damaged by the East Japan great earthquake”

Richard Kurin, Under Secretary fo History, Art, and Culture, Smithsonian Institution
“The Haiti cultural recovery project”

Discussion, Q&A with all the participants

15.30 - 16.00 hrs  Coffee break
16.00 - 18.00 hrs  
**Protecting heritage during armed conflict and political crisis**  
Master of session: Kim Hongnam, ICOM Disaster Relief Task Force

Jiří Toman, Disaster Relief Law Specialist, Santa Clara Law Faculty  
“The 1954 Hague Convention – Fundamental step to the protection of cultural property”

Kim Lena, Professor Emerita, Hongik University  
“Evacuating art treasures during the Korean war”

Karl von Habsburg, President, Association of the National Committees of the Blue Shield  
“The means for an effective protection of cultural heritage”

Corine Wegener, President, US Committee of the Blue Shield  
“An effective protection of cultural heritage during times of conflict”

Hafed Walda, Professor, Centre for Computing in the Humanities (King’s College London)  
“Libya’s Archaeology and the recent war: the story”

Discussion, Q&A with all the participants

19.00 hrs  
Cocktail reception and welcome dinner. To mark the occasion of this first ever international conference of ICBS, there will be a special gala concert performed by the internationally acclaimed pianist Min-Jung Kym prior to the welcome dinner.

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09.00 - 10.40 hrs  
**Protecting cultural heritage through its diversity**  
Master of Session: Chung Utak, Assistant Secretary-General, UNESCO Korea

Amareswar Galla, Director, International Institute for the Inclusive Museum  
“Rethinking safeguarding of heritage during emergencies. A critical reflection from the field”

Zeynep Gul Unal, Professor, Faculty of Architecture, Yildiz Technical University, ICOMOS-ICORP  
“An international organisation working on preservation of cultural heritage in disaster situations. ICORP: Road map, roles, projects and practices”

Graham Matthews, Head, Department of Information Science, Loughborough University  
“Protecting cultural heritage through its diversity – Libraries, archives and museums”

Wan-Seok, General Manager, Internet Incidents Prevention Planning Team, Internet Security Agency  
“Protecting cultural heritage through its diversity: The case of digital heritage”

Discussion, Q&A with all the participants

10.40 - 11.10 hrs  
Coffee break

11.10 - 12.30 hrs  
**Preparedness and response at the regional and local level**  
Master of Session: Chung Utak, Assistant Secretary-General, UNESCO Korea

Francesco Pisano, Manager, UNOSAT/UNITAR  
“The role of new technologies in safeguarding cultural heritage. UNOSAT: Satellite imagery analysis for emergency response and human security”
Corine Wegener, President, US Committee of the Blue Shield
“Evaluation and risk prevention, the circle of learning”

Joanne Farchakh Bajjaly, Archaeologist, Journalist
“Communities preserving their heritage in times of conflict. Lebanon & Iraq, 1975-2006”

Dacia Viejo-Rose, McDonald Institute for Archaeological Research, University of Cambridge
“From response to recovery: Perspectives on the role of cultural heritage during conflict and in its aftermath”

12.30 - 14.30 hrs  Lunch

14.30 - 16.00 hrs  Improving the protection of cultural heritage, a global approach
Master of Session: Choe Chong-Pil, Executive Member, ICOMOS Korea

Richard Desgagné, Regional Legal Advisor for South-East Asia, International Committee of the Red Cross
“The role and activities of the ICRC for the protection of cultural property as part of the promotion and dissemination of IHL and its domestic implementation”

Daniel Ben-Natan, President, World Federation of Friends of Museums
“The changing role of the public and public opinion in protecting cultural heritage in emergency situations”

Patrick Boylan, Professor Emeritus of Heritage Policy and Management, City University of London
“The role of civilian heritage experts and organisations in emergency situations: past, present and future”

Discussion, Q&A with all the participants

16.00 - 16.30 hrs  Coffee break

16.30 - 18.00 hrs  Final roundtable: Improving the protection of cultural heritage, a transversal approach
Chair and moderator: Julien Anfruns, President of ICBS

Kim Byung-Mo, Professor Emeritus, President, Korean Institute of Heritage

Karl von Habsburg, President, Association of the National Committees of the Blue Shield

Patrick Boylan, Professor Emeritus of Heritage Policy and Management, City University of London

Jiří Toman, Disaster Relief Law Specialist, Santa Clara Law Faculty, representing UNESCO

18.00 - 18.30 hrs  Closing ceremony

19.00 hrs  Cocktail reception, farewell dinner and Korean cultural event

10 December 2011

Excursion day to several cultural sites and museums in Seoul
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