International Day for Monuments and Sites - 18 April 2023 – Events (China)

# 1. 418 International Day of Monuments and Sites "Heritage Changes" themed event

#### Organisers:

ICOMOS China, Beijing Municipal Bureau of Cultural Relics, Office for the Protection of the Central Axis

# Activities:

This event on the theme of "heritage changes", through expert lectures, joint discussions, public engagement, and exhibition displays, gives attendees a chance to share their ideas about the conservation and use of cultural heritage in the changing times.

#### Date:

18 April 2023

# Location:

Yuanmingyuan Park, Beijing, China

# **Official Website:**

http://www.icomoschina.org.cn



# 2. Beijing Central Axis: Cultural Heritage and the Press Event of Urban Sustainable Development Report

#### Organisers:

**ICOMOS** China

#### Activities:

This seminar in the theme of sustainable heritage development, while sharing the research work of indicator system from four aspects. First, governance and development: increase policy guarantee, improve the environment and ecology, and increase financial input and infrastructure. Second, better life: promote industrial development and enterprise gathering, increase the vitality of consumption. Third, mass participation: increase school, social education, and creative activities. Finally, communication and cultural protection: promoting cultural cohesion and spreading radiation. At the same time, it puts forward three suggestions of multiple participation, digital communication and innovation linkage.

#### Date:

April 18, 2023

# Location:

Yuanmingyuan Park, Beijing, China

# **Official Website:**

http://www.icomoschina.org.cn

#### 3. International Day for Monuments and Sites Theme Forum

#### **Organisers:**

ICOMOS China, Management Committee of Hangzhou Liangzhu Site Management Area, Liangzhu Museum (Liangzhu Research Institute) and Hangzhou Liangzhu Ancient City Site World Heritage Monitoring Management Centre, Zhejiang Xindao Cultural Development Co.

#### Activities:

To promote the corporation between Archaeological sites of China, this forum themed "Creating and Sharing the Future of Our Past: Conservation of Archaeological Heritage in Transformation", by inviting experts in the field of heritage around China, giving them a chance to share while discussing. In this forum, participants agree unanimously to the proposal of promoting the establishment of the Archaeological Heritage Management Committee of the China Association of Monuments and Sites. The aim of this committee is to further build consensus in the sector, promote the exploration of the forefront of archaeological heritage conservation and management, in particular, to close ties with the ICOMOS, and broaden international exchange and cooperation in the field of archaeological heritage.

#### Date:

April 12, 2023

#### Location:

Liangzhu, Hangzhou Province

#### Official website:

http://www.icomoschina.org.cn



4. National Archaeological Site Park Expo and "Archaeological China -The Progress of Civilization in the Middle Reaches of Yangtze River" Exhibition

# Organisers:

Hubei Provincial Department of Culture and Tourism (Hubei Provincial Bureau of Cultural Relics), Hunan Provincial Bureau of Cultural Relics, Henan Provincial Bureau of Cultural Relics, Anhui Provincial Bureau of Cultural Relics, Jiangxi Provincial Bureau of Cultural Relics, Hubei Provincial Museum and Hubei Provincial Institute of Cultural Relics and Archaeology

# Activities:

Together with thematic exhibitions, the fair relies on a series of major new archaeological discoveries, to showcase the progress of civilisation in the middle reaches of the Yangtze River in a comprehensive manner. The expo features 23 national archaeological site parks from 13 provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities, and 19 service providers from 10 provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities, covering the country's major representative sites. The thematic exhibition relies on a series of major new archaeological discoveries, with many artefacts on display for the first time. By publicising and displaying important achievements in archaeological research, site conservation and heritage utilisation, the activity aims to promote exchanges and mutual appreciation between Hubei and nearby provinces, regions and cities.

# Date:

April 18, 2023

# Location:

Wuhan, Hubei Province

# Official Website:

http://www.ncha.gov.cn/index.html

# 5. Summit on the Development of National Archaeological Heritage Parks in the New Era

#### Organisers:

National Cultural Heritage Administration, Hubei Provincial Department of Culture and Tourism (Cultural Relics Bureau) and Wuhan Municipal Government

#### Activities:

This summit invites experts, scholars and young representatives from more than 40 universities and research institutes nationwide, to discuss and brainstorm on the theme of "New perspectives on the development of archaeological heritage parks", "New thinking for youth" and "High-quality development of heritage museums in a new era". After this summit, conferees are invited to join the "Archaeological China -- Yangtze River Night" cultural exhibition activity.

#### Date:

April 18, 2023

#### Location:

Wuhan, Hubei Province

#### **Official Website:**

http://www.ncha.gov.cn/index.html

# 6. "Ciniao" Youth Volunteers Event

# Organiser:

Beijing Ciniao Cultural Media Co. LTD

#### Activists:

This activity is aimed at young people. By visiting the cultural heritage of ancient canals under the leadership and explanation of heritage conservation experts, to provide them with an in-depth understanding of canal history, while promoting canal culture.

#### Date:

April 15, 2023, 8:30-12:30 a.m. April 16, 2023, 8:30-12:30

# Location:

Summer Palace - Guangyuan Gate (April 15) Pingjin Gate and the surrounding area (April 16)

# 7. The Lecture of Digital Technology Assists Central Axis Protection

#### Organiser:

Beijing Dongcheng Cultural Development Research Institute

# Activists:

Through the expert's themed speech, this lecture aims at promoting Chinese cultural heritage, as well as Central Axis in Beijing. This lecture gives a detailed description of the application of digital twinning in cultural heritage protection through four parts: the multidimensional demand analysis of cultural heritage protection and inheritance, the analysis of the core concept and technical system of digital twinning, the combing of the application scenarios of digital twinning of cultural heritage empowerment, and the prospect of future development.

# Date:

April 21, 2023

# Location:

Beijing Dongcheng Cultural Development Research Institute

# **Official Website:**

Wechat official account of "Dongcheng Cultural Development Research Institute"

# 8. Beijing Central Axis Youth Camp

#### Organiser:

Beijing Xicheng District Historical and Cultural City Protection and Promotion Centre "Four talents" project -- heritage testing studio

# Activists:

To promote and enrich the background information of China's application for World Cultural Heritage of the Beijing Central Axis, this special camp is aimed at the young generation who are highly interested in heritage and relevant knowledge. Through immersive camp learning, professional heritage mapping work and digital heritage creative transformation, a series of theoretical, fieldwork visits and video creation activities are conducted on the theme of cultural heritage conservation, as well as historic districts rich in traditional cultural elements of old Beijing.

#### Date:

From April 15 to June 30, 2023

# Location:

Beijing old town Tianqiao area

# **Official Website:**

https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/VBcWhiiciu-7Mk0Hpg0T1Q



# 9. Modern Tianjin undergoing change: International Day for Monuments and Sites

#### Organisers:

Tianjin Hebei District Cultural Relics Administration Institute, Liang Qichao Memorial Hall, Tianjin

# Activists:

Based on the theme of "heritage changes", experts are invited to promote the region's cultural heritage to communities, while answering their questions on heritage conservation through lectures, seminars, and various audience interactions.

#### Date:

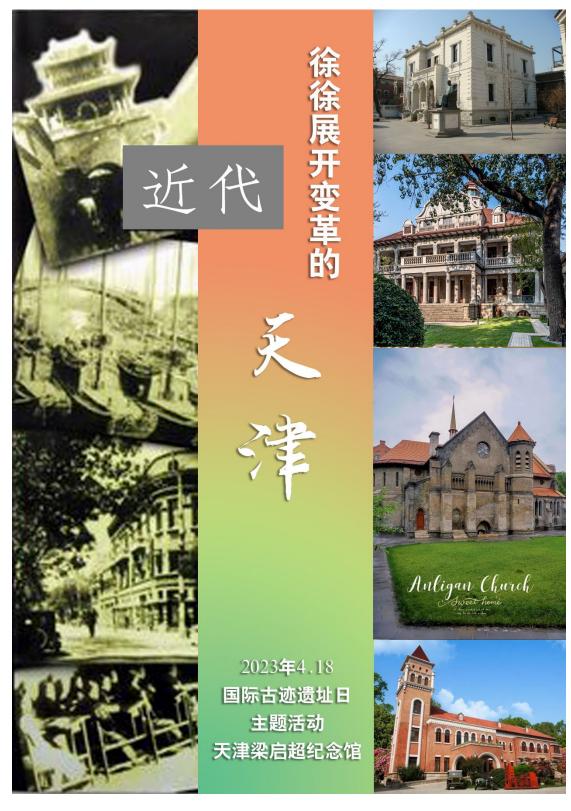
Monday, April 18, 2023, 2:00-3:30 p.m

# Location:

Liang Qichao Memorial Hall, No. 44-46 Minzu Road, Hebei District, Tianjin

# **Official Website:**

https://whly.tj.gov.cn/



#### 10. Activities of International Day for Monuments and Sites in Shandong

#### **Organisers:**

Shandong Provincial Department of Culture and Tourism, Shandong Provincial Historical Sites Protection Association, Jining Culture and Tourism Bureau, Qufu Municipal People's Government, Qufu Cultural Relics Bureau

# Activities:

Combined with local Shandong culture, the event aims to discuss the future development of cultural heritage conservation in Shandong, meanwhile promoting local heritage conservation achievements through traditional cultural performances, promotional videos, presentations of heritage conservation and utilisation projects and speeches by expert leaders.

#### Date:

April 17, 2023

# Location:

Qufu Confucius Temple poetry Hall and Queli Hotel International Conference Hall

# **Official Website:**

http://whhly.shandong.gov.cn/

# 11. Shandong Province 4-18 International Day of Monuments and Sites 2023 Main City Event

#### Organisers:

Shandong Provincial Department of Culture and Tourism, Shandong Association for the Protection of Monuments and Sites, Jining City Culture and Tourism Bureau, Qufu City People's Government, Qufu City Cultural Relics Bureau

#### Activities:

Activities through the viewing of promotional films, studying conservation projects, reporting the results of heritage protection, and carrying out the theme of lectures and other forms to the participants, to spread the knowledge of heritage conservation, and promote the effectiveness of heritage conservation work in Shandong Province.

#### Date:

April 17, 2023

# Location:

Qufu, Shandong Province

# 12. International Day for Monuments and Sites in Anyang

# Organisers:

Nanyang Municipal Culture, Radio, Film and Tourism Bureau, Nanyang Institute of Cultural Heritage Conservation, Nanyang Museum

# Activities:

This event is the theme of "Heritage Changes: the heritage significance of great tea road in modern society". Achievements of heritage conservation exhibition, world heritage list application of great tea road exhibition, culture creative production fair, and seminar on "great tea road" are held during this event. Meanwhile, from April 16 to April 18, all the visitors who visit Nanyang ancient government and Shedian ancient town can enjoy 50% off tickets.

# Date:

April 16, 2023

# Location:

Grand Hall of Nanyang Ancient Government

# Official website:

https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/gDPp0gqSuDfX8t7Env8Y8g

# 13. International Day for Monuments and Sites in Zhunmadian

# Organiser:

Zhumadian Cultural Tourism Bureau

# Activities:

In order to inherit the spirit of International Day for Monuments and Sites, school pupils in Zhumadian are invited to visit the city museum, to explore the local history while passing traditional culture from generation to generation.

# Date:

April 18, 2023

# Location:

Zhumadian Museum

# Official website:

https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/O8NvIaFUCdvn3Gp26YsDGA

# 14. Micro-class in the theme of "Heritage Changes"

# Organiser:

Xian Beilin Museum

#### Activities:

This event use the theme of "Heritage Changes" as a core idea, through poster delivery and voluntary interpretation, in a hope to promote the sustainability heritage conservation approach to the youth group.

# Date:

April 18, 2023

# Official website:

http://www.beilin-museum.com/

#### 15. Silk Roads: the Reservoir Project

#### Organisers:

ICOMOS International Conservation Centre Xi' An (IICC-X)

#### Activities:

#### Event 1: Conservation and Utilisation of Industrial Heritage - Xiying Film

About 30 international and domestic university students are guided by professional interpreters to visit Xiying Film Museum and exchange views on innovation in conserving and utilising the industrial heritages in Xi'an. With the successful public event at Xiying Film Museum, the 2023 "Cultural Heritage Awareness Season" of IICC-X and the 418 IDMS "Silk Roads: the Reservoir Project" serial activities are officially kicked off.

# Event 2: The Daming Palace Site in Transformation - Education & Inspiration Practice at Daming Palace Site Research Centre

170 students from Xi'an Jiaotong University, Northwest University and Shaanxi Normal University attended on-site. The event aims to encourage students from different universities and fields of study to think and explore the critical issues related to "Heritage Changes" and join hands in innovative heritage conservation, utilisation, and development. It also calls for the active participation of all people in the Great Heritage Site conservation, with broader attention from youth groups and society.

# Event 3: Visit the Tang West Market Museum and Collaborative Game Themed on the Silk Roads Cultural Heritage

Students visit the Tang West Market Museum and learn about the history and culture of Tang Chang'an City and the Tang West Market. They experience and participate in the Silk Road cultural heritage theme collaborative games on the Tang West Market's "Silk Road Street". Each group combine domestic and

international students. They team up to collect "Silk Roads Map" stamps at five locations on the Silk Road Street: China Square, India Square, Kucha Square, the "Mogao Caves" model, and the Southeast Asia Corridor of the Silk Road Street.

# Time schedule and location:

Event 1: Time: April 15, 2023 Location: Xiying Museum Event 2: Time: April 18, 2023 Location: The Daming Palace Site Event 3: Time: April 18, 2023 Location: Tang West Market Museum

# **Official Website:**

http://iicc.org.cn/

16. World Heritage, climate change and resilience -- Heritage disaster response and emergency risk response under the threat of climate change

#### Organisers:

School of Architecture and Urban Planning, Tongji University, WHITRAP Shanghai

#### Activities:

The event will focus more on the practical aspects of the work, in addition to understanding and reflecting on climate change itself, scholars, experts and heritage managers will share their work and reflect on some of the issues involved, and will discuss "what needs to be done to complement and strengthen the work under the threat of climate change" and "what traditional experiences are worth carrying forward".

#### Date:

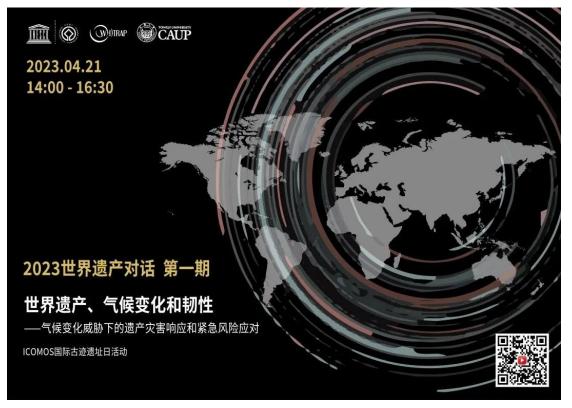
April 21, 2023

# Location:

Online

# **Official website**

http://www.whitr-ap.org/index.php?classid=1515



#### 17. Maritime Silk Road Salon for Students

#### Organiser:

Nanjing Culture Heritage for Maritime Silk Road

#### Activities:

By inviting experts in fields related to the Maritime Silk Road, this salon discusses while introducing the knowledge of the Maritime Silk Road and the local history of Nanjing in a lively format with the students. The event aims to promote university students' understanding of Nanjing culture and enhance their cultural confidence.

#### Date:

April 14, 2023

#### Location:

Jinling Institute of Technology Library, Nanjing, Jiangsu Province, China



18. "International Day for Monuments and Sites ---- Heritage Changes" The West Lake Cultural Envoy visits and studies the Grand Canal (the edition of Jane's Walk)

# Organiser:

Hangzhou West Lake World Cultural Heritage Monitoring and Management Centre Hangzhou West Lake Cultural Envoy Association

# Activists:

To promote "heritage changes" and "historic district", this activity uses various task achievement activities to encourage local students to deeply understand local heritage and community. At the end of this event, students come up with feedback in the form of either video or an interview.

# Date:

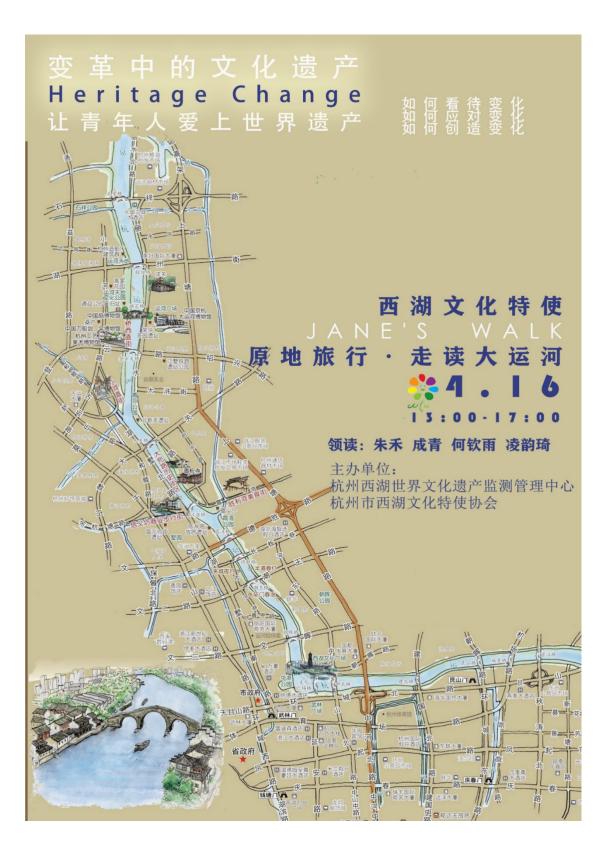
April 16, 2023, 13:00-17:00 a.m.

# Location:

All along the bank of the Grand Canal

# **Official Website:**

http://westlake.hangzhou.gov.cn/art/2020/9/11/art 1229288243 72234.html



# 19. Themed Activity of International Day of Monuments and Sites in Jingdezhen

#### Organisers:

Jingdezhen Municipal Party Committee Publicity Department, Municipal Heritage Application Office, Municipal Bureau of Culture and Tourism

#### Activities:

The event in the form of employing heritage volunteers, reciting classic poems on ceramic culture, releasing a series of videos on "Jingdezhen in the Heritage", and holding a lecture on heritage application. Through various activities, this themed activity aims to call for community involvement as well as promote heritage conservation knowledge.

#### Date:

April 18, 2023

#### Location:

Yuyao Museum, Jingdezhen, Jiangxi Province

#### **Official Website:**

https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/yx8hXUSLP3sWD21rVfFO g

# 20. Yinxu Museum: "International Day for Monuments and Sites" event

# Organiser:

Anyang Municipal Bureau of Cultural Heritage, Yinxu Museum, Xiangtai Office of Yindu District, Anyang

# Activists:

Under the theme of "heritage changes", Yinxu Museum chooses the Oracle as the main topic. Through exhibitions and lectures combined with high technology, this event aims at students and residents of the local conservation areas, to raise their awareness of local cultural heritage and understanding of traditional Chinese culture.

# Date:

April 18, 2023

# Location:

Danfeng Garden of Yinxu, Anyang

# **Official Website:**

https://wwj.anyang.gov.cn/



# 21. Boundless Book Club (Special edition for International Day for Monuments and Sites and World Book and Copyright Day)

#### Organisers:

Education and Culture Committee, Resources and Environment Committee of Hubei Provincial Committee of Jiusan Society, Hubei Land and Spatial Planning Society Professional Committee for Historical and Cultural Conservation, New World China, Jiusan Society Wuhan Municipal Committee Jiangan District Working Committee, Wuhan Shared Heritage Research Institute

#### Activities:

Experts and scholars are invited to explore the changes in the urban landscape and the future development of the historic city with the theme of "heritage changes" in the example of "Wuchang Old Town".

#### Date:

18 April 2023, 19:00 - 20:30

#### Location:

Wuhan, China

# **Official Website:**

http://aup.hust.edu.cn/info/1142/3411.htm



#### 22. Diaoyucheng Site Visit

#### Organisers:

Chongqing Municipal Bureau of Cultural Relics, Chongqing Institute of Cultural Relics and Archaeology, Chongqing Association for the Protection of Monuments and Sites and Chongqing Archaeological Cultural and Creative Arts Centre, Chongqing Diaoyu City Scenic Spot Affairs Centre, Hechuan, Chongqing

#### Activities:

Nearly 100 representatives of the community, led by archaeologists, visit the site of Diaoyucheng, the only national archaeological site park in Chongqing, to demonstrate the local cultural characteristics of the city as well as to strengthen the cultural confidence of residents.

#### Date:

April 18, 2023

Location: Diaoyucheng, Chongqing

#### **Official Website:**

http://whlyw.cq.gov.cn/

# 23. All together to save the heritage building

# Organisers:

Kucha City Council, CHCD

#### Activities:

The event focuses on the influence of heritage on cultural identity and national integration, in the theme of "heritage changes", through on-site technical guidance by conservation experts, restoration by local traditional artisans according to traditional techniques, and active participation of residents. This event not only illustrates the contribution of digital technology in the areas of nowadays heritage conservation but also improves the basic knowledge of heritage consecration to local people.

#### Date:

April 16, 2023

#### Location:

Diaoyucheng, Chongqing

#### **Official Website:**

https://www.xjkc.gov.cn/

# 24. Launch of the Digital Cave of Scriptures, a Participatory Museum in Hyperspace

#### Organisers:

National Cultural Heritage Administration, Dunhuang Academy and Tencent

#### Activities:

Through the launch of the Digital Cave of Tibetan Scriptures, it is hoped that more people, especially young people, will gain a better understanding of China's cultural heritage, while at the same time hoping that in this way Dunhuang culture can spread to the world and become a cultural ambassador. The launch takes the form of lectures by experts and product experiences. The Digital Cave of Tibetan Scriptures aims to restore historical scenes, using a combination of high-definition digital photography, physical rendering of the game engine and global dynamic lighting and other game technologies, to vividly recreate the Cave of Tibetan Scriptures a century ago.

#### Date:

April 18, 2023

# Location:

Dunhuang, Gansu Province

# **Official Website:**

http://www.dha.ac.cn

# 25. Themed Activities in Doumen District

#### Organiser:

Doumen District Culture, Radio, Film, Tourism and Sports Bureau

# Activities:

This event focus on the residents and students who highly have relationship with Doumen heritage conservation area. Through various activities such as fire safety drill, cultural heritage protection knowledge training, historical memory lecture at Nanmen Village Luyi Hall, and cultural heritage exhibition, to promote heritage conservation knowledge and the great history background in Doumen District.

# Date:

April 18, 2023

# Location:

Doumen District, Zhuhai, Guangdong

# Official website:

https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/5ggsK3qRRP55Nlk1DBoJ w

