ICOMOS EVALUATION PROCESS

**Legend:**
- States Parties
- World Heritage Centre (WHC)
- ICOMOS

**March/April**
- Inventory and verification of the completeness of the Nomination dossiers

**February**
- 1st February: WHC receives the Nomination dossiers

**March**
- 1st March: the WHC informs States Parties of the completeness of their Nomination dossier

**April**
- NOTIFICATION TO STATE PARTIES
  - ICOMOS sends instructions regarding its Technical Evaluation Mission

**May**
- ICOMOS receives Nomination dossiers

**June**
- CONSULTATIONS
  - ICOMOS International Scientific Committees, ICOMOS National Committees, International Partner Organizations, Independent experts

**July**
- ICOMOS TECHNICAL EVALUATION MISSIONS
  - Mission Reports
  - Desk Reviews
  - Advice from ICOMOS National Committees

**August**
- 1st ICOMOS WORLD HERITAGE PANEL MEETING

**September**
- ICOMOS requests additional information from the State Parties

**October**
- Before February 28: State Parties send additional information to ICOMOS

**November**
- 2nd ICOMOS WORLD HERITAGE PANEL MEETING

**December**
- Interim reports including additional information letters are sent to the State Parties
- Before 31 January: Reception of referred back Nomination dossiers

**January**
- Year 2
  - 6 weeks before the World Heritage Committee
  - The WHC sends ICOMOS Evaluations to the members of the World Heritage Committee

**February**
- Year 2
  - States Parties by the WHC

**March**
- World Heritage Committee