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ICOMOS 16th General Assembly and International Scientific Symposium Québec, Canada, 29 September 4 October 2008

Deadline for submission of abstracts

The deadline for the submission of abstracts is approaching. Abstracts for the Scientific Symposium must be **submitted online before 15 February 2008**.

The Call for Papers can be consulted at <http://www.conferium.com/Clients/icomos/en/pdf/Appel-then.pdf> (PDF)

Conditions for submitting an abstract, and abstract submission link can be found at http://www.conferium.com/Clients/icomos/en/05_appelconferences2.htm

For the latest updates on the 16th General Assembly please visit regularly the website of the organisation committee: <http://quebec2008.icomos.org>

ICOMOS France: Colloque international - Journées techniques Bois: Conservation-restauration des structures bois; application au patrimoine bâti

Metz (France), 29-31 mai 2008. 26 communications par des spécialistes français et européens, visites de chantiers en cours à Metz et dans les environs.

Communications:

Allemagne: U. Noldt;

Belgique: D. Houbrechts, A. Sabbe;

France: C. Bottineau, P. Galimard, E. Pallot, Y. Le Digol, J.-J. Rioult, J.-L. Taupin, M. Ferauge, P.-Y. Caillault, P. Triboulot, E. Maurin, F. Calame, F. Carli, C. Fahrner, G. Genès, P. Triboulot, M.-C. Triboulot;

Grande-Bretagne: D. Yeomans;

Italie: C. Bertolini, C. Blasi, G. Tampone;

Norvège: T. Nypan;

Turquie: T. Cobançoğlu.

Le programme détaillé sera prochainement disponible.

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ICOMOS Grèce: Nouveau conseil d'administration ICOMOS Greece: New Board of Directors

Suivant les élections du 11 Decembre 2007, le nouveau conseil d'administration d'ICOMOS Grèce se constitue comme suivant:

As a result of the elections held on 11 December 2007, the new Board of Directors of ICOMOS Greece is constituted as follows:

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ICOMOS – ICIP:

“Toward International Principles in Heritage Interpretation: Ideological Imposition or Tools for Intercultural Communication?” Sixth World Archaeological Congress in Dublin (29 June – 4 July).

- What are the worldwide ethical and policy dimensions of public archaeological interpretation?
- As archaeological sites around the world are increasingly developed and used as economically-driven leisure-time venues, are professional standards for public interpretation needed?
- Or are those standards themselves part of a globalizing wave?
- How do standards in the public interpretation of cultural heritage relate to, or contribute to, emerging subfields of public archaeology such as civically engaged archaeology and the archaeology of social justice and sites of conscience?

These are the main questions we will address in a session entitled “Toward International Principles in Heritage Interpretation: Ideological Imposition or Tools for Intercultural Communication?” that we are organizing at the [Sixth World Archaeological Congress](#) in Dublin (29 June – 4 July).

Co-sponsored by the [ICOMOS International Scientific Committee on Interpretation and Presentation \(ICIP\)](#), the US ICOMOS Specialized Committee on Interpretation and Presentation (SCIP), and the [Ename Center for Public Archaeology and Presentation](#), this two-hour session will explore the meaning and possible usefulness (or uselessness) of texts like the [Burra Charter](#), the [ICOMOS Charter for Interpretation and Presentation \(Ename Charter\)](#), and the [Council of Europe Framework Convention on the Value of Cultural Heritage for Society \(Faro Convention\)](#).

This session will examine the possible contributions of these and other initiatives to international efforts for establishing standards for interpretation and presentation that transcend national and cultural boundaries. It will examine the practicality and application of key concepts and principles such as “Authenticity,” “Inclusiveness,” and “Sustainability” across cultural, political, and economic boundaries.

If you are interested in participating, we encourage you to submit an abstract for a 5-10 minute position paper that will serve as the basis for the session’s discussion and debate. For more information about this session please visit [this page](#).

Abstracts can be submitted [online](#). Please mention the theme “Getting the Message Across - Communicating Archaeology [10]” and the session name (as above). Please also note that the deadline for submitting abstracts is 22 February.

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ICOMOS International Scientific Committee of Vernacular Architecture (CIAV) Newsletter n°8

The eighth CIAV Newsletter can be consulted at: <http://www.icomos.org/ciav/Newsletter8th.pdf> (PDF)

Contents:

- Quebec 2008
- Red River Terrace
- 2008/US International Exchange in Historic Preservation
- CIAV New Members
- Bangkok Documentation Camp

International Conference on Glass Science in Art and Conservation (GLASSAC-08), 5-7 March 2008, Valencia, Spain: Programme now available

The provisional programme of the CLASSAC-08 congress is now available on the congress'

Website: <http://www.uv.es/glassac>.

The congress' website also contains details on registration, payment, and hotel accommodation.

To register, download the Registration Form and the Accommodation Form and send them by fax to +34 963 411 046 or by e-mail to congresos.valencia@viajeseci.es

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**The International Conference Pro-Revita Lodz 2008:
Revitalisation Models and their implementation in the cities of European
Heritage**

Lodz, Poland, 26-28 June 2008. Organised by the Institute of Architecture and Urban Planning of the Technical University of Lodz, Poland

A PDF with detailed information on the conference program and registration procedure can be requested at the conference bureau:

Conference Bureau:

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<http://www.arch.p.lodz.pl>

Conference Calendar:

29 Feb 2008: Deadline for paper proposals with abstract up to one page A4 to be sent by e-mail to biuroi35@p.lodz.pl or by fax to +4842 636 78 73

31 March 2008: The Scientific Committee notifies about accepted papers

31 May 2008: Deadline for payment of conference fee and submission of papers

International Symposium on Conservation of Ancient Sites 2008 (ISCAS-2008) 22-24 September 2008, Dunhuang, China

A PDF containing detailed information on the conference as well as the registration form can be requested at the contact address given below.

Symposium Objectives

There are a great number of grottoes and ancient earthen historical sites located in northwest China. During the past 10 years, Chinese scholars have not only achieved a great deal of scientific research and engineering practice on the conservation of ancient sites, but also cooperated with many international organizations. The aim of the symposium is to demonstrate the latest improvements and achievements in the field of international conservation of ancient sites, and to provide a discussion forum for the participants of this symposium.

Symposium Themes

- Environment and conservation of ancient sites.
- Geological engineering and conservation of ancient sites.
- Research on main geological damages and mechanism of ancient sites.
- Research on materials and technologies for conservation of ancient sites.
- Research on deformation monitoring and stability analysis of ancient sites.
- Typical case histories relating consolidation engineering of ancient sites.

Working Languages

The official languages of the symposium are English and Chinese. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided.

Deadlines

31 March 2008: Submission of the registration form by e-mail, fax or post

Submission of the full paper for who had submitted their abstracts by E-mail, Fax or Correspondence before Mar. 31, 2008.

Submission of the abstract and the full paper for those not yet submitted their abstracts by E-mail, Fax or Correspondence before Mar. 31, 2008.

A PDF containing detailed information on the conference as well as the registration form can be requested at the contact address given below.

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Ename Center for Public Archaeology & Heritage Presentation: CHIRON Marie Curie Fellowship

The Ename Center for Public Archaeology and Heritage Presentation in Belgium is now soliciting applications from qualified candidates for a 9-month pre-doctoral CHIRON Marie Curie Fellowship, which includes full time salary, living expenses, and funds for travel and research materials.

Please note: Because of EU guidelines, candidates from Belgium are not eligible for this fellowship at the Ename Center, but are welcome to apply at CHIRON partner institutions in other EU member states. A note to US/ICOMOS members: Americans are eligible to apply, but securing a EU work permit in time for the fellowship may be a problem.

If you are interested in this vacancy, please send ASAP your CV and a letter of intent by e-mail to Eva Roels: eva.roels@enamecenter.org.

For more information about this fellowship program, please consult the websites of the Ename Center at <http://www.enamecenter.org/content/view/32/31/lang,en/> and CHIRON at <http://www.chiron-training.net/>

For more information on the Ename Center, see www.enamecenter.org or contact info@enamecenter.org.

Universidad de Barcelona: Máster en Arqueología Náutica Mediterránea

Lugar de celebración: Facultad de Geografía e Historia. Universidad de Barcelona.

Preinscripciones modulo 2 hasta el 15 de marzo de 2008

La realización únicamente del módulo 2 da derecho a la obtención de un Título de Postgrado

Tríptico Máster: <http://www.ub.edu/prehist/nautica/files/triptic.pdf> (PDF)

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Landscape Observatory of Catalonia: Web dossier on Dry Stone Landscapes; Events February 2008

The Landscape Observatory of Catalonia has put a web dossier on Dry Stone Landscapes online. It can be consulted under http://www.catpaisatge.net/pedra_seca and is available in Catalan, Spanish, English and French.

The objective of the dossier is to inform about the existence of dry stone landscapes and their diversity, as well as to collect, classify, arrange and make available to the public in a simple way initiatives, centres, institutions, news and books on the subject of dry stone in Catalonia and on an international scale. It is intended to become a point of reference on the subject of dry stone on the Internet, for specialised professionals as well as for the general public. It will be regularly updated and extended.

The dossier only includes those institutions, centres and initiatives which are maintaining an active web site. This criterion inevitably excludes sources of information on the subject which cannot be consulted from the web.

Events February 2008

You can consult the calendar of events for February 2008 at <http://www.catpaisatge.net/eng/agenda.php?dataCal=0208>

Landscape Observatory of Catalonia website: <http://www.catpaisatge.net>

Routledge launches two new publications: "Journal of Urbanism" and "Urban Research & Practice"

The Journal of Urbanism will focus on human settlement and its relation to the idea of sustainability, social justice and cultural understanding. The content will focus on Urban Regeneration, New Urbanism, European Urbanism, Landscape Urbanism, Urban Sustainability, Smart Growth, Livable Communities, Transit-Orientated Development, Walkable Communities and more. Read the full press release [here](#).

To find out more about Journal of Urbanism go to: www.informaworld.com/RJOU

Urban Research & Practice will provide a systematic description of urban issues, urban developments and urban policy and implementation. It will seek to explain variations in urban policies or urban governance and will analyse and evaluate the effects of these policies and processes. It will also look at the European-wide factors that impact on urban areas, urban policies and urban governance. Read the full press release [here](#).

To find out more about Urban Research and Practice go to: www.informaworld.com/RURP

Online Journal of Military Architecture and Fortification (ARX) – Issue V 2008

A PDF of the latest issue of ARX, the Online Journal of Military Architecture and Fortification published by the Fortress Explorer Society, can be requested by email at arxsp639@maltanet.net

Volumes 1 to 4 are available in HTML format on the website http://www.fortress-explorer.org/arx_issue_1.html

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