

PROGRAMME

Meeting of the Mediterranean European Focal Points for World Heritage

Florence (Italy), September 16 - 19, 2013

Monday, 16 September 2013

Morning: Arrival of participants

Afternoon: Possible Visit to the Cappella Brancacci (with vouchers)

FREE TIME

Tuesday, 17 September 2013

08.30 Registration

09.00/10.30 Introductory remarks (Italian Authorities, Advisory Bodies, WHC)
Introductory round of participants

10.30/10.45 Coffee-break

10.45/12.30 Appropriation of Periodic Reporting on national and site levels – challenges and benefits (Focal Point of United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland: Mr Christopher Young/ WHC: P. Totcharova and M. Maraña)

followed by Questions & Answers / Discussion

12.30/14.00 Lunch at Palazzo Coppini, Visit to the Palace and Presentation of Life Beyond Tourism®

14.00/15.15 Technical training on the online questionnaire – Section I (UNESCO: A. Borchi)
N.B.: Please bring your own laptops!

15.15/15.30 Coffee-break

15.30/17.30 Technical training on the online questionnaire – Section II (UNESCO: A. Borchi)
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FAQ's on World Heritage processes as follow-up to Periodic Reporting
N.B.: Please prepare your questions and if possible submit them in advance to wh-reporting@unesco.org

17.30 Visit of the works of restoration of Cappella Rucellai

Wednesday, 18 September 2013

08.30/10.30 Showcasing national World Heritage initiatives. *(5 min presentations by participants)*

Participants are invited to choose a topic; some suggestions are: risk management (i.e. fires, floods, earthquakes), community involvement, sustainable tourism, legislation.

N.B.: Please inform the World Heritage Centre in advance of the choice of your topic via e-mail to v.ferraro@unesco.org

10.30/10.45 Coffee-break

10.45/12.30 Special Focus – Statements of Outstanding Universal Value

- a) Process, timeline, case studies (WHC: A. Fiebig)
- b) Statements of Outstanding Universal Value as a basis for management system and decision-making processes (WHC: K. Manz; and Advisory Bodies) S
followed by Questions & Answers

12.30/14.00 Lunch

14.00/16.00 Capacity-Building: Global and sub-regional strategies (ICCROM and WHC) resulting from the Periodic Reporting exercise followed by Discussion

16.00/16.15 Coffee-break

16.15/18.00 Closing discussion and remarks

19.00/21.00 Cocktail Dinner at Palazzo Medici Riccardi with a visit of the Cappella Benozzo Gozzoli

Thursday, 19 September 2013

09.30/12.30 Site Visit - Percorso del Principe

12.30/14.00 Light Lunch at Villa Bardini

Afternoon: Departure of participants