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Landscape and transfrontier cooperation

The landscape knows no boundary

Andorra la Vella, Andorra
1-2 October 2015
Study Visit, 30 September 2015

– **DRAFT PROGRAMME** –

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The 16th Council of Europe Meeting of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention on “*Landscape and transfrontier cooperation: the landscape knows no boundary*”, is being organised by the Council of Europe – Directorate of Democratic Governance, Secretariat of the European Landscape Convention – in cooperation with the Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development of Andorra, within the context of the Work Programme of the European Landscape Convention of the Council of Europe.

The Meeting will take place in the Congress Centre of Andorra la Vella, Plaça del Poble, s/núm, AD500 – Andorra – Tel.: (+376) 730 005, Fax: (+376) 874 501.

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An optional study visit for the official delegates of the member States of the Council of Europe, speakers in the Programme and other participants, subject to their availability, will be organised on 30 September 2015 (meeting in front of the Congress Centre at 8.30 am).

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Introduction

As an international intergovernmental organisation created in 1949 and whose headquarters are located in Strasbourg (France), ***the Council of Europe*** has 47 member States: Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Republic Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”, Turkey, Ukraine and the United Kingdom. Its main objectives are to promote democracy, human rights and the rule of law and to seek common solutions to the main problems facing European society today.

The European Landscape Convention was adopted by the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe on 19 July 2000 in Strasbourg and opened for signature of the member States of the Organisation in Florence (Italy) on 20 October 2000, with the aim to promote European landscape protection, management and planning and to organise European cooperation. It is the first international treaty to be exclusively devoted to all aspects of European landscape. The Convention applies to the entire territory of the Parties and covers natural, rural, urban and peri-urban areas. It concerns landscapes that might be considered outstanding as well as every day or degraded landscapes. To date, 38 Council of Europe member States have ratified the Convention: Andorra, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Republic of Moldova, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Sweden, “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”, Turkey, Ukraine and the United Kingdom. Two states have signed the Convention: Iceland and Malta.

Organised by the Council of Europe on a regular basis, ***the Meetings of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention*** are an opportunity to present new concepts and achievements in connection with the Convention and represent a genuine forum for sharing practices and ideas. Special emphasis is given to the experiences of the state hosting the meeting.

The following Council of Europe Meetings of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention have previously been organised:

- 23-24 May 2002, Strasbourg (France): “Landscape policies: contribution to the well-being of European citizens and to sustainable development (social, economic, cultural and ecological approaches); Landscape identification, evaluation and quality objectives, using cultural and natural resources; Awareness-raising, training and education; Innovative tools for the protection, management and planning of landscape”
- 27-28 November 2003, Strasbourg (France): “Integration of landscapes in international policies and programmes and transfrontier landscapes; Landscapes and individual and social well-being; Spatial planning and landscape”
- 16-17 June 2005, Cork (Ireland): “Landscapes for urban, suburban and peri-urban areas”
- 11-12 May 2006, Ljubljana (Slovenia): “Landscape and society”
- 28-29 September 2006, Gerona (Spain): “Landscape quality objectives: from theory to practice”
- 20-21 September 2007, Sibiu (Romania): “Landscape and rural heritage”
- 24-25 April 2008, Piestany (Slovakia): “Landscape in planning policies and governance: towards integrated spatial management”
- 8-9 October 2009, Malmö (Sweden): “Landscape and driving forces”
- 15-16 April 2010, Cordoba (Spain): “Landscape and infrastructures for the society”
- 20-21 October 2011, Evora (Portugal): “Multifunctional landscape”
- 4-5 June 2012, Carbonia, Sardinia (Italy): “Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum of National Selections – Sessions 1 (2008-2009) and 2 (2010-2011)”
- 2-3 October 2012, Thessalonica (Greece): “Vision for the future of Europe on territorial democracy: landscape as a new strategy for spatial planning... Another way to see the territory involving civil society...”
- 2-3 October 2013, Cetinje (Montenegro): “Territories of the future: landscape identification and assessment: an exercise in democracy”
- 11-12 June 2014, Wrocław (Poland): “Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum of National Selections – Session 3 (2012-2013)”
- 1-2 October 2014, Urgup (Turkey): “Sustainable landscapes and economy: on the inestimable natural and human value of the landscape”

[The proceedings of the meetings are published in the Council of Europe’s “European Spatial Planning and Landscape” series and are available on the Council of Europe’s European Landscape Convention website: http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/cultureheritage/heritage/Landscape/Publications_en.asp]

Organisers

The Council of Europe would like to thank the Government of Andorra for its cooperation and hospitality. In addition, the Council of Europe would like to thank the Ministry of Environment Finland, the Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Department of Planning of Norway, the Swedish National Heritage Board and the Swiss Federal Office of the Environment, Forestry and Landscape for their support. Moreover, the organisation also wishes to thank the Landscape Observatory of Catalonia, Spain for its technical collaboration.



Objectives

The Meeting aims to analyse experiences, achieved or on-going, of transfrontier co-operation. The European Landscape Convention indeed states that “The Parties shall encourage transfrontier co-operation on local and regional level and, wherever necessary, prepare and implement joint landscape programmes” (Article 9 – Transfrontier landscapes). The Recommendation CM/Rec(2008)3 of the Committee of Ministers to member States on the guidelines for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention considers that “Transfrontier co-operation may result in joint landscape protection, management and planning programmes and take the form of instruments and measures agreed between the authorities (different administrative levels and general and sectoral competences) and relevant stakeholders on both sides of the border”. It notes that “Transfrontier co-operation is possible not only between neighbouring states but also between neighbouring regions and communities in the same state which have different landscape policies, on the basis either of territorial contiguity or common features”.

Websites

- **European Landscape Convention**
<http://www.coe.int/EuropeanLandscapeConvention>
<http://www.coe.int/Conventioneuropennedupaysage>
- **Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development of Andorra**
<https://www.www.govern.ad/>
<https://www.www.mediambient.ad>

Venue

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Participants

The Meeting is aimed at government officials – Members of the Council of Europe Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) and the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, representatives of other ministries –, representatives of local and regional authorities, universities, professionals, public and private governmental and non-governmental organisations working in the fields of landscape and sustainable management, with its environmental, cultural, social and economic dimensions. The number of participants is limited to 300.

Working languages

The working languages are English and French. Interpretation will be provided.

Programme

On the Council of Europe website, you will find the programme of the Meeting at the following address: <http://www.coe.int/EuropeanLandscapeConvention>, under “Meetings of the Convention / Workshops”

Registration

Participants are invited to complete the online registration form before **11 September 2015**.
http://a.cs.coe.int/team20/european_landscape_convention/Registration/october2015.aspx

There are no registration fees for participants.

Practical information

Transport by plane and then by bus – Participants are invited to make their own reservation

Transport by plane: Barcelona (Spain) or Toulouse (France).

Transport by bus from the airports of Barcelona and Toulouse to the hotels of Andorra (and return).

1. Transport service by bus from Barcelona Airport to Andorra hotels listed on the Programme

The organisers of the Meeting have arranged a free shuttle bus service (round trip) from Barcelona Airport to and from hotels in Andorra listed on the Programme.

On the days of arrival (29 and 30 September), a reception team will be available at Barcelona airport to facilitate the transfer bus from the terminal of Barcelona Airport T1 and T2 (with a sign of the Meeting visible).

Please fill out the following form, including your full name and with an the chosen date and time of the transfer, the terminal of arrival and departure and also the number of persons.

RESERVATION FORM FOR SHUTTLE BUS TRANSFER			
<i>Barcelona Airport - Andorra hotels listed on the Programme</i>			
<i>print, complete and send to:</i>			
Mrs Isabel RODRIGO PORTABELLA Logistics, PASS ANDORRA Tel: + 376 869 944 - Fax: + 376 869 945 E-mail: info@passandorra.com			
Full name:			
Go: from Barcelona airport to Andorra			
29 September 2015	Time	Terminal 1 or 2	Number of persons
	11:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	14:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	17:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
30 September 2015	Time	Terminal 1 or 2	Number of persons
	10:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	13:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	17:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Return: from Andorra to Barcelona airport			
2 October 2015	Time	Terminal 1 or 2	Number of persons
	19:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 October 2015	Time	Terminal 1 or 2	Number of persons
	06:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	09:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. Other possibilities for bus transport

Participants who are unable to use the free shuttle bus service **previously mentioned** or who wish to arrive through **Toulouse Airport**, are invited to get in touch directly with the regular bus companies of Andorra (information below) in order to make their own booking:

Toulouse Airport – City Andorra la Vella (return trip):

- Novatel Company: www.andorrabybus.com tel. + 376 803 789
- Company Montmantell: www.andorrabus.com tel. + 376 807 000

Barcelona Airport – City Andorra la Vella (return trip):

- Novatel Company: www.andorrabybus.com tel. + 376 803 789
- Company Montmantell: www.andorrabus.com tel. + 376 807 000
- Nadal Company: www.andorradirectbus.es tel. + 376 805 151

Hotels – *Participants are invited to make their own reservation*

Pre-negotiated special rates for the participants have been made at the following hotels. Participants are requested to make their reservations **directly** with the hotel by sending an E-mail to the contact person. Check-in is from 14:00, departure before 11:00.

Please note that reservations made after the deadline of 11 September 2015 are subject to hotel availability after this date. **Please note the cancellation policy:** for cancellations up to 48 hours prior to arrival, the first night will be charged. Cancellations made after this time will involve the invoicing of the total stay.

Please make sure you receive written confirmation of your reservation from the hotel.

The hotels selected by the organisation are located near the Congress Centre of Andorra, where the Meeting will be held (5 or 10 minutes' walk).

Hotel Isard***

250 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre
Website: www.hotelisard.com
Tel: +(376) 876800
E-mail: recepicio@hotelisard.com
Contact person: Mr Jorge RUBIO
Address: Av. Meritxell, 34
Price individual room (with breakfast): 35.10€ /per night
Price double room (with breakfast): 44.20 € /per night

Hotel Holiday Inn *****

300 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre
Website: www.plazandorra.com
Tel: +(376) 871383
E-mail: bookingcrowne@plazandorra.com
Contact person: Mrs Meri SOLER
Address: C. Prat de la Creu 88
Price individual room (with breakfast): 77.25 € /per night
Price double room (with breakfast): 87.50 € /per night

Hotel Arthotel ****

350 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre
Website: www.arthotel.ad
Tel: +(376) 760303
E-mail: arthotel@andorra.ad
Contact person: Mrs Núria MARTINEZ
Address: Prat de la Creu 15-25
Price individual room (with breakfast): 60.61€ /per night
Price double room (with breakfast): 81.51 € /per night

Hotel Andorra Park *****

360 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre
Website: www.andorraparkhotel.com
Tel: +(376) 877777
E-mail: rpp.park@andorraparkhotel.com
Contact person: Mrs Noémi SUBIRA
Address: Carrer les Canals
Price individual room (with breakfast): 129.92€ /per night
Price double room (with breakfast): 159.84€ /per night

For more information regarding other hotels in Andorra please consult the website:
<http://visitandorra.com/en/summer/sleeping/>

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CO2 Neutral event



Photos of the Programme, from the photographic competition Andorra landscapes

Cover: “Casamanya Peak”, Andorra (Irene Clua)

Current page: “Sky and stones”, Andorra (Esteve Argelich Tarrego)

Study visit: “Pas de la Casa”, Department of Environment and Sustainable Development (Farga Rossell) – Ministry of Culture

Other photos of the study visit, from the photographic competition Andorra landscapes - “Camí de memòria” (Eusebi Pérez Crespo); “Desglaç a ordino” (Ingrid Brousset Sansa)

Final page: “Contemplation” (Josep Santamaría Argelich)



Another event of interest!

Participants will see the works of art of the International Land Art Biennial Andorra, which will be held from 10 September to 10 October 10, 2015. Information will be provided at the Meeting.

WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

STUDY VISIT

*8.30-18.30: Study visit for the official delegates of the member States of the Council of Europe, speakers in the Programme and other participants subject to availability
(The number of participants is limited to 100)*

Meeting point at 8.30 a.m. in front of the Hotel Arthotel (Prat de la Creu, 15-25 – AD500 Andorra La Vella – Andorra - www.arthotel.ad - Tel: +(376) 760303).

Despite living in a mountainous and remote enclave, Andorrans have always sought exchanges with neighbouring countries in order to enhance their everyday lives. During our visit we will pass through diverse Andorran landscapes marked by economic activities which are always linked to bordering countries and have evolved over the course of time.

Morning: Valira de Oriente Valley

Departing from Andorra la Vella we will travel through the urban landscapes of the towns of **Escaldes-Engordany** and **Encamp**, among the most populous of Andorra, and head towards Canillo and its rural and natural landscapes, before moving into mixed landscapes (natural with human activities) in one of the largest skiable areas in the Pyrenees, now frequented by tourists from all over the world.

Our route peaks at **Col d'Envalira** (2400m high) where we can take in views of Andorra's mountains and glacial cirques in natural high-mountain landscapes to the south and the transfrontier landscapes on the border with France to the north. We will also look down on the town of **Pas de la Casa** and the **Ariège Valley in France**. These high-mountain landscapes are part-natural and part-man-made (with ski resorts), bearing an imprint of urbanisation developed through major trade activity due to the border location of Pas de la Casa and its position at the foot of the ski slopes.



Return to the municipality of **la Massana**, in the **Valira del Norte** and **Riu d'Arinsal** valleys.



13:00 – Lunch/sampling, prepared with Andorran gastronomic produce locally sourced around the “Farga Rossell”, a renovated former forge dating from the 17th century, the last vestige of the country's ironwork cultural heritage and the starting point of the Iron Route. Under its agricultural policy and the National Landscape Strategy the Government encourages the maintaining of rural landscapes by helping local producers to diversify and promote their produce.

Afternoon: Valira del Norte Valley

In the Middle Ages, transhumance and agricultural fairs provided Andorra's earlier inhabitants with a backdrop for trading cattle and buying foodstuffs that were difficult to obtain in a harsh mountain climate. From the 16th century onwards and right up to the end of the 19th century, semi-industrial activity developed with the mining of iron ore, its primary transformation in the country's forges and its transportation to larger towns in neighbouring countries. The Valira del Norte valley still has many vestiges of activities relating to the transportation and transformation of iron, set in traditional farming landscapes.

There are two visit options on offer:

Option A: Departing from la Massana, transportation to the start of the Iron Route. The journey will lead us through natural and rural landscapes and villages which have retained the country's traditional agricultural character (Ordino, Ansalonga, La Cortinada, Arans, Llorts), with their Romanesque churches (11th and 12th centuries). Continuation along the Iron Route on foot (4 km – 1 hour approximately) to discover this ancient road used to transport iron ore and coal to the forges. Sculptures created by various international artists are dotted along the route in an exceptional natural setting (<http://visitandorra.com/fr/winter/itineraires/sentier-de-randonnee-ruta-del-ferro/>).

The bus will pick up the participants at the end of the route and take them back to Ordino. Possibility of a stop for a self-guided tour of Ordino if remaining time permits. Trainers or light walking boots are strongly recommended.

Option B: Departing from la Massana, transportation to Ordino. The main centre of the municipality bearing the same name, this village is a much sought-after place of residence today. Its ancient centre and modern facilities that remain in keeping with its traditional character provide a greatly appreciated living environment. Ordino was once the seat of two big forge-owning families. The participants will be able to visit the home of the Areny-Plandolit family, which controlled much of the metal industry. This stately home, built in the 17th century, was restored in 1972 and turned into a museum. It contains furniture and artefacts reflecting the lifestyle of the family, with items specific to mountain life and others brought back from towns in Spain. The facade is also of great interest, with a balcony dating from 1849, made in the owner's own Forge. An adjacent building was constructed and fitted out as a natural history museum at the beginning of the 20th century and now houses an auditorium. The family also had ornamental gardens laid out along the rock, with remarkable box trees and plane trees (<http://visitandorra.com/fr/lieux-et-services/musee-maison-d-areny-plandolit/>). Possibility of a self-guided tour of Ordino if time allows.

Return to the hotel at 18:30 and free evening.



THURSDAY 1ST OCTOBER 2015

8.15 – 9.00 **REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS**

9.00 – 10.00

WELCOME SPEECHES

Mrs Silvia CALVÓ ARMENGOL, Minister of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development of Andorra

Representative of the Secretary General to the Council of Europe

Mr Alfonso ZARDI, Head of the Democratic Institutions and Governance Department, Council of Europe

Mrs Liv Kirstine MORTENSEN, Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Senior Advisor, Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Department of Planning, Norway

Mrs Sanja LJESKOVIC MITROVIC, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism, Montenegro, Vice-Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention,

PRESENTATION OF THE MEETING

Mrs Maguelonne DEJEANT-PONS, Executive Secretary of the European Landscape Convention, Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape of the Council of Europe

Mrs Anna MOLES MARINE, National Representative of Andorra for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Government of Andorra

OPENING CONFERENCES

10.00 – 10.45

Transfrontier cooperation

Mr Edwin LEFEBRE, Deputy of the Director, Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Flemish Region, Agency for Home Affairs, Rapporteur of the Steering Committee on Democracy and Governance (CDDG) of the Council of Europe

Thinking border, thinking landscape

Mr Joan NOGUE, Director of the Landscape Observatory of Catalonia, Spain

10.45 – 11.15 *Coffee break*

– Workshop 1 –

A journey through the landscapes of Andorra

11.15 – 13.00

Chair

Mr Marc ROSSELL SOLER, Director General of Environment and Sustainable Development, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Government of Andorra

Rapporteur

Mrs Natàlia ROVIRA MOLNE, Responsible for Strategy and Communication, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development, Government of Andorra

The National Landscape Strategy of Andorra: Outcomes 2012-2015

Mrs Anna MOLES MARINE, Head of Unit of Environmental Impacts, National Representative of Andorra for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Government of Andorra

Landscape planning at the local level in Europe: the results of a comparative study

Mr Pere SALA, Co-ordinator of the Landscape Observatory of Catalonia, Spain

Mrs Anna MOLES, Head of Unit of Landscape, Biodiversity and Environmental Assessment, National Representative of Andorra for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Government of Andorra

Border landscapes and cross-border relationships in Andorra

Mrs Nuria SEGUES, Researcher at the Centre of Andorra Studies and Sociological Research (CRES)

The evolution of the landscape of Pas de la Casa: historical and social context of a border area and planning proposals

Mr Francesc MUÑOZ, Director of the Urbanisation Observatory and the Masters in Landscape Intervention and Management from the Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain

Mrs Marina CERVERA, Architect for the Polytechnic University of Barcelona, Landscape Architect, General Secretary of the European Foundation for Landscape and Architecture, Spain

Mr Massimo ANGRILLI, Architect, Professor of the Architecture Faculty of the University of Pescara, Italy

End of Session

13.00 – 14.30 *Lunch: Consòrcia Room*

– Workshop 2 –

Dotted landscapes, lines that separate, lines that bind

14.30 – 16.00

Chairs

Mrs Gülhan ÇETİN SÖNMEZ, Senior Officer, Head of the General Division, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, General Directorate of National Parks and Nature Conservation, Turkey

Mr Francisco MOMPIELA MURUZABAL, Senior Official, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment, General Directorate of Rural Development and Forest Policy, Spain

Rapporteurs

Mrs Biserka DUMBOVIC-BILUSIC, Senior Advisor, Ministry of Culture, Directorate for Cultural Heritage, Croatia

Mr Enrico BUERGI, Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Suisse

PRESENTATIONS

Cross-border Landscape Plan of Cerdanya

Mrs Aurélie FRANCHI, Senior Official, Office of landscapes and advertising, Ministry of Ecology, Sustainable Development and Energy, France and Representative of the Regional Natural Park of the Catalan Pyrenees, France

Mr Ramon MOLINER, Chair of the Comarcal Council of the Cerdanya, Catalonia, Spain

The Model Programme to maintain the landscape heritage of the Hetés Border Region of Hungary and Slovenia

Mrs Krisztina KINCSES, National Representative of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Agriculture, Hungary *and*

Mr Gábor KISS, Expert in Landscape, Hungary

Mrs Andrea BEDŐ, Representative of the Project Hetés

Mrs Jelena HLADNIK, Secretary, Head of the implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Agriculture and the Environment, Slovenia

Finnskogen Nature and Culture Park: Transfrontier co-operation between Norway and Sweden

Mrs Liv Kristine MORTENSEN, Senior Advisor, Department of Planning, Norwegian Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Norway

Mme Suzanne PALMQUIST, Representative of the Finnskogen Nature and Culture Park, Norway

Towards strengthened governance of the shared transboundary landscape of the Lake Ohrid Region

Mrs Zhuljeta HARASANI, General Director of Strategic Planning for Cultural Diversity and Heritage, Ministry of Culture, Albania

Mrs Valentina CAVDAROVA, Head of Division for spatial planning in protected area and geo-diversity, Department of Nature, Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning, “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”

Cross-border landscape characterisation assesment between West Flandres and Nord-Pas-de-Calais

Mrs Veerle VAN EETVELDE, Professor, Ghent University, Belgium

Mr Niels DABAUT, Researcher, Ghent University, Belgium

16.00 – 16.30 *Coffee break*

– Workshop 3 –

Landscapes: diverse cultures and features

16.30 – 18.00

Chairs

Mrs Małgorzata OPECHOWSKA, Senior Expert, National Secretariat for the Landscape Convention, Department for Nature Protection, General Directorate for Environmental Protection, Poland

Mr Vidmantas BEZARAS, Director of Protected Areas and Landscape Department, Ministry of Environment, Lithuania

Rapporteurs

Mrs Annalisa CALCAGNO MANIGLIO, Professor Emeritus of Landscape Architecture, Genoa, Italy

Mr Yves LUGINBÜHL, Agronomist and Geographer, Research Director Emeritus of the National Centre for Scientific Research, France

PRESENTATIONS

Transnational cooperation in the Mediterranean: the Pays.Med.Urban Project

Mr Gonzalo ACOSTA, Head of the Department of Spatial Planning and Landscape, Junta de Andalusia, Spain

Mr Florencio ZOIDO, Director of the Centre for landscape studies and the territory of Andalusia, Spain

Together for the future of our common landscapes of the hydrographic basin of the Tisza / Tisa: Hungary, Romania, Slovakia and Ukraine

Mrs Olena LEGKA, Senior Officer, Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources, Department of Biotic Resources and EcoNet, Ukraine

Mr Teofil Iliver GHERCA, Head of Department, Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration, Romania

The Green Belt of Fennoscandia: prospective project of international cross-border cooperation in joint research and use of natural and cultural landscapes

Mrs Olga BAKHMET, Secretary for Science, Leading Research Associate of the Karelian Scientific Center of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Russian Federation

Transversality, an essential step in landscape conception

Mr Bernard LASSUS, Landscape Architect, Artist, Grand National Landscape Award, Paris, France

DISCUSSION ON THE PRESENTATIONS OF THE WORKSHOPS 1-3

(Written contributions for the proceedings may be sent to the Secretariat)

Chairs

Mrs Lamija ABDIJEVIC, Expert adviser for architectural heritage with the Bureau for Protection of Monuments, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Mr Agustí SERRA MONTÉ, Director General of Spatial planning and urbanism, Generalitat of Catalonia, Spain

With the participation of:

Mrs Sarah DE MEYER, Policy officer, Flemish Heritage Agency, Housing and Immovable Heritage, Flemish Region, Belgium

Mrs Isabelle LEROY, Attachée, UE-UNESCO Focal Point, Public Service of Brussels Capital, Urban Development, Monuments and Sites, Belgium

Mrs Elena SADOVNIKOVA, International Expert, Russian Federation

Mr Valery SUDARENKOV, Member of the Council of the Federation of the Federal Assembly of Russia

Mr Sergei MUNTEANTU, Division of Architecture, Projections, Urbanism and Spatial Planning, Ministry of Territorial Development and Construction, Moldova

Mr Chris BLAKE, National Representative of the European Landscape Convention, Defra - Landscape, Access, Planning and Forestry Department, United Kingdom

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Representatives of non-governmental organisations: International Workshop for the Landscape, European Council for the village and small town (ECOVAST), European Association Trees and, European Council of Town Planners (ECTP), European Council of Landscape Architecture Schools (ECLAS), International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN), Landscape Research Group (LRG), EUROPARC Federation

20.30 ***OFFICIAL RECEPTION*** at the *Andorra Park Hotel* offered by
the *Government of Andorra*

With the participation of the invited guests of honour

Chair and former Chairs of the Council of Europe Conference of the European Landscape Convention and Member of the CDCPP Bureau, and Personalities who contribute, or who have contributed, to the work ensuring the quality of the Andorran landscape.

Presentation of the audiovisual on the Cultural Landscape of Madriu Perafita Claror, UNESCO World Heritage

Mrs Susanna SIMON, Director of Cultural Landscape

FRIDAY 2 OCTOBER 2015

– Workshop 4 –

Landscapes, spaces for cooperation

9.00 – 11.00

Chairs

Mrs Ruzan ALAVERDYAN, Deputy Minister of Urban Development, Armenia

Mr Carlo OSSOLA, Senior Official, Scientific collaborator, Division of ecosystems, species and landscapes, Federal Office for the Environment, Switzerland

Rapporteurs

Mr Elias BERIATOS, Professor of Spatial Planning, University of Thessaly, Former Chair of the Committee of Senior Officials of the Council of Europe Conference of Ministers responsible for Spatial/Regional Planning (CEMAT), Greece

Mrs Dace GRANTA, Senior Expert, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Regional Development, Latvia

PRESENTATIONS

The Common Strategy for Sustainable Development of the Cross-border Region of Romania and Bulgaria

Mrs Anca Ileana GINAVAR, Director General, Ministry of regional development and public administration, Romania

Mrs Rayna HARDALOVA, Head of Biodiversity Department, National Nature Protection Service Directorate, Ministry of Environment and Water, Bulgaria

The Gate of Gornje Podunavlje, Backi Monostor, Serbia

Special mention of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe ‘Contributing to European ideals’

Mrs Biljana FILIPOVIC, Senior Advisor for International Cooperation, Ministry of Environment and Spatial Planning, Department for EU Integration, International Cooperation and Project, Serbia

Transfrontier cooperation in the North Calotte Area Landscapes: Finland, Sweden and Norway

Mr Tapio HEIKKILÄ, Ministerial Adviser, Ministry of the Environment, Finland

Mrs Päivi LUNDVALL, Lapland Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment, Finland

The Swiss-Italian joint Project of shared landscapes

Mr Giuseppe PIDELLO, Representative of the Observatory for cultural heritage and landscape of Biella, Piedmont, Italy

Mr Paolo CRIVELLI, Representatives of the Muggio Valley Ethnographic Museum, District of Ticino, Switzerland

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee break*

– Workshop 5 –
Transfrontier landscapes to be revealed

11.30 – 13.00

Chairs

Mr Tapio HEIKKILÄ, Senior Environmental Adviser, Ministry of the Environment, Finland

Mr Jean-François SEGUIN, Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, France

Rapporteurs

Mrs Maria José FESTAS, Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Portugal

Mrs Julia TOBIKOVA, National Focal Point for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of the Environment, Czech Republic

PRESENTATIONS

The MEDSCAPES Initiative: the landscape character assessment, as a tool for the conservation of natural values of the Eastern Mediterranean

Mrs Irene HADJISAVVA-ADAM, Planning Officer, Department of Town Planning and Housing, Cyprus

Mrs Artemis YIORDAMLI, Loana Foundation, Cyprus

Changing character of transfrontier landscapes, case studies: Hungary-Austria, Hungary-Slovenia, Germany-France

Mrs Eva KONKONY-GUYRO, Professor, University of West Hungary, Hungary

ECSLAND Project: European Culture expressed in Sacred Landscapes

Mrs Gloria PUNGETTI, Professor, IUAV University of Venice, Italy

End of the Session

13.00 – 14.30 *Lunch: Consòrcia Room*

– *Workshop 6* –

Landscape for living, together

Chairs

Mr Rui Manuel AMARO ALVES, Director General for Spatial Planning and Urban Development, Portugal

Mrs Linajeros CRUZ PEREZ, Senior Official, Spanish Historical Heritage Institute, Spain

Rapporteurs

Mrs Maria Maddelena ALESSANDRO, Senior Official, Head for implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry for Heritage, Cultural activities and Tourism, Italy

Mr Anestis GOURGIOTIS, Senior Official, Head of Unit of National Spatial plans, Department of Spatial Planning, Ministry of productive reconstruction, environment and energy, Greece

14.30 – 16.30

PRESENTATIONS

The Latin American Landscape Initiative LALI: the landscape of life

Mrs Martha FAJARDO, Landscape Architect, Former Chair of IFLA, Representative of the Latin American Landscape Initiative, Columbia

Transborder cooperation for Marinescapes

Mrs Inge GOTZMANN, Director of the Bund Heimat und Umwelt (BHU) and President of CIVILSCAPE, Germany

Mr Tomas OLSSON, Senior Official, Committee of Cultural Affairs, Region of Västra Götaland, Sweden

Mr Dirk GOTZMANN, Director of CIVILSCAPE, Germany

Adriatic Cross-Border Initiative Greece-Albania: from Neighbourhood to partnership, Talking about our place

Mrs Aphrodite SOROTOU, Head of Scientific Secretariat of the Mediterranean Institute for Nature and Anthropos (Med-INA), Greece

Reflections on a journey of alternative landscapes and sustainable routes

Mrs Claudia ZANFI, Expert on history of art and culture, Italy

DISCUSSION ON THE PRESENTATIONS OF THE WORKSHOPS 4-6

(Written contributions for the proceedings may be sent to the Secretariat)

Chairs

Mrs Ida VANAKOVA, Department of Spatial Planning, Ministry of Transport, Construction and Regional Development, Slovak Republic

Mr William CUMMING, Principal Officer, National Inventory of Architectural Heritage, Department of Arts, Heritage and Gaeltacht, Ireland

With the participation of:

Mrs Anna STEINER, Deputy Head of Department for International Cultural Affairs, Federal Chancellery, Austria

Mrs Urve SINIJÄRV, Senior Officer, Ministry of the Environment, Estonia

Mr Louis VAN VLIET, Ministry of Economic Affairs, Netherlands

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16.00 – 16.30 *Coffee break*

16.30 – 17.30

GENERAL CONCLUSIONS

Chairs

Mrs Mireille DECONINCK, Attachée, Public Service of the Walloon Region, Division of Spatial Planning and Urbanism, Belgium

Mr Marc ROSSELL SOLER, Director of Environment, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Government of Andorra

Presentations of the General conclusions of the workshops by the Rapporteurs

End of the Session

17.30 – 18.00 ***CLOSING SESSION***

CLOSING SPEECHES

Mrs Liv Kirstine MORTENSEN, Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Senior Advisor, Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Department of Planning, Norway

Mrs Maguelonne DEJEANT-PONS, Executive Secretary of the European Landscape Convention, Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape of the Council of Europe

M. Jordi TORRES FALCÓ, Minister of Spatial Planning of Andorra

FREE EVENING

