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## **Archaeological Park as World Heritage Site - Management Strategy for the Future**

المنتزه الاثري كموقع للتراث العالمي – الإدارة الاستراتيجية المستقبلية

**Salalah, Oman | 2 – 5 May 2015**

5-2 مايو 2016م | صلالة – سلطنة عُمان

## Sunday, 1 May

10.00- 12.00

Registration at Rotana Resort

14.00- 18.00

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### **ROOM 1**

#### **14.00 – 18.30 Workshop "Peopling of Arabia" Session 1 and 2**

14.00 – 14.20 Opening Remarks

14.20 – 15.00 Dr. Jeffrey I. Rose (National Geographic / Ronin Institute): Human origins, palaeoenvironments, and prehistoric archaeology in Dhofar

15.00 – 15.10 Q & A

15.10 – 15.30 Prof. Riad Bayoumi (Dubai Healthcare City) : Mitochondrial history and lactase persistence allele 13915 in Dhofar

15.30 – 15.40 Q & A

15.40 -16.00 Prof. Giovanni Romeo (European School of Genetic Medicine) : The returns of population genetic/genomic studies for the prevention of genetic disease: examples from Oman and Sardinia

16.00 – 16.10 Q & A

16.10 – 16.30 Prof. David Pettener (University of Bologna): Expansion of populations and cultures in the Eastern Mediterranean Basin

16.30 – 16.40 Q & A

16.40 -17.00 Prof. Francesco Cucca (University of Sassari/National Research Council of Italy): Optimal strategies for cost effective genomic studies in an isolated population (the Sardinia Project)

17.00 – 17.10 Q & A

17.10 – 17.30 Prof. Mohammed Osman Hassan (Sultan Qaboos University): Experience from Oman Family Study

17.30 – 17.40 Q & A

17.40 – 18.00 Dr. John Novembre (University of Chicago)

## Monday, 2 May

**08.30 – 09.00**    **Registration**

### **ROOM 1**

**09.00 – 09.50**    **Opening Ceremony**

09.00 – 09.10    ICOMOS Oman

09.10 – 09.20    Oman National Commission for Education, Culture and Science

09.20 – 09.35    Douglas C. Comer, PHD, co-president of ICAHM

09.35 – 09.50    Group picture

**09.50 – 10.20**    **BREAK**

### **ROOM 1**

**10.20 – 11.00**    **SESSION I PART I Archaeological Park as World Heritage Site - A Management Strategy for the Future**

**Moderator**    **Douglas C. COMER**

10.20 – 10.40    Douglas C. COMER

10.40 – 11.00    Michael JANSEN

**11.00 – 16.00**    **SESSION I PART II Archaeological Park as World Heritage Site - A Management Strategy for the Future**

**Moderator**    **Douglas C. COMER**

11.00 – 11.15    Gheorghe POSTICĂ, Valerii KAVRUK and Douglas COMER : “The Orheiul Vechi Archaeological Landscape (Republic of the Moldova).”

11.15–11.30    Nelly ROBLES GARCIA and Jack CORBETT: “From archaeological site to World Heritage Site: development of a social framework for management of Monte Alban, Mexico.”

11.30 –11.45    Gabriel COONEY: “The Brú na Bóinne World Heritage Site as an Archaeological Park.”

11.45 – 12.00    Dianne FITZPATRICK: “Sustainable Management Strategies For Archaeological Collections: Case Study Catalhöyük - A World Heritage Site.”

12.15 – 12.30    Chris BLANDFORD : “The Importance of a Masterplanning Approach for the Development of World Heritage Sites as Heritage Parks – A Case Study: Aflaj Irrigation Systems World Heritage Site, Oman.”

**12.30 – 13.45 LUNCH**

- 13.45 – 14.00 Jenna LAVIN: “Straight to the (Baboon) Point: A look at the Conservation of Archaeological Landscapes in South Africa using Baboon Point as a Case Study.”
- 14.00– 14.15 Peter JACKSON and Cynthia DUNNING: “Mleiha – 125,000 Years of Human Occupation - A Tentative World Heritage Site.”
- 14.15 – 14.30 Grant GILMORE III: “Caribbean World Heritage Sites, Archaeological Site Protection and Local Economies.”
- 14.30 – 14.45 Zsolt VISY: “Management Planning of the Ripa Pannonica planned World Heritage Site in Hungary.”
- 14.45 – 15.00 Nida NAYCI and Halil DEMIRDELEN: “Integrated Management of Archaeological and Rural Landscape: Feasibility Project for Gordion Archaeological Park.”
- 15.00 – 16.00 DISCUSSION
- 16.30 – 18.30 Visiting Sumhuraam Archaeological Park**
- 19.30 – 22.30 Dinner hosted by ICOMOS Oman at Sumhuraam Archaeological Park - By Invitation**

## **ROOM 2**

- 14.00 – 18.30 Workshop "Peopling of Arabia" Session 3**

## Tuesday, 3 May

### ROOM 1

**08.30 – 11.00**    **Workshop Connecting People In The Management Of Archaeological Parks**  
**Moderator**    **Alicia CASTILO MENA**

08.30 – 08.40    INTRODUCTION

08.40 – 08.55    Marilyn TRUSCOTT: “Archaeological World Heritage Sustainability: the role of local communities.”

08.55 – 09.10    Marie-Thérèse LE ROUX: “Students as Local Stakeholders: A Case Study of Field Trips at Al Baleed Archaeological Park”.

09.10 – 09.25    Ali ALIRAQI : “Cultural Landscape and Heritage Values from the perspective of local community: Al-ula as case study”.

09.25 – 11.00    DISCUSSION

**11.00 – 16.00**    **SESSION II - Tourism and Archaeological Parks**  
**Moderator**    **Mario RIVERA**

11.00 – 11.20    Nelly ROBLES GARCIA and Jack CORBETT: “Beyond planning: the Mexican experience in archaeological zone management.”

11.20 – 11.40    Michèle PRATS: “Bibracte, an example of integrated interpretation of an archaeological site.”

11.40 – 12.00    Ashton SINAMAI: “The tyranny of materiality: The concept of ‘archaeological park’ and in the African context.”

12.00 – 12.20    Mario RIVERA: “Dakar Rally and Inka Road (Qhapaq Ñan), two different roads and one common scenario, the Atacama Desert.”

**12.30 – 14.00**    **LUNCH**

14.00 – 14.20    Leila GHASVARIAN JAHROMI, Farhad AZIZI ZALLANI and Ahmad NASROLAHI: “Using of Local Information Systems for Tourist Guide in Archaeological Sites”.

14.20 – 14.40    Abdelkader ABABNEH : “World Heritage Sites and the visitor experience, the case of the archaeological site of Petra – Jordan.”

14.40 – 15.00    Wei DONG, Xiaodi ZHOU, Junfu CHANG, Rui XIANG: “Study on the Protection and Development of Ethnic Villages and Residences in Kola Archaeological Park.”

Anna GRICHTING: “Al Fuwairit. A Future Archeological park and Ecological Turtle Reserve in Qatar.” **POSTER**

15.20 – 16.00 DISCUSSION

**16 :30 – 19:30 Visiting Albaleed Archaeological Park**

## **ROOM 2**

**08.30 – 12.30 SESSION III – Digital Technologies**

**Moderator Friedrich LÜTH**

08.30– 08.50 Georgios TOUBEKIS, Michael JANSEN, Matthias JARKE: “Cultural Masterplan Bamiyan, (Afghanistan) Landscape mapping and Cultural Heritage management for a UNESCO World Heritage Site based on high-resolution sensor data sources.”

08.50 – 09.10 William MEGARRY, Douglas COMER and Bryce DAVENPORT: “Remotely Sensed Data and World Heritage: The Potential Role of LiDAR/ Airborne Laser Scanning in the World Heritage Site Nomination Process.”

09.40 – 10.00 Andrei ASĂNDULESEI, Ștefan CALINIUC and Mihaela ASĂNDULESEI: “Aerial remote sensing for investigating underground prehistoric sites in north-eastern Romania.”

10.00 – 10.20 Kimball BANKS : “Exploring the Archaeological Landscapes of Khor Kharfot, Dhofar Province, Oman.”

10.20 – 10.40 Gilbert TOLNO: “Aerial and Satellite Remote Sensing in Archaeological Research and Heritage Management: case study: European Union.”

10.40 – 11.00 Douglas COMER, Bruce CHAPMAN, Jacob COMER and Bryce DAVENPORT: “Using NASA UAVSAR Imagery to Detect Damage and Recommend Remediation at the Lines and Geoglyphs of Nasca and Pampas de Jumana World Heritage Site.”

11 .00 – 12.30 DISCUSSION

## Wednesday, 4 May

### ROOM 1

**09.00 – 12.30**    **SESSION IV East African and Middle Eastern Trade Routes and Underwater Archaeology**

**Moderator**    **Robert PARTHESIUS**

09.00 – 09.10    INTRODUCTION

09.10– 09.30    Leila GHASVARIAN JAHROMI, Farhad AZIZI ZALLANI and Ahmad NASROLAHI: “Ancient Trading Routes in Darius the Great’s Inscription in Susa.”

09.30 – 09.50    William ZIMMERLE: “The Cuboid Incense Burner Heritage of Dhofar: Investigating the Archaeology of Pre-Islamic Arabian-Style Incense Burners Ethnographically.”

09.50 – 10.10    Herman KIRIAMA: “Chinese and East African trade in the late first/ early second Millennium CE.”

10.10 – 10.30    Asmahan ALGAROO: “The Civilization of the Historical Kingdom of Oman.”

10.30 – 10.50    Alessandra AVANZINI: “Three sites in ancient Oman, their history, and three projects for archaeological parks.”

10.50 – 11.10    Robert PARTHESIUS: “The role of shipwrecks within the maritime landscape of World Heritage Sites.”

11.10 – 11.30    Mélanie MÜNZER: “The underwater archaeological component of qal’at al-bahrain site. potentials and challenges.”

11.30 – 12.30    DISCUSSION

**12.30 – 14.00**    **LUNCH**

**14.00 – 15.40**    **SESSION V Preserving Archaeological Sites, Landscape, and Artifacts in Conflict Areas and Water: Its Role in Social Organization and Conflict in Ancient and Contemporary Worlds**

**Moderator**    **Michael JANSEN**

14.00 – 14.20    John PETERSON: “Mid- to Late Holocene Sea Level Rise and Fall and Maritime Malayo-Polynesian Migration in the Western Pacific.”

14.20 – 14.40    Anna GRICHTING: “Curating ecologies and archeologies of conflict in border zones. Nicosia and the Cyprus Green Line.”

14.40 – 15.00    Carsten Paludan-MÜLLER : “Protecting the extraordinary, by remembering the

ordinary.”

15.00 – 15.20 Masanori NAGOKA: “Revitalization of Shahr-e Gholghola, Bamiyan World Heritage site.”

15.20 – 15.40 Georgios TOUBEKIS: “The re-assembling of the giant Buddhas in Bamiyan, Afghanistan. What to do? Problems of re-construction in World Heritage monuments.”

**16.00 – 17.30**

**CLOSING DISCUSSION**

## **ROOM 2**

**09.00 – 12.30** **SESSION VI PART I- The Archaeological Heritage of Salt: Preserving and Interpreting**  
**Moderator Roxana Gabriela CURCA**

09.00 – 09.20 Marius ALEXIANU: “Heritage of Salt: Intrinsic Connections.”

09.20 – 09.40 Olivier WELLER: “Archaeological Heritage of Salt: Chance or Necessity ? From a French archaeological site (Les Fontaines Salées, Yonne) to an European overview for the Prehistoric times.”

09.40 – 10.00 Ning JIA, Lijuan HUO and Xiaowei LIU: “Research on Interpreting the Information of Shuangwangcheng Archaeological Site of Salt-Production.”

10.00 – 10.20 Robin BRIGAND and Olivier WELLER: “Neolithic Territories and Salt Exploitation in Moldavia (Romania)”

10.20 – 10.40 Valerii KAVRUK: “Archaeological Saltscapes in Transylvania (Romania).”

10.40 – 11.00 Gheorghe ROMANESCU, Roxana Gabriela CURCĂ and Ștefan CALINIUC: “The natural heritage of salt in Romania, between geology and archaeology.”

11.00 – 11.20 Katia HUESO KORTEKAAS: “Artisanal saltscapes in Europe: A window into the past?”

11.20 – 11.40 Alazne OCHANDIANO and Mikel LANDA: “Keeping to authenticity in saltmaking to secure a sustainable future for living cultural landscapes; the case of Añana Salt Valley.”

11.40 – 12.00 Ulises CÁRDENAS HIDALGO: “Las Salinas” of Valley of the Moon: Settlement of a forgotten history contemporary mining in the Puna de Atacama, Antofagasta region. Chile.”

**12.30 – 14.00** **LUNCH**



**14.00 – 15.30    SESSION VI - PART II- The Archaeological Heritage of Salt: Preserving and Interpreting**

14.00 – 14.20    Takamune KAWASHIMA and Tinka DELAKORDA KAWASHIMA: “Preserving traditional salt production in Japan.”

14.20 – 14.40    Mihaela ASĂNDULESEI: “ From Archaeological Past to Living Landscapes of Salt in Eastern Romania.”

14.40 – 15.30    DISCUSSION

**Thursday, 5 May**

**09.00 – 19.00    Excursion Wadi Dawka and Wubar**