International Geographical Union (IGU)

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

IGU Thematic Conference

"Heritage Geographies: Politics, Uses and Governance of the Past"

Venue: Lecce (Italy) – Castello Carlo V(plenary) - University of Salento (various locations) Time: 29-31 May 2020 + Post conference excursion (31 May – 2 June)

We are pleased to announce that the Call for Abstracts for the IGU Thematic Conference "Heritage Geographies: Politics, Uses and Governance of the Past" is now open.

To submit your abstract for an oral or poster contribution to the Conference, please follow the guidelines and send it to: info@heritagegeographies.it

All abstracts must be submitted in English or French.

Deadline for abstract submission: 31 December 2019

Conference website: http://www.heritagegeographies.it/

IGU COMMISSION GEOGRAPHY OF GOVERNANCE

The program of the IGU Thematic Conference "Heritage Geographies: Politics, Uses and Governance of the Past" has 4 Sessions on local and urban governance and urban heritage, supported by the IGU Commission Geography of Governance.

Below is the description of each of these four Sessions on local and urban governance (Sessions 12, 13, 14 and 15).

We invite you to submit an abstract to one of these 4 sessions.

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#	SESSION TITLE	Chairs
12	Local Government and the Governance of Urban Heritage	Carlos Nunes Silva & Anna Trono
13	Citizen Participation in the Governance of Urban Heritage	Carlos Nunes Silva & Anna Trono
14	Smart Governance and Urban Heritage	Carlos Nunes Silva & Anna Trono
15	Urban Planning and Heritage	Carlos Nunes Silva & Anna Trono

Session 12. Local Government and the Governance of Urban Heritage (IGU Commission on Geography of Governance)

Chairs: Carlos Nunes Silva (University of Lisbon) & Anna Trono (University of Salento)

This session aims to explore recent changes in the role of local government in the governance of urban cultural heritage. Papers can be focused on local government issues (institutional models, cooperation models, organizational and financial issues, etc.) in specific local case studies or may offer a comparison of policy cases in municipalities and cities in the same country or in different countries. The session aims also to examine and to discuss past policy approaches in the field of cultural heritage management at sub-national tiers of government. Although the focus is on local and urban government, the analysis should consider, when appropriate, the multi-level urban heritage governance context. The session is supported by the IGU Commission Geography of Governance and is proposed for sub-theme: 1. Heritage Governance.

Session 13. Citizen Participation in the Governance of Urban Heritage (IGU Commission on Geography of Governance)

Chairs: Carlos Nunes Silva (University of Lisbon) & Anna Trono (University of Salento)

This session aims to explore the role and forms of citizen participation in the governance of Urban heritage. The session aims in particular to address citizen engagement in urban planning processes, namely in innovative models of urban planning and in alternative modes of urban heritage governance. The session is open to include case studies, comparative studies and historical analysis of citizen engagement in urban planning focused on cultural heritage. The session is supported by the IGU Commission Geography of Governance and is proposed for subtheme: 2. Heritage and Urban Planning.

Session 14. Smart Governance and Urban Heritage (IGU Commission on Geography of Governance)

Chairs: Carlos Nunes Silva (University of Lisbon) & Anna Trono (University of Salento)

This session aims to explore, discuss and present innovative theoretical and empirical research and ground-breaking approaches in the field of Urban e-Planning and its impact on the governance of Urban heritage. The session aims in particular to explore the impact of the growing number of digital innovations, new methods and new digital tools in the field smart governance of urban heritage. We welcome papers that address the current digital transition (digitization of urban governance and urban planning procedures, datafication of urban heritage activities and services, among other important changes) and its impact on the governance of urban heritage. The session is

open to include case studies and comparative studies. The session is supported by the IGU Commission Geography of Governance and is proposed for sub-theme: 5. Heritage and ICT's.

Session 15. Urban Planning and Heritage (IGU Commission on Geography of Governance)

Chairs: Carlos Nunes Silva (University of Lisbon) & Anna Trono (University of Salento)

The session aims to address how urban heritage is included and dealt with in the formal national spatial planning systems. In particular, the session seeks to explore institutional innovations in the field of Urban Planning related to the urban cultural heritage as well as the new tools employed by municipalities in the planning and governance of urban heritage. The session is open to include case studies as well as comparative studies. The session is supported by the IGU Commission Geography of Governance and is proposed for sub-theme: 2. Heritage and Urban Planning.

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