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ePSIplus Thematic Meeting: Legal and Regulatory Progress and Impact, Meeting 2
This meeting is hosted in Co-operation with
the Planning Bureau and the Department of Antiquities
of the Cyprus Government and the Cyprus Tourism Organization

E-xploitation of Cultural Heritage (CH) Information - a need for a European hand?

Paphos, Cyprus 10-11 September 2007

AGENDA

Monday 10 September

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- 14.30 Departure from Coral Beach Hotel
- 15.15 Visit of the Kurion Archaeological Site
- 16.00 Departure to Paphos
- 16.30 Coffee Break in Petra tu Romiou (Birthplace of Venus)
- 17.30 Visit of the Archaeological Park in Paphos (UNESCO Heritage List)
- 18.20 Departure to Coral Beach Hotel
- 20.00 Official dinner combined with presentations on CH and PSI

Keynote speakers:

Welcome, Mayor of Paphos (Mr. Savvas Vergas)

Welcome (*Mr. George Georgiou*, Director of the Planning Bureau of Cyprus) - responsible for implementation of the PSI Directive in Cyprus





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Welcome (*Mr. Andreas Charalambous*, Representative of the Minister of Finance of Cyprus)

UNESCO (*Alonzo C. Addison*, Special Advisor to the Director of the UNESCO World Heritage Centre / VP VSMM Society / ICOMOS CIPA-Heritage Documentation)

Tuesday 11 September

- 9.30 Welcome (*Marinos Ioannides*, ePSIplus National Network Partner, Cyprus)
- 9.35 Welcome (*Mr. George Georgiou*, Director of the Planning Bureau) responsible for implementation of the PSI Directive in Cyprus
- 9.40 Welcome (*Mr. Pavlos Flourenzos*, Director of the Department of Antiquities of the Cyprus Government) responsible for CH in Cyprus
- 9.45 Welcome (*Mr. Andreas Charalambous*, Representative of the Minister of Finance)
- 9.50 Introduction of the ePSIplus project and overview of the Cultural Heritage (CH) Sector and PSI Directive (Rob Davies, ePSIplus Network Co-ordinator)
- 10.20 CH: economic and technological potential

CH value chain and economic potential (Franco Niccolucci, Professor at the Faculty of Architecture of the University of Florence and the head of the VAST-Lab research laboratory at PIN scrl. and EPOCH project (Italy)
Information technology and CH (Adreas Georgopoulos, specialist on digitization and archiving of CH (Greece)

- 11.00 Discussion
- 11.20 Coffee Break
- 11.40 Key legal issues related to CH re-use: The Cypriot Experience (*Stella Joannidou*, Attorney of the Republic of Cyprus, Attorney General Office)



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12.00 CH content holder vs. CH re-user: current state and possible impact of the PSI Directive

CH content holder: challenges to be met by the public sector (*David Dawson*, senior ICT Adviser, Museums, Libraries, Archives Council (UK)
CH re-user: challenges to be met by the market (*Elizabeth Jerem*, publisher of CH

content, the Foundation ARCHAEOLINGUA (Hungary)

- 12.40 Discussion
- 13.20 Lunch
- 14.30 CH policies at local and EU levels: current state and possible impact of the PSI Directive

CH at local level (Gunnar Urtegaard, Municipality of Sogn og Fjordane, Culture and Archives (Norway)

CH at EU level (*Rosa Caffo,* Italian Ministry of Culture and coordinator of Michael and Minerva projects (Italy)

- 15.10 Discussion
- 16.00 Wrap up and conclusions
- 16.30 Close

