



**BRUSSELS, 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019**  
**COVENT GARDEN BUILDING**  
**SYMPOSIUM, DRAFT AGENDA**

9,00 - 9,30 Registration

**9,30 – 9,45 Welcome and introduction**

Jean-Eric Paquet, Director-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission

**9,45 – 11,00 Session 1: Setting the scene**

Chair: Dr. Zoltán Krasznai, Policy officer, Open and Inclusive Societies unit, DG RTD, European Commission

9,45 – 10,00 The legacy of the European Year of Cultural Heritage

Catherine Magnant, DG EAC, European Commission, European Year of Cultural Heritage  
Task Force leader

10,00 – 10,30 Context of the research in the cultural heritage domain, why we are here, expected results

Prof. Neil Forbes, Coventry University, REACH Project Coordinator  
Q&A

10,30 – 11,00 Research questions,

Prof. Gábor Sonkoly, ELTE University, REACH WP Leader  
Q&A

*11,00 – 11,30 Coffee break*

**11,30 – 13,00 Session 2: Could a stable coordination be beneficial?**

11,30 – 12,30 The delegates split in 4 groups:

Table 1: Structure

Table Chair: Prof. Arturo Julio Rodriguez Morato, University of Barcelona

Table 2: Liaisons and links with existing groups and networks

Table Chair: Dr. Antonella Fresa, Promoter S.r.l., REACH Network Coordinator

Table 3: Who is the audience: scholars, sciences, memory institutions, education, ...

Table Chair: Prof. Neil Forbes

Table 4: Relationship with projects and EU programmes

Table Chair: Prof. Gábor Sonkoly

*PhD Students are co-chairs and note takers*

12,30 – 13,00 Reports from the tables

*13,00 – 14,00 Lunch*



**14,00 – 15,30 Session 3: Towards Horizon Europe**

*The results of this Session will be used to elaborate a Research Position Paper, to be taken forward under the auspices of the newly established coordination structure.*

14,00 – 14,20 Expectations from the cultural heritage sectors

Chair: Prof. Luda Klusakova, Charles University Prague

5 minutes position talks from:

- JPI CH (Pascal Lievaux, Chair of JPI CH, Ministry of Culture, France)
- Europa Nostra (Sneška Quaedvlieg – Mihailovic, Secretary General)
- Museums sector (Prof. Monika Hagedorn-Saupe, SPK, REACH WP Leader)
- Digital cultural heritage sector (Dr. Johan Oomen, Sound&Vision Foundation, Europeana Board Member)

14,20 – 15,00 The delegates split in 4 groups, to carry on the discussion around 4 themes:

Table 1: Conservation

Table Chair: Prof. Piero Baglioni, University of Florence, ECHOES Cluster

Table 2: Cultural landscapes

Table Chair: Prof. Jose Maria Civantos, University of Granada, REACH WP Leader

Table 3: Intangible cultural heritage

Table Chair: Prof. Sandra Bitusikova, Matej Bell University

Table 4: Digital cultural heritage

Table Chair: Albert Gauthier, Policy Officer, DG CNECT, European Commission

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15,00 – 15,30 Reports from the tables

15,30 – 16,00 *Coffee break*

**16,00 – 17,00 Session 4: the Manifesto**

Chair: Prof. Neil Forbes

*In this session, the agreement of delegates will be sought on formalising the proposed, new co-ordination structure for cultural heritage research stakeholders.*

- Presentation of the proposal for the Manifesto, based on the results of the consultation carried out in the previous months
- Discussion
- Endorsement of the Manifesto

**17,00 Conclusions**

Dr Harald Hartung, Head of Unit, Open and Inclusive Societies unit, DG RTD, European Commission

Dr. Zoltan Krasznai, Policy officer, Open and Inclusive Societies unit, DG RTD, European Commission

17,30 *Farewell drink*