

**Colloquy on the “Values of Europe’s Cultural Heritage”  
at the State Memorial Estate Museum “Tsarskoye Selo” (Catherine Palace)**

**AIMS**

- Explore the values of Europe’s cultural heritage for its citizens, its countries, its cities and villages, as well as for Europe’s future in the modern world
- Illustrate the importance of Russian cultural heritage as an integral part of Europe’s cultural heritage
- Demonstrate the need for an ever closer European cooperation between public authorities and civil society
- Prepare an appeal for adequate European and national policy and funding instruments

**CONTEXT**

- The value for the citizen (identity, memory, citizenship, participation, quality of life)
- The value for society (education, integration, intercultural dialogue)
- The value for peace and reconciliation
- The value for sustainable economic development
- The value for the building of Europe

**REFERENCE DOCUMENT**

Framework Convention on the Value of Heritage for Society (adopted in Faro, Portugal on 27 October 2005)

## PROGRAMME OF THE COLLOQUY

### Opening session

#### 09:30-10:15 hours Welcoming address

**Mr Ivan Sautov**, Director of the State Memorial Estate Museum “Tsarskoye Selo”, Russian Federation

#### Introductory speeches:

- **Mr Alexander Sokolov**, Minister of Culture and Mass Communications of the Russian Federation
- **Mr Sergey Tarasov**, Vice-Governor of St. Petersburg
- **Ms Gabriella Battaini-Dragoni**, Director General – Education, Culture and Heritage, Youth and Sport of the Council of Europe
- **Ms Odile Quintin**, Director General for Education and Culture, European Commission

### 10:15-13:00 hours Session I

#### THE BENEFITS OF CULTURAL HERITAGE FOR SOCIETY

##### *Moderator:*

**Mr Jacques Legendre**, Chairperson of the Committee on Culture, Science and Education of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe

#### 10:15-10.45 hours Keynote speech:

**Lord McIntosh of Haringey**, former UK Minister of Media and Heritage

#### 10:45-11:45 hours PART I *Heritage as an asset for sustainable development*

##### *Introductory presentations*

- **Mrs Anne-Marie Sigmund**, President, European Economic and Social Committee, Austria
- **Igor Makovetsky**, Chairman of the Russian National Committee for World Cultural and Natural Heritage, President of the Russian National Committee of ICOMOS, Russian Federation
- **Dr. Mechtild Rössler**, Chief Europe and North America, UNESCO World Heritage Centre
- **Mr José-Maria Ballester**, Director of the Programme “Heritage and Territory”, *Fundación Marcelino Botín*, Spain

##### *Reactions by experts:*

- **Mr Alexander Kobak**, Executive Director of the International Charity Foundation of Dimitry Likhachev

- **Professor Jacek Purchla**, Director of the International Cultural Centre, Krakow, Poland

*Followed by discussion*

**11:45-12:00 hours Coffee break**

**12:00-13:00 hours PART II *Heritage as a tool for civic education***

*Introductory presentations:*

- **Ms Irina Markina**, Academician of the Russian Academy of Architectural Heritage, Russian Federation
- **Mr Guilherme d'Oliveira Martins**, President, *Centro Nacional de Cultura*, Portugal
- **Ms Marianne Ytterdal**, President, Society for the Preservation of Norwegian Ancient Monuments, Norway

*Reactions by experts:*

- **Dr M.V. Nashchekina, PhD** in Architecture, Scientific Research Institute of Theory and History of Architecture and City Planning, Moscow, Russian Federation
- **Mr Alain Mouchoux**, Chair of the “Education and Culture” Grouping of the INGOs enjoying participatory status with the Council of Europe, France

*Followed by a discussion*

**13:00-14:30 hours Lunch break**

**14:30-16:00 hours Guided tour of the State Memorial Estate Museum “Tsarskoye Selo”**

<b>16:00-19:00 hours Session II</b>
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## **SAFEGUARDING AND MANAGING CULTURAL HERITAGE IN EUROPE: INNOVATIVE PRACTICES**

*Moderator:*

**Ms Irina Markina**, Academician of the Russian Academy of Architectural Heritage, Russian Federation

**16:00-17:00 hours PART I *Exemplary initiatives by public authorities***

*Introductory speeches by:*

- **Mr Mounir Bouchenaki**, Director-General of ICCROM
- **Ms Vera Dementieva**, Chairperson of the Committee for the State Use and Preservation of Monuments of History and Culture of St. Petersburg (KGIOP), Russian Federation

**Reactions by experts:**

- **Mr Adriano Massone**, Chairman of the Italian Chamber of Commerce in St. Petersburg, Russian Federation
- **Mrs Natalia Potapova**, Vice-Chairman of ICOMOS-Russia, Russian Federation

**Followed by a discussion**

**17:00-17:15 hours** Tea break

**17:15-18:30 hours** **PART II** *Exemplary initiatives by non-governmental players*

**Introductory speeches by:**

- **Ms G.I. Malanicheva**, representative of the Presidium of the Central Council of the All-Russia Society for Preservation of Monuments of History and Culture, Russian Federation
- **Mr Marco Magnifico**, Director-General, *Fondo per l'Ambiente Italiano*, Italy

**Reactions by experts:**

- **Mr Mikhail Oseyevsky**, Vice-Governor of St. Petersburg, Chairman of the St. Petersburg Development Fund, Russian Federation
- **Mr Denis de Kergorlay**, Executive Vice-President, *La Demeure Historique*, France

**Exchange of views and discussion with the Sub-Committee on the Cultural Heritage of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe chaired by Mr Emanuelis Zingeris (Lithuania) and with the representative of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe, Mr Dario Ghisletta (Switzerland)**

<b>18:30-19:00 hours</b> Closing Session
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- **Mr Vladimir Sucha**, Director for Culture and Communication, European Commission
- **Mr Daniel Thérond**, Head of the Department for Culture and Cultural Heritage, DG IV, Council of Europe
- **Mr Nikita Mikhalkov**, President of the Russian Cultural Foundation, Russian Federation
- **Mr Ivan Sautov**, Director of the State Memorial Estate Museum "Tsarskoye Selo"

**Adoption of the concluding document**

**19:00 hours** Return to St. Petersburg

**21:00 hours** Reception at the Yusupovsky Palace