

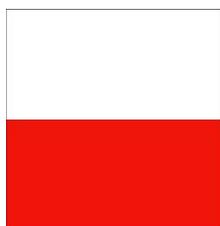


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*FOURTEENTH COUNCIL OF EUROPE MEETING
OF THE WORKSHOPS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION
OF THE EUROPEAN LANDSCAPE CONVENTION*

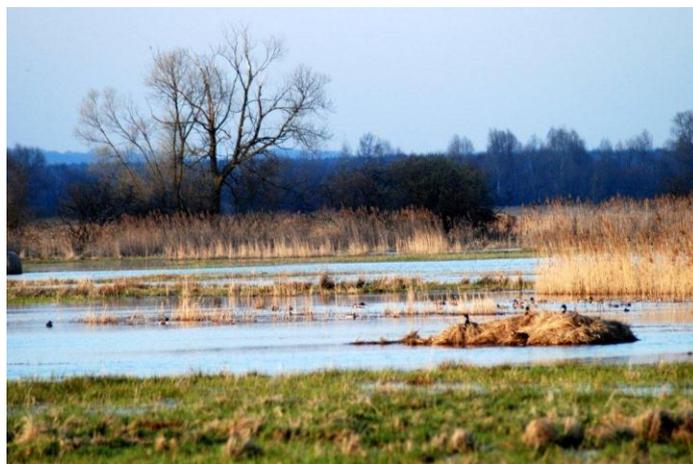
*Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum
of National Selections
3rd Session 2012-2013*

Wroclaw, Poland, 11-12 June 2014

Study visit, 10 June 2014

– PROGRAMME –

17 June 2014



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The 14th Council of Europe Meeting of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention on “*Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum of National Selections - 3rd Session 2012-2013*” is being organised by the Council of Europe – Democratic Governance, Directorate – in co-operation with the General Directorate for Environmental Protection of Poland, within the context of the Work Programme of the European Landscape Convention.

The Meeting will take place in Wrocław, Poland (Address: Hotel Radisson blu, ul. j.e. Purkyniego 10, Wrocław, Poland, Tel: +48 71 375 00 00, <http://www.radissonblu.pl/hotel-wroclaw>).

An optional study visit will be organised for the official delegates of the Member States of the Council of Europe, speakers in the Programme, participants of the Sessions of the Landscape Award and other participants at the Meeting on 10 June 2014 at the Szprotawa River Valley.

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Introduction

As an international intergovernmental organisation created in 1949 and whose headquarters are located in Strasbourg (France), **the Council of Europe** has 47 Member States: Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”, Turkey, Ukraine and the United Kingdom. Its main objectives are to promote democracy, human rights and the rule of law and to seek common solutions to the main problems facing European society today.

The European Landscape Convention was adopted by the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe on 19 July 2000 in Strasbourg and opened for signature of the Member States of the Organisation in Florence (Italy) on 20 October 2000, with the aiming to promote European landscape protection, management and planning and to organise European co-operation. It is the first international treaty to be exclusively devoted to all aspects of European landscape. The Convention applies to the entire territory of the Parties and covers natural, rural, urban and peri-urban areas. It concerns landscapes that might be considered outstanding as well as everyday or degraded landscapes. To date, 38 Council of Europe Member States have ratified the Convention: Andorra, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Sweden, “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”, Turkey, Ukraine and the United Kingdom. Two states have signed the Convention: Iceland and Malta.

Organised by the Council of Europe on a regular basis, **the Meetings of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention** are an opportunity to present new concepts and achievements in connection with the Convention and represent a genuine forum for sharing practices and ideas and. Special emphasis is given to the experiences of the state hosting the meeting.

The following Council of Europe Meetings of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention have previously been organised:

- 23-24 May 2002, Strasbourg (France): “Landscape policies: contribution to the well-being of European citizens and to sustainable development (social, economic, cultural and ecological approaches); Landscape identification, evaluation and quality objectives, using cultural and natural resources; Awareness-raising, training and education; Innovative tools for the protection, management and planning of landscape”
- 27-28 November 2003, Strasbourg (France): “Integration of landscapes in international policies and programmes and transfrontier landscapes; Landscapes and individual and social well-being; Spatial planning and landscape”
- 16-17 June 2005, Cork (Ireland): “Landscapes for urban, suburban and peri-urban areas”
- 11-12 May 2006, Ljubljana (Slovenia): “Landscape and society”
- 28-29 September 2006, Gerona (Spain): “Landscape quality objectives: from theory to practice”
- 20-21 September 2007, Sibiu (Romania): “Landscape and rural heritage”
- 24-25 April 2008, Piestany (Slovakia): “Landscape in planning policies and governance: towards integrated spatial management”
- 8-9 October 2009, Malmö (Sweden): “Landscape and driving forces”
- 15-16 April 2010, Cordoba (Spain): “Landscape and infrastructures for the society”
- 20-21 October 2011, Evora (Portugal): “Multifunctional landscape”
- 4-5 June 2012, Carbonia, Sardinia (Italy): “Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum of National Selections - Sessions 1 (2008-2009) and 2 (2010-2011)”
- 2-3 October 2012, Thessalonica (Greece): “Vision for the future of Europe on territorial democracy: landscape as a new strategy for spatial planning... Another way to see the territory involving civil society...”
- 2-3 October 2013, Cetinje (Montenegro): “Territories of the future: landscape identification and assessment: an exercise in democracy”

[The proceedings of the meetings are published in the Council of Europe’s “European Spatial Planning and Landscape” series and are available on the Council of Europe’s European Landscape Convention website: http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/cultureheritage/heritage/Landscape/Publications_en.asp]

Organisers

The Council of Europe thanks the Ministry of the Environment, General Directorate for Environmental Protection and the Regional Directorate for the Environmental Protection in Wrocław for its co-operation and hospitality.

Objectives

The European Landscape Convention provides for a ‘Landscape Award of the Council of Europe’ that recognises policies or measures which local or regional authorities or non-governmental organisations have adopted to protect, manage and plan their landscape, which have proven to be lastingly effective and which can thus serve as an example to other territorial authorities in Europe.

On 20 February 2008 the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe adopted Resolution CM/(2008)3 on the rules governing the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe. The Award is given every two years by the Committee of Ministers, further to proposals from the Committee of Experts of the Council of Europe in charge of monitoring the implementation of the Convention.

The great experiences achieved in the Member States of the Organisation on the occasion of the third session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe – 2012-2013 – will be presented in this Meeting. They show that it is possible to promote the territorial dimension of human rights and democracy improving the landscape features of people’s surroundings.

Websites

– **European Landscape Convention**

<http://www.coe.int/EuropeanLandscapeConvention>

<http://www.coe.int/Conventioneuropennedupaysage>

– **General Directorate for Environmental Protection of Poland**

<http://ochronaprzyrody.gdos.gov.pl/>

<http://www.gdos.gov.pl/>

– **Ministry of the Environment**

<https://www.mos.gov.pl/>

Venue

The Meeting will be held in Wrocław, Poland. Address: Hotel Radisson blu, ul. j.e. Purkyniego 10, Wrocław, Poland, Tel: +48 71 375 00 00, <http://www.radissonblu.pl/hotel-wroclaw>).

Participants

The Meeting is addressed to government officials, representatives of local and regional authorities, universities, professionals, public and private governmental and non-governmental organisations working on landscape, heritage, culture and sustainable territorial development. The number of participants is limited to 120.

Working languages

The working languages are Polish, English and French. Interpretation will be provided.

Programme

On the Council of Europe website, you will find the programme of the Meeting at the address: <http://www.coe.int/EuropeanLandscapeConvention> under “Meetings of the Convention / Workshops”.

Registration

Participants are invited to fill in the online registration form before 11 May 2014.

http://a.cs.coe.int/team20/european_landscape_convention/Registration/default.aspx

No registration fees are required of the participants.

Practical information

Participants are invited to make their own transport and hotel reservations:

– Official site of Polish/ Wrocław tourist organisation:

<http://wroclaw-info.pl/start/index/lang/EN>

– Hotel reservations:

<http://www.booking.com/city/pl/wroclaw.pl.html>

Photos of the programme: Szprotawa river valley

Photograph: Lower Silesian Association of Landscape Parks

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TUESDAY 10 JUNE 2014

STUDY VISIT of the Przemkowski Landscape Park

With the participation of Mr Piotr ŚNIGUCKI, Director of the Lower Silesian Association of Landscape Parks

Meeting point: 9.00 Hotel Radisson blu, ul. j.e. Purkyniego 10, Wrocław, Poland,
Tel: +48 71 375 00 00, <http://www.radissonblu.pl/hotel-wroclaw>

9:00	Meeting point: Hotel Radisson blu, Purkyniego 10 Street, Wrocław, Poland
9:00 - 11:00	Transport to Przemków
11:00 - 11.20	Short presentation of the concept of the project “Preserving ecological value in the landscape of the Szprotawa river valley”
11:20 - 11:30	Transport by bus to the ecological site “Przemkowskie Bagno”
11:40 - 12:00	Welcome speeches of the representatives of local authorities
12:00 - 13:00	Walking through the ecological site “Przemkowskie Bagno” (High heels isn’t recommended)
13:30 - 14:30	Transport to the Pałac Krotoszyce (http://www.palackrotoszyce.pl/en/)
14:30 - 15:30	Lunch in Pałac Krotoszyce
15:30 - 17:30	Transport to Wrocław



WEDNESDAY 11 JUNE 2014

8.30 – 9.00 **REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS**

9.00 – 12.00 **OPENING SESSION**

WELCOME SPEECHES

Mrs Maguelonne DEJEANT-PONS, Representative of the Secretariat General of the Council of Europe, Secretary of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape

Mr Janusz OSTAPIUK, Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of the Environment, Poland

Mr Olgierd DZIEKONSKI, Secretary of State in the Chancellery of the Presidency of the Republic of Poland

Mr Piotr OTAWSKI, Deputy of the General Director for the Environmental Protection, Poland

Mr Bruno FAVEL, Chair of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) of the Council of Europe

Mrs Liv Kristine MORTENSEN, President of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Senior Advisor, Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Department of Planning, Norway

Mrs Sanja LJESKOVIC MITROVIC, Vice-President of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, General Director, Directorate for Spatial Planning, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism, Montenegro

Mr Jean-François SEGUIN, Chair of the Jury of the 3rd Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe and Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference of the European Landscape Convention

Mrs Anne-Marie CHAVANON, Chair of the Democracy, Social Cohesion and Global Challenges Committee of the Conference of INGOs of the Council of Europe

INTRODUCTION

Presidents: Mrs Hanna JEDRAS, Chief Expert, Department of International Relations, Ministry of Culture and National Heritage of Poland

Mr Jean-François SEGUIN, Chair of the Jury of the 3rd Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe and Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference of the European Landscape Convention

Presentation of the European Landscape Convention and of the Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum of National Selections – 3rd Session

Mrs Maguelonne DEJEANT-PONS, Executive Secretary of the European Landscape Convention, Council of Europe

Ms Charlotte KOK, Expert, Cultural Heritage, Secretariat of the 3rd Session of the Council of Europe Landscape Award

Coffee break

Presentation of the Polish National Experience of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe

Ms Małgorzata OPECHOWSKA, Senior Expert, National Secretariat for the European Landscape Convention, Nature Management Department, General Directorate for Environmental Protection

DISCUSSION with the participation of:

- *Members of the CDCPP, Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention and representatives of Ministries*
- *Representatives of local and regional authorities*
- *Representatives of international governmental organisations*
- *Representatives of international and national non-governmental organisations*
- *National and international experts and general public*

12.00 ***END OF THE SESSION***

12.00 – 13.30 *Lunch*

– Workshop 1 –

***Landscape to be protected:
Actions to conserve and maintain the significant or
characteristic features of a landscape***

14.00 – 18.00

Presidents: Mrs Mireille DECONINCK, Member of the Jury of the 3rd Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe as Representative of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) of the Council of Europe
Mr Maciej BORSA, Director, Institute for Territorial Development, Wrocław Poland

PRESENTATIONS

Environmental education in the town of Strakonice year by year or “Pilgrimage through the Contemplative Landscape”, Municipality of Strakonice, Czech Republic

Representatives of the Ministry: Mrs Júlia TÓBIKOVÁ, Representative of the Czech Republic for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Department of Landscape Protection, Ministry of the Environment

Representative of the Project: Mr Pavel PAVEL, Mr Bruzek JAROSLAV, Mr Miroslav SOBR, Municipality of Strakonice

Bere Island Conservation Plan, The Heritage Council and the Bere Island Project Group, Ireland

Representatives of the Project: Mr Jackie SULLIVAN, Director of the Bere Island Project Group, Mr John WALSH, Coordinator of the Bere Island Project Group

Preserving ecological value in the landscape of the Szprotawa river valley, Lower Silesian Association of Landscape Parks, Poland

Representative of the Project: Mr Piotr ŚNIGUCKI, Director of the Lower Silesian Association of Landscape Parks

Furnas Landscape Laboratory (Furnas LandLab), Azores Regional Directorate of the Environment, Portugal

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Maria José FESTAS, Directorate General of Territorial Development, Ministry of Environment, Spatial Planning and Energy

Representative of the Project: Mr Miguel GOMES CAETANO FERREIRA, Furnas Landscape Laboratory (Furnas Landlab), Azores Regional Directorate of the Environment

16.00 – 16.30 *Coffee break*

The Gate of Gornje Podunavlje, NGO Podunav, Backi Monostor, Serbia

Representative of the Ministry and of the Project: Mrs Biljana FILIPOVIC, Senior Advisor for International Cooperation, Ministry of Environment and Spatial Planning

Salvage, Revival and Operation of the Forest Railway in the Landscape of Cierny Balog, Ciernohronska zeleznica NGO, Slovak Republic

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Daniela ANDREJCINOVA, Slovak Environmental Agency

Representative of the Project: Mr Ales BILEK, Ciernohronska zeleznica NGO

17.00 – 17.30 **DISCUSSION** with the participation of:

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17.30 **END OF THE SESSION**

20.00 – 22.30 **OFFICIAL RECEPTION**



**CEREMONY OF THE 3RD SESSION OF THE LANDSCAPE AWARD
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THURSDAY 12 JUNE 2014

– Workshop 2 –

***Landscape to be managed:
Actions, from a perspective of sustainable development,
to guide and harmonise changes***

9.00 – 12.30

Presidents: Mrs Ingrid SARLÖV-HERLIN, Member of the Jury of the 3rd Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe, Professor, Department of Landscape Architecture, Planning and Management, Sweden
Mr Marek KAJS, Deputy Director, General Directorate for the Environmental Protection, Poland

PRESENTATIONS

Hoge Kempen National Park, Regionaal Landschap Kempen en Maasland vzw, Belgium

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Mireille DECONINCK, Representative of Belgium for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention

Representative of the Project: Mr Johan VAN DEN BOSCH, Head of Office, Hoge Kempen National Park

The Landscape Projects of Hyypä Valley, City of Kauhajoki, Hyypä village association, Finnish Forestry Centre/Public Services, Unit of South and Central Ostrobothnia, Finland

Representative of the Ministry: Mr Hannu LINKOLA, Senior Official, Ministry of the Environment, Department of the Nature Environment

Representative of the Project: Mrs Marketta NUMMIJÄRVI, Landscape architect, City of Kauhajoki

Dzintari Forest Park, Jurmala City Council, Latvia

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Dace GRANTA, Senior Official, Spatial Planning Department, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Regional Development

Representatives of the Project: Mrs Ieva STRAZDINA, Development Department Project supervision unit, Mrs Anete ABELITE, Jurmala City Council

Planning policy for conservation and sustainable development of 20 national landscapes in the Netherlands, Stichting Nationale Landschappen (NGO), Netherlands

Representative of the Project: Mr Pieter VEEN, Vista Landscape Architecture and Urban Design, National Service of Landscape

10.30 – 11.00 *Coffee break*

Agricultural Development and Environmental Protection in Transylvania, ADEPT Foundation, NGO, Romania

Representative of the Project: Mr Benone MEHEDIN, Project Manager of the Foundation Agricultural Development and Environmental Protection in Transylvania (ADEPT)

South Pennines Watershed Landscape Project, Pennine Prospects, United Kingdom

Representative of the Project: Mr Robin GRAY, CMLI, Pennine Prospects

12.00 – 12.30 **DISCUSSION** with the participation of:

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- Representatives of local and regional authorities
- Representatives of international governmental organisations
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12.30 **END OF THE SESSION**

12.30 – 14.00 *Lunch*

– Workshop 3 –

Landscapes to be planned: Strong-forward looking actions to enhance, restore or create landscapes

14.30 – 18.00

Presidents: Mrs Jasminka CVEJIĆ, Professor, University of Belgrade, Faculty of Forestry, Member of the Jury of the 3rd Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe
Mr Enrico BUERGI, Chair of the Jury of the 1st and 2nd Landscape Award of the Council of Europe and Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference of the European Landscape Convention

PRESENTATIONS

Grand Pré Park, City of Langueux, France

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Karine MANGIN, Policy Official for Landscape, Landscape and Publicity Office, Ministry of Ecology, Sustainable Development and Energy

Representative of the Project: Mrs Laure PLANCHAIS, Landscape Architect, City of Langueux

Complex landscape rehabilitation and development programme in the Gerecse Mountains and the Által Creek Valley, Association for the Restoration and Development of the Által Creek Valley (Tata), Hungary

Representative of the Ministry: Mr Gábor KISS, Head of Department, National Representative of European Landscape Convention for Hungary, Ministry of Rural Development

Representative of the Project: Mr Laszlo MUSICZ, Secretary of the Association for the Restoration and Development of the Által Creek Valley (Tata) and Komárom-Esztergom County Unit of MTESZ (Federation of Technical and Scientific Societies), Tatabánya

The rebirth of the Alto Belice Corleonese region through the recovery of lands confiscated from the mafia organisations, LIBERA, Associations, names and numbers against mafias, Italy

Representative of the Ministry: Mr Maurizio PECE, Senior Official, Architecture and Contemporary Art Department, Mr Giacomo TROPEANO, Senior Official, Landscape and Quality Management Department, Ministry for Cultural Heritage, Cultural Activities and Tourism

Representative of the Project: Mrs Monica USAI, Representative of LIBERA, Associations, names and numbers against mafias

U-parks. U-turn we love, Utena district Municipality, Lithuania

Representative of the Ministry: Mr Vidmanats BEZARAS, Director of Protected areas and landscape Department, Ministry of Environment

Representatives of the Project: Mr Vidmantas VALINCIUS, Vice-Mayor of Utena District Municipality and Mrs Jūratė PARAGYTĖ, Senior Official, Division of the Territorial planning and construction, Utena District Municipality

15.30 – 16.00 *Coffee break*

Landscape and water-management restoration of Škocjanski Zatok nature reserve, DOPPS, BirdLife Slovenia, Slovenia

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Jelena HLADNIK, Head of the Implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Agriculture and the Environment

Representative of the Project: Mrs Natasa SALAJA, Reserve Manager, DOPPS – BirdLife Slovenia

The sustainable revitalisation of the protected landscape of Geria, Consortium for the defense and promotion of the landscape of Geria, Spain

Representative of the Ministry: Mrs Ana LABORDE MARQUEZE, Archaeologist and Conservator, Institute of Cultural Heritage of Spain, Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport

Representative of the Project: Mrs Tania ACUNA GONZALES, Consortium for the Defense and Promotion of the Geria Landscape

17.00– 17.30 **DISCUSSION** with the participation of:

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17.30 **END OF THE SESSION**

17.30 – 18.00 **CLOSING SESSION**

GENERAL CONCLUSIONS

Mr Jean-François SEGUIN, Chair of the Jury of the 3rd Session of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe and Former Chair of the Council of Europe Conference of the European Landscape Convention

CLOSING SPEECHES

Mrs Maguelonne DEJEANT-PONS, Executive Secretary of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape and of the European Landscape, Council of Europe

Mrs Małgorzata FOKT WILLMANN, Expert, Department of Monuments, Ministry of Culture and National Heritage, Representative of Poland at the Steering Committee for Culture Heritage and Landscape of the Council of Europe

Mrs Liv Kristine MORTENSEN, President of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Senior Advisor, Department of Regional Planning, Ministry of the Environment, Norway

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On behalf of: Mr Piotr OTAWSKI, Deputy of the General Director for the Environmental Protection, Poland

FREE EVENING

