



European Landscape ConventionLandscape Award of the Council of Europe

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At their 1123th Meeting of 12 October 2011, the Committee of Ministers decided unanimously to attribute a special mention of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe to:

Durham Heritage Coast Partnership – "The Durham heritage coast", United Kingdom

"The Durham heritage coast" is an exemplary achievement of rehabilitation and regeneration of a coastal area previously marked by distinct degradation. Characterised by sustainable territorial development, exemplarity, public participation and awareness-raising the project achieved extraordinary results through mobilising local populations and creating a regenerated landscape and a new identity. It forms an excellent model for the regeneration of degraded coastal areas.