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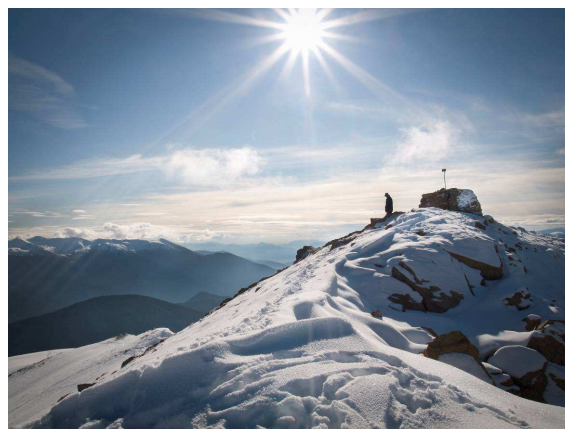
*SIXTEENTH COUNCIL OF EUROPE MEETING  
OF THE WORKSHOPS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION  
OF THE EUROPEAN LANDSCAPE CONVENTION*

***Landscape and transfrontier cooperation***

*The landscape knows no boundary*

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**Andorra la Vella, Andorra**  
**1-2 October 2015**  
*Study Visit, 30 September 2015*

**— PROGRAMME —**  
*17 September 2015*



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The 16th Council of Europe Meeting of the Workshops for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention on “*Landscape and transfrontier cooperation: the landscape knows no boundary*”, is being organised by the Council of Europe – Directorate of Democratic Governance, Secretariat of the European Landscape Convention – in cooperation with the Ministry of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development of Andorra, within the context of the Work Programme of the European Landscape Convention of the Council of Europe.

The Meeting will take place in the Congress Centre of Andorra la Vella, Plaça del Poble, s/núm, AD500 – Andorra – Tel.: (+376) 730 005, Fax: (+376) 874 501.

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An optional study visit for the official delegates of the member States of the Council of Europe, speakers in the Programme and other participants, subject to their availability, will be organised on 30 September 2015 (meeting in front of the Congress Centre at 8.30 am).

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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, Republic 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 aim to promote European landscape protection, management and planning and to organise European cooperation. 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 every day 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, Republic of 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. 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”
- 11-12 June 2014, Wrocław (Poland): “Council of Europe Landscape Award Forum of National Selections – Session 3 (2012-2013)”
- 1-2 October 2014, Urgup (Turkey): “Sustainable landscapes and economy: on the inestimable natural and human value of the landscape”

[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](http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/cultureheritage/heritage/Landscape/Publications_en.asp)]

## Organisers

The Council of Europe would like to thank the Government of Andorra for its cooperation and hospitality. In addition, the Council of Europe would like to thank the Ministry of Environment Finland, the Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Department of Planning of Norway, the Swedish National Heritage Board and the Swiss Federal Office of the Environment, Forestry and Landscape for their support. Moreover, the organisation also wishes to thank the Landscape Observatory of Catalonia, Spain for its technical collaboration.



## Objectives

The Meeting aims to analyse experiences, achieved or on-going, of transfrontier co-operation. The European Landscape Convention indeed states that “*The Parties shall encourage transfrontier co-operation on local and regional level and, wherever necessary, prepare and implement joint landscape programmes*” (Article 9 – Transfrontier landscapes). The Recommendation CM/Rec(2008)3 of the Committee of Ministers to member States on the guidelines for the implementation of the European Landscape Convention considers that “*Transfrontier co-operation may result in joint landscape protection, management and planning programmes and take the form of instruments and measures agreed between the authorities (different administrative levels and general and sectoral competences) and relevant stakeholders on both sides of the border*”. It notes that “*Transfrontier co-operation is possible not only between neighbouring states but also between neighbouring regions and communities in the same state which have different landscape policies, on the basis either of territorial contiguity or common features*”.

## **Websites**

- **European Landscape Convention**  
<http://www.coe.int/EuropeanLandscapeConvention>  
<http://www.coe.int/Conventioneuropennedupaysage>
- **Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development of Andorra**  
<https://www.www.govern.ad/>  
<https://www.www.mediambient.ad>

## **Venue**

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## **Participants**

The Meeting is aimed at government officials – Members of the Council of Europe Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) and the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, representatives of other ministries –, representatives of local and regional authorities, universities, professionals, public and private governmental and non-governmental organisations working in the fields of landscape and sustainable management, with its environmental, cultural, social and economic dimensions. The number of participants is limited to 300.

## **Working languages**

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

## **Programme**

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

## **Registration**

Participants are invited to complete the online registration form before **11 September 2015**.  
[http://a.cs.coe.int/team20/european\\_landscape\\_convention/Registration/october2015.aspx](http://a.cs.coe.int/team20/european_landscape_convention/Registration/october2015.aspx)

There are no registration fees for participants.

**Practical information**

*Transport by plane and then by bus – Participants are invited to make their own reservation*

**Transport by plane:** Barcelona (Spain) or Toulouse (France).

**Transport by bus from the airports of Barcelona and Toulouse to the hotels of Andorra (and return).**

**1. Transport service by bus from Barcelona Airport to Andorra hotels listed on the Programme**

The organisers of the Meeting have arranged a free shuttle bus service (round trip) from Barcelona Airport to and from hotels in Andorra listed on the Programme.

On the days of arrival (29 and 30 September), a reception team will be available at Barcelona airport to facilitate the transfer bus from the terminal of Barcelona Airport T1 and T2 (with a sign of the Meeting visible).

Please fill out the following form, including your full name and with an  a chosen date and time of the transfer, the terminal of arrival and departure and also the number of persons.

<b>RESERVATION FORM FOR SHUTTLE BUS TRANSFER</b>			
<i>Barcelona Airport - Andorra hotels listed on the Programme</i>			
<i>print, complete and send to:</i>			
<b>Mrs Isabel RODRIGO PORTABELLA</b> Logistics, PASS ANDORRA Tel: + 376 869 944 - Fax: + 376 869 945 <b>E-mail: info@passandorra.com</b>			
<b>Full name:</b> .....			
<b>Go: from Barcelona airport to Andorra</b>			
<b>29 September 2015</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Terminal 1 or 2</b>	<b>Number of persons</b>
	11:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	14:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	17:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>30 September 2015</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Terminal 1 or 2</b>	<b>Number of persons</b>
	10:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	13:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	17:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Return: from Andorra to Barcelona airport</b>			
<b>2 October 2015</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Terminal 1 or 2</b>	<b>Number of persons</b>
	19:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>3 October 2015</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Terminal 1 or 2</b>	<b>Number of persons</b>
	06:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	09:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	T1 <input type="checkbox"/> or T2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## 2. Other possibilities for bus transport

Participants who are unable to use the free shuttle bus service **previously mentioned** or who wish to arrive through **Toulouse Airport**, are invited to get in touch directly with the regular bus companies of Andorra (information below) in order to make their own booking:

**Toulouse Airport** – City Andorra la Vella (return trip):

- Novatel Company: [www.andorrabybus.com](http://www.andorrabybus.com) tel. + 376 803 789
- Company Montmantell: [www.andorrabus.com](http://www.andorrabus.com) tel. + 376 807 000

**Barcelona Airport** – City Andorra la Vella (return trip):

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- Company Montmantell: [www.andorrabus.com](http://www.andorrabus.com) tel. + 376 807 000
- Nadal Company: [www.andorradirectbus.es](http://www.andorradirectbus.es) tel. + 376 805 151

**Hotels** – *Participants are invited to make their own reservation*

Pre-negotiated special rates for the participants have been made at the following hotels. Participants are requested to make their reservations **directly** with the hotel by sending an E-mail to the contact person. Check-in is from 14:00, departure before 11:00.

Please note that reservations made after the deadline of 11 September 2015 are subject to hotel availability after this date. **Please note the cancellation policy:** for cancellations up to 48 hours prior to arrival, the first night will be charged. Cancellations made after this time will involve the invoicing of the total stay.

**Please make sure you receive written confirmation of your reservation from the hotel.**

The hotels selected by the organisation are located near the Congress Centre of Andorra, where the Meeting will be held (5 or 10 minutes' walk).

### **Hotel Isard\*\*\***

250 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre  
Website: [www.hotelisard.com](http://www.hotelisard.com)  
Tel: +(376) 876800  
E-mail: [recepicio@hotelisard.com](mailto:recepicio@hotelisard.com)  
Contact person: Mr Jorge RUBIO  
Address: Av. Meritxell, 34  
Price individual room (with breakfast): 35.10€ /pernight  
Price double room (with breakfast): 44.20 € /per night

### **Hotel Holiday Inn \*\*\*\*\***

300 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre  
Website: [www.plazandorra.com](http://www.plazandorra.com)  
Tel: +(376) 871383  
E-mail: [bookingcrowne@plazandorra.com](mailto:bookingcrowne@plazandorra.com)  
Contact person: Mrs Meri SOLER  
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Price individual room (with breakfast): 77.25 € /per night  
Price double room (with breakfast): 87.50 € /per night



**Hotel Arthotel \*\*\*\***

350 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre  
Website: [www.arthotel.ad](http://www.arthotel.ad)  
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E-mail: [arthotel@andorra.ad](mailto:arthotel@andorra.ad)  
Contact person: Mrs Núria MARTINEZ  
Address: Prat de la Creu 15-25  
Price individual room (with breakfast): 60.61€ /per night  
Price double room (with breakfast): 81.51 € /per night

**Hotel Andorra Park \*\*\*\*\***

360 m: Distance from the hotel to the Congress Centre  
Website: [www.andorraparkhotel.com](http://www.andorraparkhotel.com)  
Tel: +(376) 877777  
E-mail: [rpp.park@andorraparkhotel.com](mailto:rpp.park@andorraparkhotel.com)  
Contact person: Mrs Noémi SUBIRA  
Address: Carrer les Canals  
Price individual room (with breakfast): 129.92€ /per night  
Price double room (with breakfast): 159.84€ /per night

**For more information regarding other hotels in Andorra please consult the website:**  
<http://visitandorra.com/en/summer/sleeping/>

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*Photos of the Programme, from the photographic competition Andorra landscapes*

*Cover: “Casamanya Peak”, Andorra (Irene Clua)*

*Current page: “Sky and stones”, Andorra (Esteve Argelich Tarrego)*

*Study visit: “Pas de la Casa”, Department of Environment and Sustainable Development (Farga Rossell) – Ministry of Culture*

*Other photos of the study visit, from the photographic competition Andorra landscapes - “Camí de memòria” (Eusebi Pérez Crespo); “Desglaç a ordino” (Ingrid Brousset Sansa)*

*Final page: “Contemplation” (Josep Santamaría Argelich)*



*Another event of interest!*

*Participants will see the works of art of the International Land Art Biennial Andorra, which will be held from 10 September to 10 October 10, 2015. Information will be provided at the Meeting.*

*[www.andorralandart.com](http://www.andorralandart.com), #LANDARTAND*

**WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2015**

### **STUDY VISIT**

*8.30-18.30: Study visit for the official delegates of the member States of the Council of Europe, speakers in the Programme and other participants subject to availability  
(The number of participants is limited to 100)*

*Meeting point at 8.30 a.m. in front of the Hotel Arthotel (Prat de la Creu, 15-25 – AD500 Andorra La Vella – Andorra - [www.arthotel.ad](http://www.arthotel.ad) - Tel: +(376) 760303).*

Despite living in a mountainous and remote enclave, Andorrans have always sought exchanges with neighbouring countries in order to enhance their everyday lives. During our visit we will pass through diverse Andorran landscapes marked by economic activities which are always linked to bordering countries and have evolved over the course of time.



## Morning: Valira de Oriente Valley

Departing from Andorra la Vella we will travel through the urban landscapes of the towns of **Escaldes-Engordany** and **Encamp**, among the most populous of Andorra, and head towards Canillo and its rural and natural landscapes, before moving into mixed landscapes (natural with human activities) in one of the largest skiable areas in the Pyrenees, now frequented by tourists from all over the world.

Our route peaks at **Col d'Envalira** (2400m high) where we can take in views of Andorra's mountains and glacial cirques in natural high-mountain landscapes to the south and the transfrontier landscapes on the border with France to the north. We will also look down on the town of **Pas de la Casa** and the **Ariège Valley in France**. These high-mountain landscapes are part-natural and part-man-made (with ski resorts), bearing an imprint of urbanisation developed through major trade activity due to the border location of Pas de la Casa and its position at the foot of the ski slopes.



Return to the municipality of **la Massana**, in the **Valira del Norte** and **Riu d'Arinsal** valleys.



13:00 – Lunch/sampling, prepared with Andorran gastronomic produce locally sourced around the “Farga Rossell”, a renovated former forge dating from the 17th century, the last vestige of the country's ironwork cultural heritage and the starting point of the Iron Route. Under its agricultural policy and the National Landscape Strategy the Government encourages the maintaining of rural landscapes by helping local producers to diversify and promote their produce.

## Afternoon: Valira del Norte Valley

In the Middle Ages, transhumance and agricultural fairs provided Andorra's earlier inhabitants with a backdrop for trading cattle and buying foodstuffs that were difficult to obtain in a harsh mountain climate. From the 16th century onwards and right up to the end of the 19th century, semi-industrial activity developed with the mining of iron ore, its primary transformation in the country's forges and its transportation to larger towns in neighbouring countries. The Valira del Norte valley still has many vestiges of activities relating to the transportation and transformation of iron, set in traditional farming landscapes.

There are two visit options on offer:

**Option A:** Departing from la Massana, transportation to the start of the Iron Route. The journey will lead us through natural and rural landscapes and villages which have retained the country's traditional agricultural character (Ordino, Ansalonga, La Cortinada, Arans, Llorts), with their Romanesque churches (11th and 12th centuries). Continuation along the Iron Route on foot (4 km – 1 hour approximately) to discover this ancient road used to transport iron ore and coal to the forges. Sculptures created by various international artists are dotted along the route in an exceptional natural setting (<http://visitandorra.com/fr/winter/itineraires/sentier-de-randonnee-ruta-del-ferro/>).

The bus will pick up the participants at the end of the route and take them back to Ordino. Possibility of a stop for a self-guided tour of Ordino if remaining time permits. Trainers or light walking boots are strongly recommended.

**Option B:** Departing from la Massana, transportation to Ordino. The main centre of the municipality bearing the same name, this village is a much sought-after place of residence today. Its ancient centre and modern facilities that remain in keeping with its traditional character provide a greatly appreciated living environment. Ordino was once the seat of two big forge-owning families. The participants will be able to visit the home of the Areny-Plandolit family, which controlled much of the metal industry. This stately home, built in the 17th century, was restored in 1972 and turned into a museum. It contains furniture and artefacts reflecting the lifestyle of the family, with items specific to mountain life and others brought back from towns in Spain. The facade is also of great interest, with a balcony dating from 1849, made in the owner's own Forge. An adjacent building was constructed and fitted out as a natural history museum at the beginning of the 20th century and now houses an auditorium. The family also had ornamental gardens laid out along the rock, with remarkable box trees and plane trees (<http://visitandorra.com/fr/lieux-et-services/musee-maison-d-areny-plandolit/>). Possibility of a self-guided tour of Ordino if time allows.

Return to the hotel at 18:30 and free evening.



## ***THURSDAY 1 OCTOBER 2015***

8.15 – 9.00     ***REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS***

9.00 – 10.00

### ***WELCOME SPEECHES***

Mrs Sílvia CALVÓ, Minister of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development of Andorra

Representative of the Secretary General to the Council of Europe

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

Mrs Liv Kirstine MORTENSEN, Chair 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, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism, Montenegro, Vice-Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Member of the Bureau of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) of the Council of Europe

### ***PRESENTATION OF THE MEETING***

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

Mrs Anna MOLES, Head of Unit of Landscape, Biodiversity and Environmental Assessment, National Representative of Andorra for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Andorra

### ***OPENING CONFERENCES***

10.00 – 10.45

#### **Transfrontier cooperation**

Mr Edwin LEFEBRE, Deputy of the Director, Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Flemish Region, Agency for Home Affairs, Rapporteur of the European Committee on Democracy and Governance (CDDG) of the Council of Europe

#### **Thinking border, thinking landscape**

Mr Joan NOGUÉ, Director of the Landscape Observatory of Catalonia, Spain

10.45 – 11.15   *Coffee break*

## *– Workshop 1 –*

### *A journey through the landscapes of Andorra*

11.15 – 13.00

#### *Chair*

Mr Marc ROSSELL, Director General of Environment and Sustainable Development, Ministry of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development, Andorra

#### *Rapporteur*

Mrs Natàlia ROVIRA, Responsible for Strategy and Communication, Ministry of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development, Andorra

### **PRESENTATIONS**

#### **The National Landscape Strategy of Andorra: Outcomes 2012-2015**

Mrs Anna MOLES, Head of Unit of Landscape, Biodiversity and Environmental Assessment, National Representative of Andorra for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development, Andorra

#### **Landscape planning at the local level in Europe: the results of a comparative study**

Mr Pere SALA, Co-ordinator of the Landscape Observatory of Catalonia, Spain

Mrs Anna MOLES, Head of Unit of Landscape, Biodiversity and Environmental Assessment, National Representative of Andorra for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development, Andorra

#### **Border landscapes and cross-border relationships in Andorra**

Mrs Núria SEGUÉS, Researcher at the Centre of Andorra Studies and Sociological Research (CRES)

#### **The challenge of transborder European landscapes: learning from the experience of Pas de la Casa**

Mr Francesc MUÑOZ, Director of the Urbanisation Observatory and the Masters in Landscape Intervention and Management from the Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain

Mrs Marina CERVERA, Architect for the Polytechnic University of Barcelona, Landscape Architect, General Secretary of the European Foundation of Landscape Architecture (IFLA-Europe), Spain

Mr Massimo ANGRILLI, Architect, Professor of the Architecture Faculty of the University of Pescara, Italy

#### *End of Session*

13.00 – 14.30 *Lunch: Consòrcia Room*

## – Workshop 2 –

### *Dotted landscapes, lines that separate, lines that bind*

14.30 – 16.00

#### ***Chairs***

Mrs Julia TOBIKOVA, National Focal Point for the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of the Environment, Czech Republic

Mr Enrico BUERGI, Honorary Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Switzerland

#### ***Rapporteur***

Mr Yves LUGINBÜHL, Agronomist and Geographer, Research Director Emeritus of the National Centre for Scientific Research, France

### ***PRESENTATIONS***

#### **Cross-border Landscape Plan of Cerdanya**

Mrs Aurélie FRANCHI, Senior Official, Office of landscapes and advertising, Ministry of Ecology, Sustainable Development and Energy, France

Mrs Séverine CASASAYAS, Director of the Regional Natural Park of the Catalan Pyrenees, France

Mrs Lucie JULIEN, Senior Officer, Regional Natural Park of the Catalan Pyrenees, France

Mr Ramon MOLINER, Chair of the Comarcal Council of the Cerdanya, Catalonia, Spain

#### **The Model Programme to maintain the landscape heritage of the Hetés Border Region of Hungary and Slovenia**

Mrs Krisztina KINCSES, National Representative of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Agriculture, Hungary

Mr Gábor KISS, Landscape Expert, Herman Ottó Institute, Hungary

Mrs Jelena HLADNIK, Secretary, Head of the implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry of Agriculture and the Environment, Slovenia

#### **Finnskogen Nature and Culture Park: Transfrontier co-operation between Norway and Sweden**

Mrs Liv Kristine MORTENSEN, Senior Advisor, Department of Planning, Norwegian Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation, Norway

Mme Suzanne PALMQUIST, Representative of the Finnskogen Nature and Culture Park, Sweden

#### **Towards strengthened governance of the shared transboundary landscape of the Lake Ohrid Region**

Mrs Zhulieta HARASANI, General Director of Strategic Planning for Cultural Diversity and Heritage, Ministry of Culture, Albania

Mrs Valentina CAVDAROVA, Head of Division for Spatial Planning in protected area and geo-diversity, Department of Nature, Ministry of the Environment and Physical Planning, “the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia”

**Cross-Border Landscape Character Assessment: West-Flanders (Belgium) and Nord-Pas-de-Calais (France)**

Mr Niels DABAUT, Researcher, Ghent University, Belgium

16.00 – 16.30 *Coffee break*

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**– Workshop 3 –**

***Landscapes: diverse cultures and natural features,  
a richness***

16.30 – 18.00

***Chairs***

Mrs Małgorzata OPECHOWSKA, Senior Expert, National Secretariat for the Landscape Convention, Department for Nature Protection, General Directorate for Environmental Protection, Poland

Mr Vidmantas BEZARAS, Director of Protected Areas and Landscape Department, Ministry of the Environment, Lithuania

***Rapporteur***

Mrs Annalisa CALCAGNO MANIGLIO, Professor Emeritus of Landscape Architecture, Genoa, Italy

***PRESENTATIONS***

**Cross-border cooperation on landscape between Croatia and Montenegro**

Mrs Biserka DUMBOVIC-BILUSIC, Senior Advisor, Ministry of Culture, Directorate for Cultural Heritage, Croatia

Mrs Sanja LJESKOVIC MITROVIC, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism, Montenegro

**The landscape dimension of the green infrastructure of urban areas in Central Europe**

Mr Marek DEGORSKI, Director of the Institute of Geography and Spatial Organisation, Polish Academy of Sciences, Poland

**The Romania-Bulgaria Cross-Border Landscapes Atlas**

Mrs Cristina DEDIU, Counsellor and responsible for the spatial project, Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration, Romania

**“Transcarpathia” landscape cooperation and the hydrographic basin of the Tisza / Tisa: Hungary, Romania, Slovakia and Ukraine**

Mrs Nadiya YASHYNA, Representative of the Agency of Regional Development and Cross-Border Co-operation “Transcarpathia” of Zakarpattia Oblast Council, Ukraine



**Transfrontier cooperation between Algarve y Alentejo (Portugal) y Andalusia (Spain)**

Mr Gonzalo ACOSTA BONO, Head of the Department of Spatial Planning and Landscape, Junta de Andalusia, Spain

**Transversality, an essential step in landscape conception** *(written presentation)*

Mr Bernard LASSUS, Landscape Architect, Artist, Grand National Landscape Award, France

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18.00 – 19.00

***DISCUSSION ON THE PRESENTATIONS OF THE WORKSHOPS 1-3***

*(Written contributions for the proceedings may be sent to the Secretariat)*

***Chairs***

Mrs Lamija ABDIJEVIC, Expert adviser for architectural heritage with the Bureau for Protection of Monuments, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Mr Agustí SERRA MONTÉ, Director General of Spatial planning and urbanism, Generalitat of Catalonia, Spain

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*Representatives of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) of the Council of Europe, the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention and other Steering Committees of the Council of Europe*

Mrs Sarah DE MEYER, Policy officer, Flemish Heritage Agency, Housing and Immovable Heritage, Flemish Region, Belgium

Mrs Tuija MIKKONEN, Senior Specialist, Ministry of the Environment, Department of the Built Environment, Finland

Mrs Elena SADOVNIKOVA, Honorary Member of the Council of Europe Conference of Ministers responsible for Spatial/Regional Planning (CEMAT) and implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Russian Federation

*Representatives of non-governmental organisations*

Mrs Lionella SCAZZOSI, Professor at the Polytechnic University of Milano, Representative of the International Scientific Committee on Cultural Landscapes of the International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), Italy

Mr Constantinos CARTALIS, Professor at the University of Athens, Scientific Adviser of Piraeus Bank Cultural Foundation, Greece

Mr Patrice COLLIGNON, Director of the International Association Rurality-Environment-Development (RED), Belgium

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20.30 ***OFFICIAL RECEPTION*** at the Andorra Park Hotel, offered by  
the Government of Andorra

***With the participation of the invited guests of honour***

*Chair and honorary Chairs of the Council of Europe Conference of the European Landscape Convention, Member of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape Bureau and Personalities who contribute, or who have contributed, to the work ensuring the quality of the Andorran landscape.*

*Presentation of the audiovisual on the Cultural Landscape of Madriu Perafita Claror, UNESCO World Heritage, by Mrs Susanna SIMON, Director of Cultural Landscape, Andorra*

**FRIDAY 2 OCTOBER 2015**

**– Workshop 4 –**

***Landscapes, spaces for cooperation***

9.00 – 11.00

***Chairs***

Mrs Hanna JEĐDRAS, Chief Specialist, Department of International relations, Ministry of Culture and National Heritage, Member of the Steering Committee for Culture, Heritage and Landscape (CDCPP) of the Council of Europe

Mr Anestis GOURGIOTIS, Senior Official, Head of Unit of National Spatial plans, Department of Spatial Planning, Ministry of productive reconstruction, environment and energy, Greece

***Rapporteur***

Mrs Margarita ORTEGA, Honorary Member of the Council of Europe Conference of Ministers responsible for Spatial/Regional Planning (CEMAT) and of the implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Spain

***PRESENTATIONS***

**The Swiss-Italian joint Project of shared landscapes**

Mr Giuseppe PIDELLO, Representative of the Observatory for cultural heritage and landscape of Biella, Piedmont, Italy

Mr Paolo CRIVELLI, Director of the Muggio Valley Ethnographic Museum, District of Ticino, Switzerland

**The Gate of Gornje Podunavlje, Backi Monostor, Serbia**

*Special mention of the Landscape Award of the Council of Europe 2013 ‘Contributing to European ideals’*

Mrs Biljana FILIPOVIC, Head of Unit for International Cooperation and Sustainable Development, Ministry of Agriculture and Environmental Protection, Serbia

**Transfrontier cooperation in the North Calotte Area Landscapes: Finland, Sweden and Norway**

Mr Tapio HEIKKILÄ, Ministerial Adviser, Ministry of the Environment, Finland

Mrs Päivi LUNDVALL, Head of the Unit of Nature Conservation, Lapland Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment, Finland

**Landscapes of the Douro, at the border: the isolation of identities and the challenge of economic cooperation**

Mr Joaquín ROMANO VELASCO, Professor of Economics, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, University of Valladolid, Spain

Mr Emilio PEREZ CHINARRO, Professor of Economics, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration University of Valladolid, Spain

**The Green Belt of Fennoscandia: prospective project of international cross-border cooperation in joint research and use of natural and cultural landscapes**

Mrs Olga BAKHMET, Secretary for Science, Leading Research Associate of the Karelian Scientific Center of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Russian Federation

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee break*

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**– Workshop 5 –**

***Transfrontier landscapes to be revealed***

11.30 – 13.00

***Chairs***

Mr Tapio HEIKKILÄ, Senior Environmental Adviser, Ministry of the Environment, Finland

Mr Jean-François SEGUIN, Honorary Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, France

***Rapporteur***

Mrs Maria José FESTAS, Honorary Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Portugal

***PRESENTATIONS***

**The MEDSCAPES Initiative: the landscape character assessment, as a tool for the conservation of natural values of the Eastern Mediterranean**

Mrs Phaedon ENOTIADES, Senior Official, Department of Town Planning and Housing, Ministry of Interior, Cyprus

**A Landscape Observatory of the Tagus River: relevance of the transfrontier cooperation between Spain and Portugal**

Mrs Maria do ROSÁRIO OLIVEIRA, Professor of Geography and Regional planning, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, New University of Lisbon, Portugal

**Small historic towns and their landscapes along the *European Green Belt*, following the former Iron Curtain**

Mrs Brigitte K. MACARIA, Secretary General of ECOVAST Austria

Mr Arthur SPIEGLER, Vice President of ECOVAST International, Chairman of Landscape Working Group, Austria

**Changing character of transfrontier landscapes, case studies: Hungary-Austria, Hungary-Slovenia, Germany-France**

Mrs Eva KONKONY-GUYRO, Professor, University of West Hungary, Hungary

**ECSLAND Project: European Culture expressed in Sacred Landscapes**

Mrs Gloria PUNGETTI, Professor, University of Cambridge, Darwin College, United Kingdom

*End of the Session*

13.00 – 14.30 *Lunch: Consòrcia Room*

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**– Workshop 6 –**

***Landscape for living, together***

14.30 – 16.00

***Chairs***

Mrs Ana SCHOEBEL, Senior Official, Spanish Historical Heritage Institute, Spain

Mr Rui Manuel AMARO ALVES, Director General for Spatial Planning and Urban Development, Portugal

***Rapporteur***

Mr Giovanni MANIERI ELIA, Senior Official, Service responsible of the implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Ministry for Heritage, Cultural activities and Tourism, Italy

***PRESENTATIONS***

**The Latin American Landscape Initiative LALI: the landscape of life**

Mrs Martha FAJARDO, Landscape Architect, Honorary Chair of the International Federation of Landscape Architects (IFLA), Representative of the Latin American Landscape Initiative, Columbia

**Transborder cooperation for Marinescapes**

Mrs Inge GOTZMANN, Director of the Bund Heimat und Umwelt (BHU) and President of CIVILSCAPE, Germany

Mr Tomas OLSSON, Senior Official, Committee of Cultural Affairs, Region of Västra Götaland, Sweden

Mr Dirk GOTZMANN, Director of CIVILSCAPE, Germany

**Adriatic Cross-Border Initiative Greece-Albania: from neighbourhood to partnership, talking about our place**

Mrs Aphrodite SOROTOU, Head of Scientific Secretariat of the Mediterranean Institute for Nature and Anthropos (Med-INA), Greece

**Intercontinental Biosphere Reserve of the Mediterranean: a model of cross-border cooperation**

Mr Abdelouahab IDELHADJ, Professor at the University Abdelmalek Essaadi, Tanger-Tetuan, Responsible of the Club heritage, development and citizenship, Morocco

**Reflections on a journey of alternative landscapes and sustainable routes**

Mrs Claudia ZANFI, Director of Green Island, Expert on history of art and culture, Italy

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16.00 – 16.45

***DISCUSSION ON THE PRESENTATIONS OF THE WORKSHOPS 4-6***

*(Written contributions for the proceedings may be sent to the Secretariat)*

***Chairs***

Mrs Urve SINIJÄRV, Senior Officer, Ministry of the Environment, Estonia

Mr William CUMMING, Principal Officer, National Inventory of Architectural Heritage, Department of Arts, Heritage and Gaeltacht, Ireland

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Mrs Anna STEINER, Deputy Head of Department for International Cultural Affairs, Federal Chancellery, Austria

Mrs Sanja ŠABAN, Assistant Minister, Ministry of Culture, Croatia

Mr Peter ROS, Senior Officer, Ministry of Economic Affairs, Netherlands

*Representatives of non-governmental organisations*

Mrs Cristiana STORELLI, International Landscape Workshop, Switzerland

Mr Felice SPINGOLA, President of the scientific Committee of the Pan Studi Centre, Italy

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16.45 – 17.00 *Coffee break*

17.00 – 17.45

***GENERAL CONCLUSIONS***

***Chairs***

Mrs Mireille DECONINCK, Attachée, Public Service of the Walloon Region, Division of Spatial Planning and Urbanism, Belgium

Mr Marc ROSSELL, Director of Environment, Ministry of Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable development, Andorra

***Presentations of the General conclusions of the workshops by the Rapporteurs***

Mrs Natàlia ROVIRA, Responsible for Strategy and Communication, Ministry of the Environment, Agriculture and Sustainable Development, Andorra

Mr Yves LUGINBÜHL, Agronomist and Geographer, Research Director Emeritus of the National Centre for Scientific Research, France

Mrs Annalisa CALCAGNO MANIGLIO, Professor Emeritus of Landscape Architecture, Genoa, Italy

Mrs Margarita ORTEGA, Honorary Member of the Council of Europe Conference of Ministers responsible for Spatial/Regional Planning (CEMAT) and implementation of the European Landscape Convention, Spain

Mrs Maria José FESTAS, Honorary Chair of the Council of Europe Conference on the European Landscape Convention, Portugal

Mr Giovanni MANIERI ELIA, Senior Official, Management and Landscape Quality Service, Ministry for Heritage, Cultural activities and Tourism, Italy

*End of the Session*

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17.45 – 18.00 ***CLOSING SESSION***

***CLOSING SPEECHES***

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

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

M. Jordi TORRES, Minister of Spatial Planning of Andorra

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***FREE EVENING***

