

AGENDA
Meeting of National Focal Points of
Mediterranean European countries on the Preparation of the Second
Cycle of the Periodic Reporting Exercise
Hotel Phoenicia, Valletta

Malta, 21st – 24th September 2011

Wednesday 21st September

Morning: Pick up from airport and transfer to hotel

Afternoon: Site Visit - City of Valletta

Thursday 22nd September

Morning

08:30: Registration

09:00: **Opening and welcome**

- Dr Ray Bondin (Ambassador & Permanent Delegate of Malta to UNESCO)
- Ms Petya Totcharova, Chief of Europe and North America Unit, World Heritage Centre

09:15 **Introduction to the 2nd Cycle of the Periodic Reporting Exercise: principles, objectives and timetable**

- Ms Petya Totcharova, Chief of Europe and North America Unit, World Heritage Centre

09:45 **Discussion/Questions**

10:00 **Clarifying boundaries, proposals of minor boundary modifications and establishment of buffer zones**

- Ms Alessandra Borchì, Policy and Statutory Meetings Section, World Heritage Centre

10:40 **Discussion/Questions**

11:00 **Coffee break**

11:15 **Retrospective Statement of Outstanding Universal Value: format, process, sources**

- Mr Junaaid Sorosh, Focal Point for Western, Baltic, Nordic and South-East Mediterranean Europe, Europe and North America Unit, World Heritage Centre

11:50 **Discussion/Questions**

12:30 **Lunch**

Afternoon

13:30 **Retrospective Statement of Outstanding Universal Value – Brief Synthesis** (Ms Piotrowska, ICCROM)

13:45 **Discussion/Questions**

14:00 **Practical workshop – Writing a brief synthesis**

15:00 **Presentation of the results of the group exercise/Discussion/Questions**

15:30 **Retrospective Statement of Outstanding Universal Value – Justification for criteria** (ICOMOS on cultural criteria (Ms Longuet)-IUCN on natural criteria (Mr Galland))

16:15 **Discussion/Questions**

16:40 **Coffee break**

16:55 **Practical workshop – Justifying the fulfillment of criteria**

18:00 **Presentation of the results of the group exercise/Discussion/Questions**

18:30 **Closing**

Friday 23rd September

Morning

08:30 **Retrospective Statement of Outstanding Universal Value – integrity and authenticity** (ICOMOS on authenticity, IUCN on integrity for natural sites & ICCROM on integrity for cultural sites)

09:15 **Discussion/Questions**

09:30 **Practical workshop – preparing sections on integrity and authenticity**

11:00 **Presentation of the results of the group exercise/Discussion/Questions**

11:30 **Coffee break**

11:45 **Retrospective Statement of Outstanding Universal Value – requirements for protection and management (IUCN or/and ICCROM)**

12:15 **Discussion/Questions**

12:30 **Practical workshop – preparing the section on protection and management requirements**

13:30 **Presentation of the results of the group exercise/Discussion/Questions**

14:00 **Lunch**

Afternoon

15:00 **Presentation of the revised Periodic Reporting II Questionnaires (Sections I & II)**
- Ms Alessandra Borch, Policy and Statutory Meetings Section, World Heritage Centre

15:45 **Discussion/Questions**

16:30 **Coffee break**

16:45 **SOC & Reactive monitoring mechanisms**
- Mr Junaaid Sorosh, Focal Point for Western, Baltic, Nordic and South-East Mediterranean Europe, Europe and North America Unit, World Heritage Centre

17:20 **Discussion/Questions & Other matters**

18:00 **Closing remarks**

Saturday 24th September

8.30: **Site visit - Hagar Qim and Mnajdra Temples**

Afternoon: **Transfers to the airport**