


# WHV – Leave Your Mark on the Landscape of the Jurisdiction of Saint-Emilion

*Jurisdiction of Saint-Emilion, France*

◆ Cultural property inscribed on the  
World Heritage List since 1999

18/07/2016 - 29/07/2016

 The Jurisdiction of Saint Émilion is an exceptional landscape devoted entirely to wine-growing, with many fine historic monuments in its towns and villages. The Saint Émilion area benefited from its location on the pilgrimage route to Santiago de Compostela and many churches, monasteries and hospices were built there from the 11<sup>th</sup> century onwards.

**Project objectives:** The main objectives of the project are to restore the Jurisdiction of Saint Emilion site with in-depth understanding of the site and to promote the site. It also aims to raise community awareness towards its historical and common values by involving the volunteers and local community in restoration activities. It's a way to see how civil society can be involved in the preservation of cultural heritage.

**Project activities:** The volunteers will conduct various restoration activities, under the supervision of Adichats and the guidance of traditional stone mason. They will restore and repair a traditional long stone wall between a small road and typical vineyards and will make a traditional mortar with lime and local sand.

**Partners:** Municipality of Saint Émilion, and Ministry of Culture / Regional Office.