Meeting with UNESCO Chair and C2Cs Representatives: 
*Implementing the HUL Recommendation: a common approach*

Thursday 30 June 2022

**Key Objectives**

In the context of the 10th Anniversary of the HUL Recommendation and its Call for Action, and building on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, as well as the Third UNESCO Member States consultation on the implementation of the HUL Recommendation, the meeting aims at:

- Raising awareness about UNESCO Chairs activities and research using the HUL Recommendation approach;
- Exchanging views and innovative ideas among UNESCO Chairs to enhance synergies with the World Heritage Cities Programme;
- Open the possibility of involving UNESCO Chairs in the Third Consultation of UNESCO Member States on the implementation of the HUL Recommendation.
- Exploring the links between UNESCO Chairs initiatives and activities to enrich the World Heritage Canopy platform through specific local case studies including on Climate change.
- Discussing engagement of the UNESCO Chairs in the HUL Call for Action and sharing experiences on HUL implementation

**Agenda**

12.00 – 12.07  Welcoming remarks, Mr Lazare Eloundou Assomo, Director of the UNESCO World Heritage Centre

12.07 – 12.30  Introduction from Ms Jyoti Hosagrahar, Deputy Director, World Heritage Centre, Culture Sector

12.30 - 13.15  Introduction from UNESCO Chairs (maximum 3 min each)

Ms Marie-Noël Tournoux, Project Director World Heritage Institute of Training and Research for the Asia and the Pacific Region (WHITR-AP), China

Mr Souayibou Varissou, Executive Director of the African World Heritage Fund (AWHF), South Africa

Prof. Neelkanth Chhaya, UNESCO Chair in Culture, Habitat and Sustainable Development, Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Bangalore, India

Dr Masooma Shakir, UNESCO Chair on Sustainable Urban Regions, NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi, Pakistan
Dr Susan Osireditse Keitumetse, UNESCO Chair on "African Heritage Studies and Sustainable Development", University of Botswana

Dr Thomas Panganayi Thondhlana, Director of the Centre for Culture and Heritage Studies, UNESCO Chair on African Heritage, Great Zimbabwe University

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Kloos, UNESCO Chair for Historic Urban Landscapes and Heritage Impact Assessments, RheinMain University of Applied Sciences, Germany

Prof. Michael Turner and Prof. Els Verbakel, UNESCO Chair in Urban Design and Conservation Studies, Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem, Israel

Prof. Enrico Eraldo Bertacchini, UNESCO Chair of Economics of Culture and Heritage: Strategies for Protection and Development, University of Torino, Italy

Prof. Anna Del Monaco, on behalf of Prof. Lucio Barbera, UNESCO Chair on Sustainable Urban Quality and Urban Culture, notably in Africa, University of Rome-La Sapienza, Italy

Prof. Federico Bucci and Ms. Elena Fioretto, UNESCO Chair in Architectural Preservation and Planning in Heritage Cities, Politecnico di Milano, Italy

Prof. Ana Pereira Roders, UNESCO Chair in Heritage and Values: Heritage and the Reshaping of Urban Conservation for Sustainability, Delft University of Technology, Netherlands

Prof. Carola Hein, UNESCO Chair on Water, Ports, and Historic Cities, Leiden-Delft-Erasmus Universities Consortium, Netherlands

Ms Aida López Urbanegra, UNESCO Chair on Cultural Landscapes and Heritage, University of the Basque Country, UPV/EHU, Spain

13.15 – 14.10 Open exchange

14.10 – 14.15 Wrap up: designing the way forward

Conclusion by Ms Hosagrahar, Deputy Director, UNESCO World Heritage Centre

List of participants

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3. Ms Jieting Pei, Programme specialist, WHITR-AP, China (observer)
4. Mr Souayibou Varissou, Executive Director AWHF, South Africa
5. Mr Ebrahim Alkhalifa, Deputy Director, ARC-WH, Bahrein
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