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## ARCHAEOMAP FORUM

*Paris, 24-27 March 2009*

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### Agenda

#### First Day

**Tuesday, 24 March 2009 / Afternoon UNESCO Miollis – Room XVI**

2.30 p.m.		<p>Welcoming address by UNESCO Division for Science Policy and Sustainable Development (Salvatore A. Giannino, Forum Moderator)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adoption of the Agenda</li> <li>•</li> </ul>
3.00 p.m.	<b>Item 1:</b>	<p>Administrative Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parterschip (amendments to the contract)</li> <li>• Budget (amendments)</li> </ul>
4.30 p.m.		<i>Coffee Break</i>
5.00 p.m.	<b>Item 2:</b>	<p>Administrative Agenda</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Refunds and advances</li> <li>• Next administrative documents to prepare:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Contract for human resources</li> <li>- Receipts of payment</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
6.00 p.m.		End of Administrative Agenda



**Second Day**

**Wednesday, 25 March 2009**

**UNESCO Miollis – Room XVI**

9.30 a.m.		<p>Opening of the ARCHAEOMAP FORUM:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome address by Mustafa El Tayeb, Director of UNESCO Division for Science Policy and Sustainable Development;</li> <li>• Statement by Michel Chapuis, Directorate General Research, European Commission;</li> <li>• Statement by Antonello Antinoro, Assistant to President of Sicily Region;</li> <li>• Statement by Sebastiano Tusa, Director of “Soprintendenza del Mare”, Sicily Region.</li> </ul>
10.00 a.m.	<b>Item 1:</b>	<p>Presentation of ARCHAEOMAP distance teaching module by Emma Angelini, UNINETTUNO International Telematic University (supported by RAI MED SAT):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A multimedia presentation of the ten ARCHAEOMAP study cases and their relative research programmes;</li> <li>• To manage natural and cultural resources for an integrated science policy strategy and a socio-economical sustainable development in Mediterranean’s coastal zone.</li> </ul>
10.45 a.m.		<i>Coffee Break</i>
11.00 a.m.	<b>Item 2:</b>	<p>Progress report on the ARCHAEOMAP implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Publication plan for a book containing principles and methodologies dealing with the protection, the research and the evaluation of the ten Mediterranean pilot sites (Sebastiano Tusa, “Soprintendenza del Mare” and Savatore A. Giannino, UNESCO Division for Science Policy and Sustainable Development;</li> <li>• Progress report on ARCHAEOMAP web-site development (Giacoma Brancato, “Soprintendenza del Mare”).</li> </ul>
12.00 a.m.	<b>Item 3:</b>	<p>A concretely example of ten interdisciplinary case studies for measuring progress towards sustainable development in Mediterranean Region:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Summary, discussion, and conclusion by Archaeomap partners.</li> </ul>
12.40 a.m.	<b>Item 4</b>	<p>Presentation of the “First Meeting of States Parties of the UNESCO 2001 Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage” by Ulrike Koschtial, UNESCO Division of Cultural Objects and Intangible Heritage</p>

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1.00 p.m.		<i>Lunch (free time)</i>
2.30 p.m.	<b>Item 5:</b>	<p>Presentation of the UNESCO Intersectoral Plan Action (Science / Culture) by Giovanni Boccardi, UNESCO World Heritage Centre:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The 1972 World Heritage Convention: linking cultural and natural heritage;</li> <li>• “Strategy for reducing risks from disasters at World Heritage properties”.</li> </ul>
3.15 p.m.	<b>Item 6:</b>	<p>Mobilizing science and technology for disaster risk reduction programs in Mediterranean Coastal Region by Badaoui Rouhban, Director of the UNESCO Section for Disaster Reduction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UNESCO’s contribution</li> <li>• Education and public awareness: Mediterranean people matter</li> </ul>
4.00 pm	<b>Item 7:</b>	<p>Archaeomap International Committee: reflection, finding and follow up:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The ARCHAEOSAFE Project to supports new research activities (Pietro Cosentino, University of Palerme, Stefano Tinti, University of Bologna and Alexandre Sursock, CNRS of Lebanon)).</li> </ul>
4.30 p.m.		<i>Coffee break</i>
5.00 p.m	<b>Item 7:</b>	<p>Archaeomap International Committee: reflection, finding and follow up:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A network of "Master course" to formulate science and technology policies, strategies and plans aimed at sustainable development in Mediterranean Region at national and global level (Sylvaine Trinh, Dauphine University of Paris and Dario Padovan, University of Turin);</li> <li>• Turin ESOF2010 (Euroscience Open Forum) by Aldo Fasolo, University of Turin;</li> <li>• Discussion, summary and conclusion.</li> </ul>
6.00 pm		<i>Press Conference (to be confirmed)</i>

**Third Day**

**Thursday, 26 March 2009**

**UNESCO Headquarters, Place Fontenoy - Room II**

***“First Meeting of States Parties of the UNESCO 2001 Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage”***

9.00 a.m.		<i>Registration of participants</i>
10.00 a.m.		Opening of the First Meeting of States Parties on 2001 Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome address by the UNESCO Director-General</li> <li>• Statements by guest(s) of honour</li> <li>• Statements by States Parties</li> </ul>
11.00 a.m.	<b>Item 1:</b>	Election of Chairperson, Vice-Chairpersons and Rapporteur
<i>11.15 a.m.</i>		<i>Coffee Break</i>
11.30 a.m.	<b>Item 2:</b>	Adoption of the Agenda
11.45 a.m.		Introduction by the UNESCO Director of Culture Sector
12.00 a.m.	<b>Item 3:</b>	Adoption of the Rules of Procedure (incl. discussion of the functions and responsibilities of the Meeting of States Parties and possible establishment of a Scientific and Technical Advisory Body)
<i>1.00 p.m.</i>		<i>Lunch (free time)</i>
3.00 p.m.		Continuation
4.45 p.m.		<i>Coffee break</i>
5.00 p.m.		Continuation
<i>6.30 pm</i>		<b><i>UNESCO Evening Reception (Fontenoy Restaurant 7th Floor)</i></b>

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10.00 a.m.	<b>Item 4:</b>	Discussion of the status of ratifications, of statutory and of other issues related to the entry into force of the Convention (declarations, notifications, competent authorities), of information material available and of operational issues to be addressed by the Meeting of States Parties
10.30 a.m.	<b>Item 5:</b>	Discussion on the possible adoption of the Statutes of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Body
<i>11.30 a.m.</i>		<i>Coffee Break</i>
12.00 a.m.	<b>Item 6:</b>	Discussion on the possible nomination of the members of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Body and discussion of the date and venue of its first meeting
<i>1.00 p.m.</i>		<i>Lunch (free time)</i>
3.00 p.m.	<b>Item 7:</b>	Discussion of the Establishment of Operational Guidelines (including issues of the implementation of the State cooperation system and a reporting database)
<i>3.45 p.m.</i>		<i>Coffee break</i>
4.00 p.m.	<b>Item 8:</b>	Date and place of the next Meeting of States Parties
4.15 p.m.		Report by the Rapporteur and Adoption of Resolutions
5.00 p.m.		Closure

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**BARCELONA PROCESS: UNION FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN**

***THE PARIS FORUM “SAVE THE MEDITERRANEAN”***

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**“Under the Patronage of Mr Nicolas Sarkozy, President of the French Republic and Under the Patronage of Mr José Manuel Barroso, President of the European Commission”**

6.00 p.m.		<b>Opening sessions</b>
7.00 p.m.		<b>A State of Crisis</b> "The wake-up call – the state of emergency"
8.00 p.m.		Showing of the film “A perception of the Mediterranean”

**Topic 2009:** ***NB/ See all the Program and fill the Registration Form on <http://www.forumdeparis.org/>***

**The bringers of hope**

By Maurice Szafran

*Chairman of the Steering Committee of the Paris Forum*

Because we loved the Mediterranean, because we are close to the people of the Mediterranean, because we are intrinsically bound to the culture of the Mediterranean, because the history of the Mediterranean, its triumphs it suffering, is also our history, for all of these reasons, the fifth Paris Forum is calling on everyone to rally around and to “Save the Mediterranean”!

The Mediterranean, the martyr sea. The Mediterranean, which all too often, mistreats its peoples.

The Mediterranean, which must be preserved, protected, and whose wealth, resources and potential must be put to the best possible use. I will say it and say it again, the next Paris Forum is militant. Yes militant! It is calling on politicians, environmentalists, business leaders, scientists, diplomats and economists to rally around our cause.



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Above all, it is calling for the mobilisation of the people, on the patient, thorough and essential development of a joint, concrete and efficient project that opens up new horizons, that goes beyond good intentions and puts mankind at the heart of the Mediterranean, in the focal point of a joint development project. We have been militant champions of the Mediterranean for decades and we reject all forms of naivety. We are aware that our call on the occasion of the fifth Paris Forum demands time, patience, effort and resources, not only financial but political too.

Everyone knows, and the environmentalists know better than anyone, that we need the active and determined support of politicians, of the mayors of the great Mediterranean cities, of industrialists, of financiers and of sponsors. Because the struggle to “Save the Mediterranean” is a collective duty.

We must mobilise intelligence. You must help us to mobilise the forces of intelligence.

The situation of the Mediterranean and its people is a cause for concern, with countless difficulties and new challenges that increase by the day. Above all, we must act as the bringers of hope, we must raise awareness. We will never accept that the Mediterranean, our sea, succumbs to the evils that are disfiguring it, little by little. We are calling for, and we will continue to call for, a general mobilisation of goodwill, that stretches beyond all antagonisms, disagreements and conflicts. In its very definition, the Paris Forum is, and will remain, a bringer of hope. At a time when our economies are fragile, giving up is out of the question. Quite the contrary: more than ever, we must mobilise for the Mediterranean, for the people of the Mediterranean.

This is the reason why the Paris Forum is more important than ever, and its theme for 2009 – Save the Mediterranean – is more relevant than ever. We will address, head on, everything that will alert and concern the people of the Mediterranean in the coming years: their living conditions, their habitat, their common wealth and the protection and improvement of their environment.

Once again, the Paris Forum is calling on for the mobilisation of all forces, because our future, at least part of it, will be played out in the Mediterranean.

Maurice Szafran  
*Chairman of the Steering Committee of the Paris Forum*

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