We are delighted to announce the ICOMOS CIF 2023 Symposium on 12th and 13th October 2023 in Athens (Greece), organised in collaboration with ICOMOS Hellenic and with the patronage of the National Technical University of Athens. The ICOMOS International Scientific Committee on Education and Training (CIF) researches and promotes international cooperation in the field of education and training for the understanding, protection, conservation and management of built heritage, historic sites and cultural landscapes. It works on the advancement of greater understanding of such heritage, and the appropriate approaches, intervention criteria, technologies and management for its conservation, and to advise on the development of ICOMOS's programs in this field, and at all levels of education and training.

Following from the outcome of ICOMOS CIF 2022 Symposium in Florence (Decalogue for Education in Architectural Conservation), we will focus this year on the delivery of education and training, in professional, educational and training settings, with the scope to identify the state of the art. We will also start this year with a section on Terminology, which will be a standing item in the following years. ICOMOS CIF has set as a priority the clarification of the terminology used and the cultural identities reflected in each language. The Symposium will include keynotes concerning education and training delivered within the conservation site of the Acropolis of Athens and in the architectural and urban conservation course at the National Technical University of Athens. Other ICOMOS CIF expert members will give short presentations on their experiences and all the contributors will have the opportunity to discuss with all the attendees to the Symposium. The outcomes will inform two important ongoing projects: the ICOMOS CIF GACETS (CIF Global Architectural Conservation Education and Training Survey) and ICOMOS CIF Multilingual and Multicultural Glossary.
PROGRAMME

Thursday 12th October: SYMPOSIUM

9.00 Registration

9.15 Welcome and Opening Remarks
Dr Cristina González-Longo, ICOMOS CIF President and Prof Eirini Klambatsea, Dean of the School of Architecture of the National Technical University of Athens

9.30 Keynote: Educational and Training aspects in the Conservation of the Acropolis
Dr Tasos Tanoulas, ICOMOS Hellenic President

Session I: Design and Delivery of Education and Training for Architectural Conservation

10.00 Graduate and Postgraduate Programmes:
Keynote: Postgraduate program in Architectural Protection and Conservation at the National Technical University of Athens: Teachers and Students’ Perspectives
Prof N Belavillas, Course Director

10.30 Education in Architectural Conservation at the Estonian Academy of Arts
Dr Anneli Randla, Head of the Department of Conservation and Cultural Heritage, Estonian Academy of Arts (Estonia)

10.40 Teaching Architectural Regeneration: Theory and Practice
Prof Aylin Orbaşlı, Programme Coordinator, Oxford Brooks University (UK)

10.50 Conservation Plans Training: the case of Al Derah Quarter in Riyadh.
Prof Jamal Shafiq Ilayan, Architect. King Saud University, (Saudi Arabia)

11.00 Evaluating Postgraduate Courses in Architectural Heritage Conservation in India
Dr Vaishali P. Latkar, Conservation Architect, academic at Dr. Bhanuben Nanavati College of Architecture in Pune and Head of the Center for Cultural Studies at BNCA.

11.10 Designing programmes for Education and Training in the Conservation of Built Heritage
Dr Cristina González-Longo, RIBA Specialist Conservation Architect, MSc Course Founder and Director, University of Strathclyde (UK) and ICOMOS CIF President
Dr Alberto Viskovic, Conservation Engineer and Assistant Professor at the University of Chieti-Pescara (Italy)

11.20 Coffee break

11.30 Vocational Training:
The Escuela Taller de Filipinas Foundation.
Dr Carmen Bettina Bulaong, Conservation Architect, President of the Escuela Taller de Filipinas and Assistant Professor at the College of Architecture, University of the Philippines, Diliman (Philippines)

11.40 Education and Training for Architectural Conservation Workers and Technical Staff
Dr Nurdan Kuban Orcan, Associate Professor, Marmara University, Istanbul (Turkey)
ICOMOS CIF Secretary General

11.50 Q&A and Session Summary
Session II: *On Terminology*

12.20 *Lost in translation: Arabic terms for the conservation of cultural heritage*
Dr Hossam Mahdy, Heritage Consultant and President of ICOMOS CIAV

12.30 *ICOMOS CIF Multilingual and Multicultural Glossary*
Discussion about existing glossaries, usage and proposed methodology

13.15 *Q&A and Session Summary*

13.45 Working Lunch

Session III: *CIF Global Architectural Conservation Education and Training Survey (GACETS)*

15.00 *ICOMOS University Forum*
Dr Andreas Georgopoulos, Professor at NTUA and member of ICOMOS Board

15.10 *L‘atelier d‘EREVAN: une formation pluridisciplinaire internationale*
Antoine Bruguerolle, Architect, Urban Planner and Vice President of ICOMOS CIVVIH

15.20 *Surveying new challenges and opportunities in Architectural Conservation Education*
Pedro Freitas and Teresa Cunha Ferreira, Centre for Studies in Architecture and Urbanism, Faculty of Architecture, University of Porto

15.30 *A Review of GACETS Precedents*
Maria Teresa Iaquinta, Architect, Secretary-General of ICOMOS Italy and Visiting Professor of the Jean Monnet University of European Studies, Gorazde

15.40 *Q&A and Session Summary: GACETS Purpose, Partners and Methodology*
Discussion about existing surveys and proposed partners and methodology

16.00 *Round Table:* with the participation of all speakers, Prof Irene Efesiou, Prof Eleni Maistrou and Prof Costas Caradimas, former directors of the postgraduate program in Architectural Protection and Conservation at NTUA

17.30 Coffee Break

18.00 *Summary of the Day, Conclusions and Future Work*
Dr Cristina González-Longo, ICOMOS CIF President

20.00 Symposium Dinner
Friday 13th October: ACROPOLIS SITE VISIT and AGM

9:00 Acropolis Site visit led by Dr Tasos Tanoulas President of the ICOMOS Greek National Committee and Dr. Lena Lambrinou. Dr Tanoulas has been the architect in charge of the Propylaia Project since 1984 and studying and working on the Acropolis since 1977 and Dr Lambrinou is an expert in the Parthenon.

14.00 Working Lunch

15.00 ICOMOS CIF AGM
ATTENDANCE FEES

Daily Attendance Registration fees:
- ICOMOS Members: 28€
- Non ICOMOS members: 68€
- Students ICOMOS members: 8€
- Students non-ICOMOS members: 12€

Online Registration fees:
- Online attendance to the Symposium for ICOMOS Members: 18€
- Online attendance to the Symposium for non-ICOMOS Members: 38€

Symposium dinner on 12th October: 35€

REGISTRATION
Spaces are limited. Registration closing date for in person attendance: 6th October 2023

Please register using the following link, noting the attendance days and modality as described above.


ACCOMMODATION

Once registered, we will provide a list of Hotels near the venue and other practical information.

ICOMOS CIF Membership

ICOMOS CIF is composed of Expert Members, and Affiliate members. If you want to become a member you should first join ICOMOS and then apply to CIF, with a copy for information to the applicant’s National Committee, or where none exists to the International Secretariat. There are three types of ICOMOS CIF membership, as follows:

1. **Expert Members**
   a) ICOMOS Members experienced and engaged in the areas relevant to the objectives of the Committee may apply for Expert Membership, either upon personal application or by proposal of the National Committee to which they belong;
   b) Expert Members shall be accepted based on their individual profile, in particular their knowledge of and / or associations with education and training for the understanding, protection, conservation and management of built heritage, historic sites and cultural landscapes. All Expert Members must be members of ICOMOS and may remain members so long as they are ICOMOS members and meet the International Scientific Committee’s (ISC) criteria for participation.
   c) Expert Members have the right to participate in any aspect of the work of the Committee.

2. **Affiliate Members**
   a) ICOMOS Members interested in gaining knowledge and building up expertise in areas relevant to the objectives of the Committee may apply for Affiliate Membership, either upon personal application or proposal by the National Committee to which they belong;
   b) Affiliate Members shall be accepted in unlimited number. They are conditionally accepted for a period of three years, after which time their contribution to the Committee will be evaluated in a transparent manner. The Affiliate Membership shall then be:
      i. Extended for another similar period of time, with a maximum of two such triennial extensions, or
      ii. Upgraded to Expert Membership, or
      iii. Rejected on the basis of non-participation or unsatisfactory performance;

3. **Institutional Members**
   Organisations of any kind with expertise in one or more areas related to the aims of ICOMOS CIF.