This panel discussion will focus on education for the protection and conservation cultural heritage in particular urban rural heritage and its influence in sustainable development. It will present what constitute good practice, including the integration of traditional knowledge and methods with new technologies, particularly AI. Case studies concerning urban heritage conservation in Asia and urban sustainable development in South America will be presented and discussed with an international audience.

The round table format will reveal the unprecedented educational opportunities to go beyond the existing structures, disciplines, resources and skills traditionally used in the domain of heritage. There will be a focused discussion to produce specific suggestions for a meaningful global collaboration to promote culture and arts education as a tool enabling society to develop its own creative and transformative capacities.

Overall, the event will reflect on traditional and emerging educational models concerning cultural heritage that take also in account the challenges of climate change. It will stress the need to build up global collaborative networks to face shared challenges and exchange experiences involving teaching, learning, research and action.