



Extension of the Danube Limes
UNESCO World Heritage
in the Lower Danube

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Wednesday, 24 September 2014

Arrival of participants and accomodation in Bucharest

Thursday, 25 September 2014

VENUE: Dohodno Zsanie Building, 4 "Svoboda" Square Ruse, Bulgaria

Organiser: National Archaeological Institute and Museum, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences

Moderator: Prof. Dr. Lyudmil Vagalinski

8.00-10.00	Travel from Bucharest/RO to Ruse/BG by bus
9.30-10.00	Registration for local participants
10.00	WELCOME
	Welcome and official opening by:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Lyudmil Vagalinski – Archaeological Institute and Museum • Representative from Bulgarian Ministry of Culture • Representative from Ruse municipality
10.15	OPENING SESSION
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • European Strategy for the Danube Region PA 3 Coordinator (tbc) • SEE JTS representative (tbc) • Bulgarian UNESCO Commission
11.30	SESSION 1 – Outcomes and results of the Danube Limes Brand project
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andreas Schwarcz, <i>The Danube Limes Brand project – overall results</i>
12.00	Coffee break
12.20	SESSION 2 – New Danube Limes nominations
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Igor Vukmanić, <i>The Danube Limes in Croatia</i> • Nemanja Mrđjić, <i>The Danube Limes in Serbia</i> • Dana Mihai, Ioan Carol Opris, <i>The Danube Limes in Romania</i> • Kalin Dimitrov, <i>The Danube Limes in Bulgaria</i>
13.30	Lunch
14.30	SESSION 3 – Presentation of other Limes WHS and listed sections
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patricia Weeks, Lesley Macinnes, <i>The Antonine Wall WHS</i> • Tessa de Groot, Steve Boedecker, <i>The Lower Rhine Limes</i> • C. Sebastian Sommer, Suzana Matejsic, <i>The Upper German Raetian Limes WHS</i> • Bruno Maldoner (tbc), Peter Strasser, <i>The Danube Limes in Austria</i> • Lubica Pinciková, Anna Tuharska, <i>The Danube Limes in Slovakia</i> • Gábor Soós, Káatalin Wollák, <i>Ripa Pannonica</i> • Carmen Ciongradi, Felix Marcu, <i>The Dacian Limes</i>

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16.00	Coffee break and poster session “Regional development concepts and pilot projects in the Danube partner countries”
16.45	SESSION 4 – The transnational UNESCO World Heritage “Frontiers of the Roman Empire”
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andreas Thiel, <i>The Upper German-Raetian Limes WH Site: experiences and challenges</i> • C. Sebastian Sommer, <i>FRE WHS Statement of Outstanding Universal Value (SOUV) and the UNESCO Meeting in Paris January 2014 – future strategies and draft Action Plan</i>
19.00-21.30	Dinner
21.30-23.00	Return travel Ruse/BG to Bucharest/RO by bus
Friday, 26 September 2014	
VENUE: National Romanian Library, Bulevardul Unirii 22, Bucharest	
Organiser: National Institute for Heritage	
Moderator: Dr. Mircea Angelescu	
8.45-9.15	Registration for local participants
9.15	WELCOME
	Welcome and official opening by:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mircea Angelescu – Romanian Ministry of Culture • •
9.30	OPENING SESSION
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alessandro Balsamo - UNESCO Commission representative • Mr./Ms.- European Strategy for the Danube Region PAC 3 Culture and Tourism Coordinator Romania • Daniela Urschitz - European Strategy for the Danube Region PAC 10 Institutional Capacity and Cooperation • Ani Matei – General Secretary of Romanian National Commission for • Andreea Țuțuianu – Counsellor, SEE National Coordinator for Romania •
10.30	SESSION 1 – The Danube Limes Brand Joint Masterplan
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sonja Jilek, Andreas Schwarcz, <i>The main results of the partner cooperation</i>
11.00	Press Conference
11.00-11.30	Coffee break
11.30	SESSION 2 –Danube Limes Brand - joint initiatives for cultural tourism
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alessia Mariotti, Enzo Finocchiaro, <i>The Danube Limes Tourism Action Plan</i> • Iulia Dangulea, Camelia Surugiu, <i>Danube Tourism Initiatives in Romania</i> (tbc)

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matthias Ripp, <i>WH Visitor Centre in Regensburg, Germany</i> • Zsolt Visy, <i>Limes Tourism Initiative in Hungary</i>
13.30	Lunch
14.30	SESSION 3 – Danube Limes Brand cross-sector network and future perspectives
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christian Steiner, <i>Cooperation with SONDAR – Soil Strategy Network in the Danube Area</i> • Cristian Micu - ICEM Tulcea, <i>Cooperation with Danube Parks: Danube Delta Biosphere reserve (tbc)</i> • Dr. Sorin Ailincăi (Director of ICEM Tulcea), <i>Sites from Tulcea County to be listed in UNESCO Tentative List (tbc)</i> • Andrei Blumer, <i>Eco-Tourism in Romania (tbc)</i> • Cathrine Schwenoha, <i>The DanubeHIKE project</i>
15.40	Coffee break
16.00	SESSION 4 - Round table: Nominations and UNESCO Tentative List issues. Challenges for cultural tourism along the Danube
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Christopher Young, UK
17.30	SESSION 5 – Poster presentation Regional development concepts and pilot projects in the Danube partner countries
19.30	Dinner