ILUCIDARE

International network for leveraging successful cultural heritage-led innovations and diplomacy through capacity building and awareness raising

evening and networking event Wednesday February 6th, 2019

Venue: Promotion hall and Jubilee hall

Naamsestraat 22, 3000 Leuven





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18h00 Welcome address by

Luc Sels, Rector of KU Leuven

Minja Yang, President of the Raymond Lemaire International Centre for Conservation

- 18h15 Situation of ILUCIDARE in wider EU and H2020 program (TBC)
- 18h25 Introduction on ILUCIDARE *Koen Van Balen*, project coordinator

18h35 How can cultural heritage drive innovation and sustain diplomacy?

The panel members will discuss on what cultural heritage can contribute to research and innovation, how to open-up EU innovative initiatives to the world – especially where heritage is at risk – and how to create a better cooperation between EU and UN agencies, stakeholders and experts.

- Kathrin Merkle, Head of Culture and Cultural Heritage Division, Council of Europe
- **Oriol Freixa Matalonga**, Project officer Culture, UNESCO Liaison Office in Brussels, UNESCO Representation to the European Institutions
- Gaia Jungeblodt, Director International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS)
- (TBC), International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN)
- **Pascal Liévaux**, Joint Programming Initiative Cultural Heritage, Chef du département du pilotage de la recherche et de la politique scientifique, French Ministry of Culture and Communication
- Cécile Houpert, Project and policy support officer, EUROCITIES
- Hrvoje Potrebica, European Association of Archaeologists (EAA)
- *Gitte Zschoch*, Director European Union National Institutes for Culture (EUNIC)
- *Francois Jacquet*, Sector Head Real Estate and Infrastructure, Triodos Bank N.V.

Moderated by Sneška Quaedvlieg-Mihailović, Secretary General Europa Nostra

19h30 Reception and networking session in the Jubileumzaal