

# **ICOMOS India – JINDAL GLOBAL UNIVERSITY**

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Workshop 19<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> July 2019 to Prepare Project Document for the 3 year collaboration (2019- 2022).

## **RIGHTS BASED APPROACHES TO HERITAGE MANAGEMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 2030**

**Codifying ambitions, prioritizing national aspirations with international agendas and empowering reflective professionals**

### **Objective of the Workshop - Focusing the Vision**

Need to determine the most proactive and directed vision for the collaboration

1. Focused on ‘values’ as in the Operational Guidelines of World Heritage/ Human Rights / UN conventions
2. With sufficient breadth of ‘stakeholders’ to ‘ all who should care’

Identify, with precision, India centered Rights-Based Approaches for Heritage Management

1. Informed by Case studies of both ‘Good practices’ and those which had challenges (from India, in both natural and cultural heritage, tangible / intangible / living heritage)
2. Informed by vision and theoretical underpinnings/ role of academia
3. Informed by larger ICOMOS umbrella
4. Include participatory field work in all steps
5. “How to be able to teach policy makers/ administrators/ practitioners to include human rights” / “changing the mindset” in heritage management & develop training material
6. Critically examine the current legal framework
7. Examine the normative behavior and its place in the rights based approaches
8. Locating “rights-based” / social justice in heritage management in terms of integrating community in the entire process
9. recurring question of appropriate stakeholders and means to draw them in
10. Heritage as “living heritage” = tangible heritage and intangible heritage
11. knowledge co-located in teaching, research, practice, policy

## **WORKSHOP STRUCTURE**

The two day meeting is to ‘workshop’ the outlay / road map for next 3 years and build consensus around the outcomes (list of activities/ program determined by defining of the desirable output and outcome)

### **DAY 1 + 19 July workshop**

#### **10:00 Introduction to ICOMOS / JGU Initiative, objective, procedures, schedule**

Gurmeet Rai and R Sudarshan

#### **Stocktaking: “Heritage and Democracy” Scientific Symposium 2017, International RBA Initiative & ‘locating heritage’ in Sustainable Development Goals 2030**

##### **Session I: 10:30-12:00**

1. Delhi Declaration on ‘Heritage and Democracy’ – Priyanka Singh
2. 3 Advisory bodies on Rights-Based Approaches in Heritage Management  
*(Peter Larsen & Bente Mathisen- RBA International Working Group on Skype)*
3. Sustainable Development Goals 2030  
*(Ege Yildirim, Coordinator, International Working Group of SDGs for ICOMOS on Skype)*

##### **Lunch: 12:00 – 12:45**

##### **Session II: 13:00- 15:30**

*Presentation of invited case studies (of previous work by ICOMOS India supported by ICOMOS Norway)*

Presenters:

1. Komal Potdar (Western Ghat and Kanchanjunga) – Natural Heritage Site/ Mixed Site previous work if ICOMOS India on RBA
2. Radhika Dhumal (Champaner) – Archaeological Sites
3. Gurmeet Rai (Sri Harimandir Sahib) - Sacred Site
4. Kathleen A. Modrowski, the Potters in Sonipat
5. Prof Kiran Joshi, Chandigarh

6. Radhika Dhumal on 3rd Cycle Periodic Reporting on World Heritage Sites

15:30 – Coffee break

16:00 -17:30- **Roundtable (to synthesize knowledge and identify “pain points”)**

Chaired by: Prof. Kathleen A. Modrowski

Panelists:

1. Rajesh Tandon (PRIA) UNESCO Chair on Community Based Research and Social Responsibility in Higher Education (TBC)
2. Sonali Ghosh (Indian Forest Service)
3. Rima Hooja (Former member of National Monuments Authority)
4. Sujata Prasad (Former Additional Secretary, Ministry of Culture, Government of India)
5. Ms Geetika Kalha (Former Principal Secretary, Department of Tourism, Government of Punjab)

### **+ 20 July – Workshop Day**

10:00: Workshop goals, procedures, schedule, reporting from Day 1

Prof Kiran Joshi and Prof Thomas Mical

10:30-12:00: Workshop / breakout-groups

***Group 1: Draft mission / Vision statement for stakeholders & Stakeholder Engagement Ideas for RBA***

Moderators- JGU & A G K Menon

*Rapporteurs*- Komal Potdar & Bhavna JGU

***Group 2: Draft Goals & Social Science Methods for RBA***

Moderators- Kathleen A. Modrowski & Gurmeet S Rai

*Rapporteurs*- Sarovar Zaidi & Ritika

***Group 3: Decide Research Project/s &***

***Learning from Current and Future Case Studies for RBA***

15 July 2019

Moderators- Prof. R Sudarshan & Geetika Kalha

*Rapporteurs*- Shalini Dasgupta & JGU

**Group 4: *Decide teaching / Capacity-building project/s &***

***Connecting Profession – Government – Academia Ideas for RBA and SDGs***

Moderators- Prof. Thomas Mical & Prof. Vibhuti Sachdev

*Rapporteurs*- Shilpa Jain & & JGU

12:00-12:45 **Lunch**

13:00-15:00 **Reporting Back**

Reporting back and getting feedback with all (Group 1 and Group 2)

Reporting back and getting feedback with all (Group 3 and Group 4)

15:00 – Coffee break

15:30 – 17:00 **DRAFT DOCUMENT**

Conveners – Gurmeet S Rai and Prof. Thomas Mical

Confirm consensus across workshop group

Confirm Next Steps/ Road Map with time line

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