

7th MEETING

of the Informal Network of European National
Commissions for UNESCO

Andorra, 24-28 April 2023



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PROGRAMME

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European National Commissions for UNESCO.

MONDAY, APRIL 24

Arrival of the participants

14:00 – 19:00 Optional tour in Andorra
20:00 Dinner at Roc Blanc Hotel

TUESDAY, APRIL 25

08:00 Breakfast

08:30 Departure from the hotel 09:00 Visit of Radio Andorra

09:30 Opening at “Ràdio Andorra”

- **M. Salomó Benschluch**, President of the Andorran National Commission for UNESCO
- **M. Julien Pellaux**, Director of the UNESCO Division of Partnerships, Bureau for Strategic Planning
- **Ms. Hedva Ser**, Godmother of ArtCamp Andorra and Goodwill Ambassador of UNESCO for Cultural Diplomacy
- **Ms. Maria Ubach**, Minister of Foreign Affairs

10:00 – 11:00 Plenary session

- Review and follow up of the recommendations of the last meetings of the Informal European Network of National Commissions
- **Ms. Rita Brasil de Brito**, Portugal / **Ms. Áslaug Dóra**, Iceland
- African NatComs Meeting 2024
- **M. Alexandre Costa**, Angola
- Priorities for work with National Commissions as defined by UNESCO
- **M. James Bridge**, United Kingdom
- Partnerships, Private, Public and National Commissions
- **M. Julien Pellaux**, Director UNESCO of the Division of Partnerships, Bureau for Strategic Planning

11:00 – 11:20 Coffee break

11:20 – 13:00 **Andorra presentations**

- **Ms. Nadia Azzouz**, presentation of UNESCO Chair
- **M. John Zvereff**, NUSCT : A Case Study in Internationalization and Multilateral Collaboration
- **Ms. Eva Arasa**, Registration at the Intangible Heritage List
- **M. Marc Font**, Ordino Biosphere Reserve
- **Ms. Susanna Simon**, Madriu Perafita Claror Valley

13:30 – 14:30 Lunch at Roc Blanc Hotel

14:30 – 15:00 • Terrassa’s aims as coordinator of the global UNESCO Creative Cities of Film meeting

- **M. Jordi Hernández**, The Audiovisual Projects Director of Terrassa, Spain / UNESCO Creative City of Film – Focal Point

15:00 – 16:30

Workshops

<p>WORKSHOP1</p> <p>“Freedom of expression and public space online: how do we as NatComs deal with the new EU regulation on media freedom?”</p> <p>M. Roman Luckscheiter, Germany</p>	<p>WORKSHOP2</p> <p>Mondiacult: Culture for SDGs toolkit</p> <p>M. David Schimpky, Canada & Ms. Dóra Áslaug, Iceland</p>	<p>WORKSHOP3</p> <p>“UNESCO Family Ties – Reinforce synergies between UNESCO’s designations”</p> <p>M. Alexandre Navarro, France & Ms. Marielies Schelhaas, Netherlands</p>
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17:00 – 19:00

Excursion/Visit of Madriu-Perafita-Claror Valley (WH Site)

20:00

Dinner at the hotel

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

Half Day Meeting – Excursion in the afternoon

09:00 – 10:10

Plenary Session

- The Role of the Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Education for Peace and Sustainable Development to Promote Peace & Sustainable Development
Ms. Nandini Chatterjee, Senior National Program Officer – UNESCO MGIEP
- Artificial Intelligence and UNESCO
M. Gašper Hrastelj, Slovenija
- Associated Schools Project with 5 Countries
M. Arthur Oganov, Ukraine (tbc.)

10:10 – 10:30

Coffee break

10:30 – 12:00

Workshops

<p>WORKSHOP1</p> <p>Experiences and good practices in celebrating international days/weeks</p> <p>M. Gábor Soós, Hungary</p>	<p>WORKSHOP2</p> <p>Multilateralism and multipolar world</p> <p>M. James Bridge, UK</p>	<p>WORKSHOP3</p> <p>ASP Net: how the network is managed in different countries, what are good examples of activities and projects to share; what is the link established between the ComNat and the ASP network, and how to promote cooperation between associated schools from different countries of the network</p> <p>M. František Med, Czech Republic</p>
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12:00 – 13:30

Lunch

14:00 – 16:00

Visit of the Mirador del Roc del Quer

17:00 – 19:30

Visit of Casa d’Areny Plandolit Museum and Ordino

20:00

Dinner at the restaurant Coma in Ordino

THURSDAY, APRIL 27

9:00 – 10:30 Workshops

1 Breakout on the FitForLife Initiative of UNESCO M. Gašper Hrastelj, Slovenia	2 National Commissions strengths and challenges in developing a culture of peace Ms. Rita Brasil de Brito, Portugal	3 New tools for NatCom cooperation Ms. Jeannine Hausmann, Germany
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10:30 – 10:50 Coffee break

10:50 – 12:00 Conclusions: Brief summary of key workshop outcomes by rapporteurs

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

14:00 – 16:00 Visit of Casa de la Vall

17:00 Thermoludic Center Caldea

21:00 Dinner

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

Departure of the participants

Photo: Susanna Simon



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