

SBH Newsletter 2012 n°1 - January

Dear members of Shared Built Heritage,
colleagues and friends,



A happy, healthy and prosperous
Year of the **(Water)** Dragon, 2012
To all of you!

ICOMOS INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON SHARED BUILT HERITAGE

2012 will bring us and the ICOMOS Shared Built Heritage Committee a lot of actions and challenges for which I like to call upon your cooperation, help and your commitment.

1. MEMBERSHIP

As we are facing elections for the Bureau in 2012, the membership situation needs to be clarified. An inquiry is to be undertaken in order to find out who are the national voting members, and confirm who are an expert member or an associated member of ICOMOS ISC for Shared Built Heritage.

We are also required to include our membership details into the ICOMOS International DATA BASE, which is also being used by the Paris Secretariat, all ISCs and national committees.

Please be aware that we will approach each of you in the very near future to upgrade the necessary data of your membership.

2. Bureau Elections

1. The statutes state a three months notification period is required prior to the calling for nominations for the following positions.

President, 2 Vice Presidents and General Secretary

Regional Officers to coordinate each region covering

- Africa,
- Asia and the Pacific
- South and Middle Americas
- North America
- Europe

Officer for membership affairs

2. The members are hereby encouraged to announce their **candidacy** for one of the positions in the Bureau by 29th February, 2012 by sending e-mail to rct.enders@t-online.de and copy c.c. to stepowsk@tpg.com.au.

Please attach a short dot-point CV, a portrait picture of yourself, and a sentence about your vision for the position you are applying for, all together not more than 1 A4 page. With your permission, we would like to circulate this information among the voting members by the beginning of March, 2012.

3. The electronic voting will take place by the end of April, beginning May 2012.

**The Bureau calls urgently for volunteers
to help with the voting procedure !!!**

3. ACTIVITIES

2012/13 will be a busy year, with opportunities for meetings, site visits and joint partnership opportunities. These include:-

- *Shared Built Heritage Meeting in Asia:
"Revisiting Malaka and Penang, Malaysia after World Heritage List inscription"*

a joint venture with the State and City of Melaka, Penang and George Town, the University of Singapore, May/June 2012 (negotiations under process)

- *and / or a meeting in Xiamen, Shanghai and Wuhan, China*

to learn about colonial architecture and town planning and discuss the conservation treatment of the shared built heritage in China and Asia (negotiations under process)

- *"The industrial and urban heritage of a chemical disaster, Bophal, India"*

a joint venture workshop at the mANN Conference 2012, to be held in November/December 2011, and partnered with School of Planning & Architecture Bhopal, ICOMOS 20th CHC, ICOMOS SBH, and TICCIH. Theme: Environment & Architecture, modern heritage 19th-20th century, how to manage diversity in the city, everyday urbanism & public life.

- *"Shared heritage in fortifications" in February 2013*
A joint ISC meeting and symposia to be held in Cuba, in partnership with ICoFort and ICOMOS Cuba.

Mark your diaries with these dates as we always enjoy meeting with our members.

Warmest regards

Yours,



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2011 ICOMOS General Assembly in Paris - special ISC SBH excursion
lead by expert guide, Catherine Pohnu
to the 'Palais de al Porte Dorée', built for 1931 Paris Colonial Exposition
held in the Bois de Vincennes



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