# Report of European Regional Coordinator

## I - ICOM CECA Europe Activities Report 2019

During 2019 the main tasks were to enhance contacts with national correspondents, to attract new members for CECA, to raise awareness CECA activities in the region, to develop a strong network of CECA members and friends and to appoint national correspondents.

Concerning the National Correspondents (NC) it was established contact with several countries at least every three months. The most active National Correspondents were in Armenia, Austria, Croatia, Italy, Lithuania, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain and UK.

The communication with national correspondent was made by email several times per year:

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(8/1, 18/1, 20/1, 21/1, 25/1, 11/2, 20/2, 7/3, 5/4,7/5, 14/5, 27/5, 9/5, 18/6, 5/7, 8/8)

The first message to all National correspondents was in 25 of January. There other several emails exchange, mainly connected with the organization of the International Seminar: Museums/ Community and Education, With some NC it was used all well other channels as messenger or whatsapp (e.g. Spain).

ICOM CECA has developed a significant number of activities during the year 2019. From more local activities directly coordinated by national correspondents to more regional activities organized by the European coordinator.

The local activities were manly organized in Armenia, Austria, Portugal, Spain and UK. These activities were according the ICOM Strategic plan specially with:

Objective 1 - Enhancing membership value through improved participation, service, communications, and capacity building. The activities promoted were focus on participation and sharing educational approaches (methods and activities).

Objective 2 - Raising the visibility of ICOM in the community of museum professionals, students and visitors.



The actual number of National Correspondents in Europe is 23. Please see the complete list of National Correspondents below:

**Armenia - Ani Avagyan,** National Gallery of Armenia - avagianani@gmail.com, aniavagyan@yahoo.com

**Austria - WenckeMaderbacher,** Vardemuseerne Tirpitz<u>Wencke.maderbacher@yahoo.de</u> / <u>wm@tirpitz.dk</u>

Croatia - Zeljka Jelavic, Etnografskimuzej zjelavic@emz.hr

**Denmark - Michael Gyldendal**, The Danish Museum of Science and Technology <a href="mailto:mg@tekniskmuseum.dk">mg@tekniskmuseum.dk</a>

**Finland - Hanna Forssell,** National Board of Antiquities - National Museum hanna.forssell@nba.fi

**France - Marie-Françoise Delval**, Ministère de la Culture et de la Communication, <u>mfdelval@club-internet.fr</u>

**Georgia - Inga Karaia,** Chief Specialist of the Department Museums & Collection, Ministry of Culture, Monuments Protection and Sport of Georgia, <u>karaiainga@yahoo.com</u>

Germany - Christine Brehm, Stadmuseum Erlangen, christine.brehm@stadt.erlangen.de

Greece - Amalia Tsitouri, Hellenic Ministry of Culture amalia.tsitouri@yahoo.gr

Iceland - RakelPétursdóttir, Listasafni Íslands/National Gallery of Iceland rakel@listasafn.is

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Italy - Valera Pica valpica@gmail.com

**Lithuania - VaidaRakaitytė,** An educator at Kaunas Archdiocesan Museum, Tel. +370 613 04554, e-mail: texvaid@yahoo.com

Moldavia - Stefanita Ion, Ministry of Culture moldovean29@yahoo.com

Netherlands - Frederike van Ouwerkerk, NHTV Breda University, Ouwerkerk. F@nhtv.nl

**Norway - MaritElida Angell Berg**, The Norwegian Museum of Cultural History <a href="mainto:marit.berg@norskfolkemuseum.no">marit.berg@norskfolkemuseum.no</a>

Portugal - Mário Nuno Antas, Museu Nacional de Arqueologia marioantas@gmail.com

Russia - Olga Sinitsyna, Independent curator, olgas0510@gmail.com

**Serbia - SnežanaMišić,** The Gallery of Maticasrpska, Novi Sad, <u>s.misic@galerijamaticesrpske.rs</u>

Slovakia - Marcela Kvetkova, Slovak National Gallery, Bratislava marcela.kvetkova@sng.sk

**Spain–Lola Alvarez**, Universitat de Girona - ICRPC <u>roser.juanola@udg.edu</u>

**Sweden - BeritLjung,** Stockholm University <a href="mailto:BeritLjung@uhs.su.se">BeritLjung@uhs.su.se</a>

**UK - JennyWedgbury,** Co-chair of GEM London and Chair of GEM Freelancer Network <a href="mwedgbury@gmail.com">jmwedgbury@gmail.com</a>

## **II - ICOM CECA Europe Communication 2019**

The communication of ICOM CECA in Europe was made by different channels. The official website of CECA <a href="http://network.icom.museum/ceca/">http://network.icom.museum/ceca/</a> is main media of communication. CECA Facebook official gives visibility to ICOM CECA activities. Besides these general ways of communication several European CECA National groups developed their own channels.

- ICOM CECA Austria Facebook page
- ICOM CECA Austria Newsletter
- ICOM CECA Portugal Facebook page

#### **III- NETWORKING 2019**

In 2019 it was possible to collaborate in international meeting.

## **ICOM-CECA International Seminar: Museums/ Community and Education**

This International conference was a joint initiative of ICOM Portugal, ICOM-CECA and ICOM Europe on Museums, community and Education, under the motto for ICOM General Conference in Kyoto "Museums as Cultural Hubs: the future of Tradition". This conference had 3 thematic sessions:

- 1- Memory and community. How museums can turn themselves in cultural hubs for people can understand the value of heritage.
- 2- Education and community. How the educational departments can develop participatory strategies to give voice to local community in isolated parts or remote areas (low population density).
- 3- Heritage as expression of different cultures and different migrations. The objects have different meanings for different community. What makes an object so important for one community?



The program was with several Portugal (26), Spain France (1). Hugues France gave the about "The Museum: agent of There were also different Portugal and Spain,

from

professional

Brazil.

In the program it include an opening guided torus to Municipal Museum, (Cabeço do Pião), roman site and the Castelo Novo and Antonio Guterres United Nations.



very rich and diverse speakers (33) from (4), Brazil (2) and de Varine from keynote speech Community Popular Education". speakers from from Universities museums Portugal, Spain and

was also possible to of an exhibition, Archaeological visit to Eco Museum archaeological Historical village of Memory house of general Secretary of



#### DIA 24 | Fundão

09h30 | Sessão de abertura Salão Nobre da Câmara Municipal do Fundão José Alberto Ribeiro - Presidente do ICOM Portugal Luís Raposo - Presidente do ICOM Europa Paulo Fernandes - Presidente da Câmara Municipal do

11h30 | Sessão de Homenagem a Hugues de Varine

Fernando Paulouro - Universidade da Beira Interior

Entrega da Medalha de Ouro da Cidade do Fundão

Conferência Inaugural "LE MUSÉE COMMUNAUTAIRE, AGENT D'ÉDUCATION POPULAIRE

14h30 | A Moagem - Cidade do Engenho e das Artes -

Sessão 1: OLHAR A PARTIR DO PATRIMÓNIO Moderador: Mário Antas - ICOM Portugal Maria Beatriz Rocha Trindade – Universidade Aberta Silvia Garcia Ceballos - Universidade deValladolid Mário Moutinho - Universidade Lusófona de Humanidades e Tecnologias

15h30 Pausa

15h45 | Sessão 2: OLHAR A PARTIR DA ESCOLA

Moderação: Agostinho Janeira - Câmara Municipal do Fundão Miguel Feio - Projecto Europeu COSMUS Mário Antas – ICOM Portugal Luís Mota Figueira - Instituto Politécnico de Tomar Moana Campos Soto - Universidade Lusófona de

Humanidades e Tecnologias

17h00 | Debate

18h00 | Inauguração de Mural dedicado a Hugues de

Visita ao Museu Arqueológico Municipal José Monteiro

Abertura da Mostra Expositiva "José Leite de Vasconcelos e a Beira – horizontes revisitados' Apresentação de Pedro Salvado - CMF e Filomena Barata - Museu Nacional de Arqueologia

# DIA 25 | FUNDÃO: MUSEOLOGIA DA FACE DO

08h45 | Transporte 09h40 | Visita Cabeço do Pião – Leitura do Território Agostinho Janeira - CMF e Rui Simão - ADXTUR

11h00 | Auditório da Casa Grande da Barro Comunicação - Milene Chiovatto - ICOM CECA, Brasil

11h20 | Pausa

11h30 | Sessão 3: OLHAR A PARTIR DO MUSEU

Moderação: Pedro Salvado - CMF Rosalia Vargas - Agência Ciência Viva Bruno Navarro – Fundação Côa Parque Manuel Ferreira - Museu de Agricultura de Fermentões - Guimarães

Ana Julia Yanase de Rezende e Ana Marcela Villalpando Aranda - Universidade de La Laguna Jorge Torres e Carla Augusto - Museu do Sabugal

13h00 | Almoco

Nacional de Arte Pré-Histórica

14h30 | ABERTURA DA EXPOSIÇÃO "BARROCA -O POCO DA CALDEIRÃO: MENSAGENS COM

FUTURO" – Apresentação de Diamantino Gonçalves e Belarmino Lopes Exposição no âmbito da Constituição da Rede

15h00 | Sessão 4: OLHAR A PARTIR DA COMUNIDADE

Moderação: Rui Simão - ADXTUR José Luis Calvo - Museo Etnográfico de Castilla y León Maria do Carmo Mendes - Universidade da Beira

Andreia Filipa Conceição e Eduardo Cunha - Museu Municipal de Sesimbra Mónica Cardoso e Eunice R. Lopes - Câmara Municipal

de Alcanena e Instituto Politécnico de Tomar

16h00 | Pausa

17h30 | Visita à Casa do Bombo

18h30 | Regresso

# DIA 26 | FUNDÃO: MUSEOLOGIA DA FACE DO GRANITO

09h00 | Visita Casa das Memórias António Guterres

10h15 | Visita ao Sítio Arqueológico Romano do Ervedal - Castelo Novo

11h15 | Visita à Aldeia Histórica de Castelo Novo

13h00 | Almoço Comunitário

15h00 | Visita ao Seminário do Fundão - Auditório do

Seminário do Fundão Comunicação - Lola Alvarez - ICOM CECA, Espanha 16h00 | SESSÃO DE ENCERRAMENTO: MUSEU,

MOBILIDADE E TERRITÓRIO

Nuno Francisco - Jornal do Fundão Maria Beatriz Rocha Trindade - Universidade Aberta José Alberto Ribeiro -ICOM Portugal Lola Alvarez - ICOM Ceca, Espanha

Alcina Cerdeira - Vereadora da Cultura da Câmara

Municipal do Fundão

17h30 | Merenda Beirā

The participants were in total of 141 from Portugal, Spain, France, Italy and from South America (Brazil and Colombia) and Africa (Cape Vert and Mozambique).

The International seminar was also a moment to give tribute to Hugues de Varine former president of ICOM between 1965-1974. He was able to come to this international seminar and it was also possible to present a street mural dedicated to him.





### **Other Cooperations**

- EU-LAC Museums co-financed by European Union
- o COSMUS: Comunity Schools Museums co-financed by European Union
- ICOM Europe
- o ICOM Portugal
- o Granada University, Spain
- o OEPE, Spain
- Piaget Institute, Swiss
- o Camara Municipal do Fundão, Portugal
- o Lusófona University of Humanities and Technologies , Lisbon Portugal

### **IV** –Conclusion

Being part of the board (2016-2019) was a wonderful experience. It was possible to share and learn ideas and practices with other museum educators from around the world.

Education in museums is about people. Education is a key role in museums. Education allows museum professionals and visitors to share experiences and knowledge about our common heritage, about past, present and future.

Education in museums is the path where we are all walking through our lives! Education is the key to have museums open all the days and all the hours in our hearts!



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