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# The role of cultural heritage in the construction of the Europe for citizens

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Burgos, Spain  
04.05.2018  
8.30 - 14.00

2018   
EUROPEAN YEAR  
OF CULTURAL  
HERITAGE  
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### 3 May 2018

- 18.00**     **Guided tour to the Cathedral of Burgos**
- 19.30**     **Walk around the historical centre of the city**
- 20.00**     **Welcome dinner**

### 4 May 2018 Seminar venue: *Forum Evolución Burgos, Paseo Sierra de Atapuerca*

#### **08.30**     **Registration of participants**

#### **09.00**     **Welcome** by Francisco Javier Lacalle Lacalle, Mayor of Burgos

Opening statements

**José Ignacio Cenicerros González**, SEDEC chair, President of the Regional Government of La Rioja

**Juan Vicente Herrera Campo**, CoR member, President of the Regional Government of Castilla y León

#### **09.45**     **First Panel: Building Europe through Cultural Heritage**

**Moderator:** **Anne Karjalainen**, CoR member, City councillor of Kerava

*The role of the cultural heritage in the construction of the Europe for Citizens*

**Tanya Hristova**, CoR member, Mayor of Gabrovo Municipality

*European cultural routes*

**Rémy Rebeyrotte**, Member of the French National Assembly and President of the European Federation of the Cluniac Sites

*European Cultural Heritage. An archaeological perspective*

**Juan Luis Arsuaga**, Excavations co-director of Atapuerca and Scientific Director of the Museum of Human Evolution

*Sharing Heritage – Sharing Values*

**José María Ballester**, Council Member of Europa Nostra

#### **Open discussion**

**11.00 Coffee break and Press statements**

**11.30 Second Panel: Local and regional strategies for a EU agenda for Culture**

**Moderator:** Kate Feeney, CoR member, Dun Laoghaire Rathdown County Council

*The conservation and management of cultural heritage at the European level: Initiatives from Castilla y León*

**Enrique Saiz Martín**, Director General of Cultural Heritage of the Regional Government of Castilla y León

*The Cultural and Creative Cities Monitor*

**Valentina Montalto**, Scientific Officer, Joint Research Centre, European Commission

*The legacy of culture for regions and cities*

**Julie Hervé**, Senior policy advisor, EUROCITIES

*How to design cultural development strategies to boost local and regional competitiveness and comparative advantage: overview of good practices*

**Simona Cavallini**, Fondazione FORMIT

**Open discussion**

**12.40 Closing Session**

Jacques Blanc, CoR member, Mayor of La Canourgue

María Josefa García Cirac, Regional Minister of Culture and Tourism of the Regional Government of Castilla y León

**13.00 Buffet Lunch**

**14.00 Guided tour of the Museum of Human Evolution**

Juan Luis Arsuaga, Scientific Director of the Museum of Human Evolution

Interpreting will be provided so that participants will be able to **listen to and speak in** Spanish, English, French and Italian and will be able to **speak in** Spanish, English, French, Italian and Polish



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