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To European National Committees

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Dear colleagues of European National Committees,

Like announced in the previous Europe Group meetings, I have the pleasure to invite the Europe group to the regional meeting and all those interested in the scientific seminar and the events.

The events will be held in Helsinki (city center and Suomenlinna) from 7 to 10 June 2018. The provisional program is as follows

## Thursday 7 June

Arrival of the participants 4 pm. – 7 pm. Europe group meeting, part 1, venue House of the Sciences, Kirkkokatu 6

## Friday 8 June

8.30 am. – 6 pm. Seminar **"Everybody's common heritage: Shared Heritage – Interpretation of Heritage over time"**, day 1, venue Suomenlinna Fortress. Ferry from the Market Square.

The seminar is organized together with the International Scientific Committee on Shared Built Heritage and the Governing Body of Suomenlinna.

## Saturday 9 June

8.30 am – 5 pm. Seminar day 2, venue Suomenlinna fortress

## Sunday 10 June

10 am. – 1pm. Europe group meeting, part 2, venue (House of the Sciences tbc)
3 pm – 6 pm Study tour in Helsinki
Departure of the tour to Vyborg or further to St. Petersburg and Kizhi

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The Europe group meeting will be held adjacent to the meeting of the ISC on Shared Built Heritage. ISCSBH program will include a Nordic Study Tour with several workshops in Tallinn, Estonia (3 - 6 June), Vyborg, Russian Federation (10 - 13 June), St. Petersburg and Kizhi, Russian Federation (13 - 22 June). You are invited to take part in some or all these ISCSBH tours.

Further information on the programs will be provided to you in the coming weeks. As a reminder to those who would like to take part in the tours, you are kindly requested to check the visa requirements.

Helsinki City Center has a wide variety of hotels and hostels, many of them at walking distance from the meeting venue and the ferry harbor to Suomenlinna. We come back to the options and prices in the 2<sup>nd</sup> announcement.

You are heartily welcome!

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