

Intangible cultural heritage and landscape conference in Hannover, Germany, 8th and 9th of December 2016

About

The two-day conference is about intangible aspects of landscapes: traditional knowledge about origin, maintenance and development of landscapes, oral history, customs and festivals applied to landscape. The topic of intangible cultural heritage comprises cultural forms of expression, based essentially on human skills, which are passing from generation to generation, being created and changed constantly. Oral traditions like customs or festivals, the culture of storytelling and craftsmanship are forming part as well as knowledge about nature and the universe. Our artificial landscapes are not only touched by human and his daily needs of life, they are even more coined and transformed as the result of an history of human imaginativeness and knollage of land use and regional practices. That is why the intangible heritage is an essential topic in the daily work of BHU and our federal associations. In 2013 Germany joined the UNESCO agreement of intangible cultural heritage. It is important to strengthen wareness rising about the topic.

Date and location:

Thursday/Friday, 8th/9th December 2016

Parkettsaal, Institut für Geobotanik, Leibniz Universität Hannover,
Nienburger Straße 17, 30167 Hannover

PROGRAMME (Conference language is German)

Thursday, 8th Dezember

13.30 Uhr **registration, welcoming**

14.00 Uhr **introduction**

Dr. Inge Gotzmann, Bund Heimat und Umwelt in Deutschland

Prof. Dr. Hansjörg Küster, Niedersächsischer Heimatbund and Institut für Geobotanik,
Leibniz Universität Hannover

14.15 Uhr **resources – knowledge – landscape**

discovering and passing on skills about land use

Prof. Dr. Hansjörg Küster, Niedersächsischer Heimatbund und Institut für Geobotanik der
Leibniz Universität Hannover

15.00 Uhr **Examples from Germany and neighbouring countries**

Dr. Annette Schneider-Reinhardt, Landesheimatbund Sachsen-Anhalt

15.30 Uhr **Nieheimer Flechthecken – living cultural heritage**

Ulrich Pieper, Heimatverein Nieheim

16.00 Uhr coffee break

16.30 Uhr **forest cooperatives – a sustainable concept of the future?**

Dr. Thomas Büttner, Büro für Heimatkunde und Kulturlandschaftspflege

17.00 Uhr **charcoal burner's work through the ages**

Peter Feldmer, Europäischer Köhlerverein

17.30 Uhr **fishing tradition – knowledge of an 800 year old cooperative**

Dr. Dagmar Hänel, LVR-Institut für Landeskunde und Regionalgeschichte

18.00 Uhr discussion

19.30 Uhr dinnertime

Friday, 9th december 2016

- 09.00 Uhr **stone by stone – walls, stairs, embankments**
Prof. Dr. Werner Konold
- 09.45 Uhr **thatched roofs as architectural culture coining landscape**
Marlies Händschke, Reetdachdecker-Innung Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
- 10.15 Uhr **custom and artificial landscape: „Questenfest“ as an example**
Dr. Kathrin Pöge-Alder – Landesheimatbund Sachsen-Anhalt
- 10.45 Uhr discussion and coffee
- 11.30 Uhr **medicinal plants and transhumance – Intangible cultural heritage in Austria**
Maria Walcher, Österreich
- 12.00 Uhr **Die Feldgeschworenen – knowlege about borderlines**
Jutta Massl, Großhabersdorf
- 12.30 Uhr discussion and outlook
- 13.00 Uhr lunch and end

Organizers:

BHU in cooperation with Niedersächsischen Heimatbund und and Leibniz Universität Hannover

costs and registration:

There is a cost of 40 Euro per participant (20 Euro per day). Included are the participation and drinks and snacks during the conference. The documentations booklet will be sent to you automatically as well. The number of participants is limited. So please register soon with your contact data (Name, adresse, E-Mail and Phone) at BHU, bhu@bhu.de, phone +49 228 2249091.

Announcing please transfer the conference fee to BHU:

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How to get there:

By public transport it's about 20 minutes away from Hannover Hauptbahnhof (main station). From the station building there are 300 meters to walk in direction to the city centre to get to the central station of all city lines, „Kröpcke“. Take line 4 („Stadtbahn“) in direction Garbsen or line 5 in direction of Stöcken to the stop „Appelstraße“. The institute is on the opposite street site of the stop. You can also take the underground lines 4 or 5 to „Herrenhäuser Gärten“. From there it is only a few minutes to walk.

By car coming on motorway A2 to dem PKW fahren Sie über die A2 leave the motorway at motorway intersection „Hannover-Herrenhausen“ in direction to B6 Hannover-Herrenhausen/Zentrum (Westschnellweg). Leave B6 at exit „Herrenhausen Nord“ and take the traffic line on the right by crossing several traffic lines. On „Nienburger Straße“ you pass by the castle of Herrenhausen getting directly to the institute. In the street around the institute is many parking space.

Förderer:

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