



IPERION CH



Research Infrastructures and e-Infrastructures  
for Cultural Heritage  
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## **A MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACH TO CONSERVATION AND RESTORATION**

**TOWARDS THE EUROPEAN RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE FOR HERITAGE SCIENCE**

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# Heritage Science

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- HS is founded on the interdisciplinary combination of knowledge from arts and humanities (conservation, archaeology, history, art history, ethics etc.), and from science and technology (chemistry, physics, mathematics, biology, anthropology, computer sciences and engineering, etc.).
- HS encompasses the science for the conservation and restoration of Cultural Heritage.



# CHARISMA

CULTURAL HERITAGE  
ADVANCED RESEARCH

INFRASTRUCTURE -

SYNERGY FOR A

**MULTIDISCIPLINARY**

**APPROACH TO**

**CONSERVATION /**

**RESTORATION**

## fp7: CHARISMA 2009-2014



CHARISMA

- I3 (*Integrated Infrastructure Initiative*) project
- joined 22 European research Institutes for study and conservation of cultural heritage, by 11 EU Member States
- coordinated by Bruno Brunetti, University of Perugia





## IPERION CH

INTEGRATED PROJECT FOR THE EUROPEAN RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE ON CULTURAL HERITAGE

## IPERION CH mission

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- establish a permanent **European Research Infrastructure for Heritage Science**
- provide access to cutting-edge scientific tools for advanced diagnostics, conservation and restoration
- help structuring the pan-European scientific community of Heritage Science

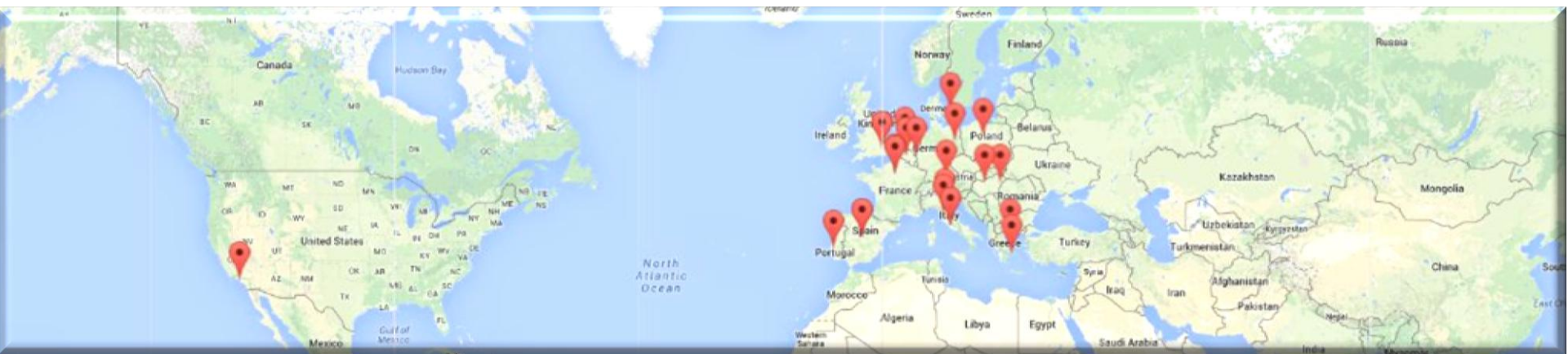




# IPERION CH proposal

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- Submitted on 2014, September 2<sup>nd</sup> to INFRAIA call
- Joins more than 35 research groups from 24 partners (12 EU Member States - Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Spain, The Netherlands, United Kingdom and the USA)



## IPERION CH activities

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- **Trans-National Access** to three **integrated** platforms: **ARCHLAB** - access to collections held by prestigious European museums and conservation institutions, **MOLAB** - access to advanced mobile analytical equipment and expertise for in situ measurements; **FIXLAB** - access to large-scale facilities.
- **Joint Research**: advancing the state-of-the-art of access services, facilities and tools.
- **Networking**: knowledge exchange, best practices, international cooperation.
- **Digital data**: fostering use, reuse and preservation of digital data and tools in Heritage Science (with **DARIAH-ERIC**).
- **Impact**: dissemination, communication, support to social and industrial innovation.
- **Education and training**: training camps and summer schools.
- **Sustainability**: supporting long-term activities of the EU RI.





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NATIONAL RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURES

# IPERION-CH.pt

*a groundbreaking infrastructure for Cultural Heritage Research*



Direção-Geral do  
Património Cultural



**laboratório**  
**HERCULES**  
HERANÇA CULTURAL, ESTUDOS E SALVAGUARDA

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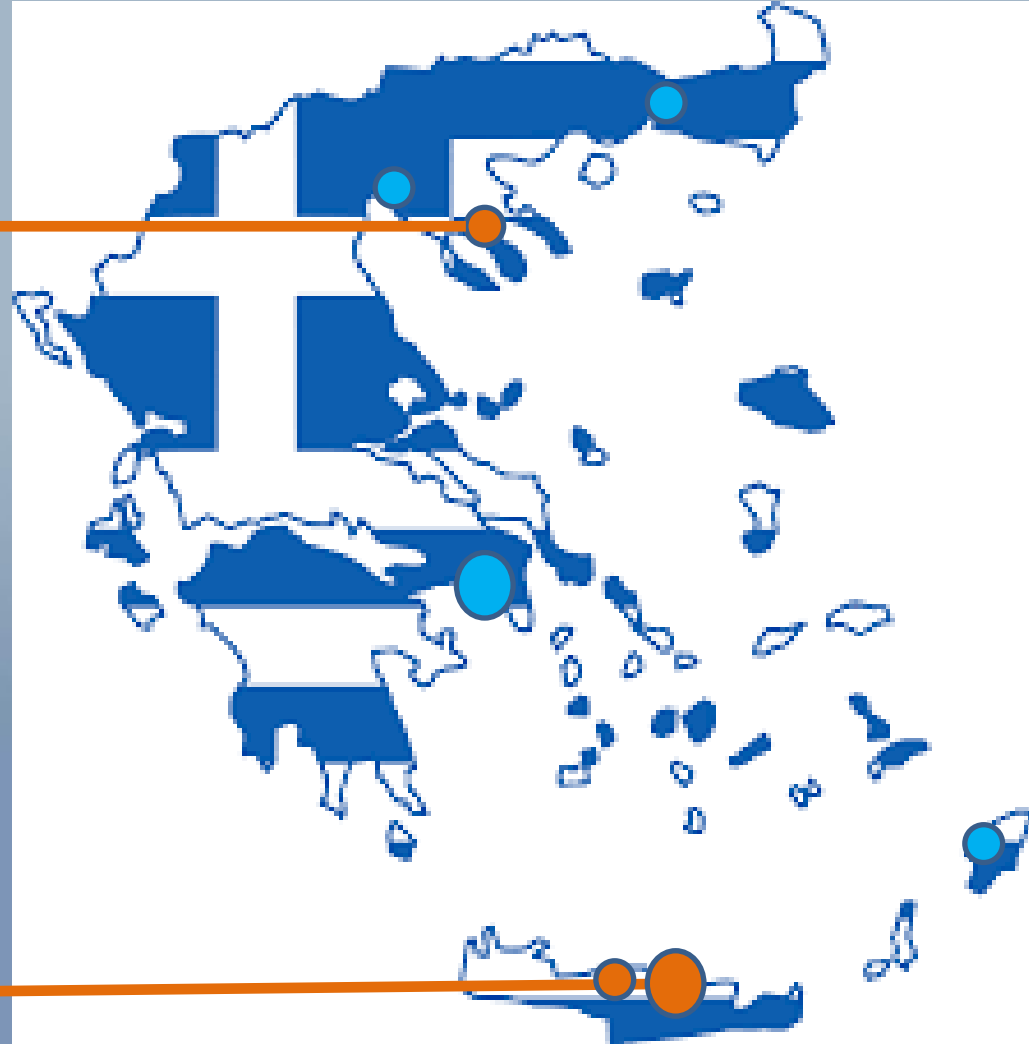
- Portuguese call for infrastructures closed Sept 30, 2013 with ca. 350 proposals.
- 24 proposals in SSH of which 3 in CH including [IPERION CH.pt](#)
- [IPERION CH.pt](#) (rated “class 1”) was the only successful in the CH field.
- [IPERION CH.pt](#) budget about 1.5MEuro.
- Included in Portuguese national roadmap



# IPERION CH.gr Partners



IPERION CH.gr  
as it was included in the  
2014 Greek Roadmap for  
Research Infrastructures  
after proposal evaluation



## **Mission:**

starting a distributed research infrastructure for Heritage Science in Italy – the Italian node of the RI for HS.

**National main venue:** Florence (OPD)

## **Goals:**

- Provide access to national scientific community
- Reinforce Italian leadership in Heritage Science
- Provide advanced training to HS researchers
- Contribute to knowledge transfer and researchers mobility
- Contribute to dissemination and exploitation of research results
- Efficient design of European (and national) research projects

## Participants to IPERION CH.it 2014-15 activities

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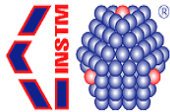
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INFN CHnet

*Contact person:* Francesco Taccetti



ISTM (SNS, UNIBO, UNIPI, UNIPG)

*Contact person:* Stefano Legnaioli



OPD

*Contact person:* Marco Ciatti



# IPERION CH.it: Education & Training

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## **1° Training Camp, Civic Museum in Sansepolcro (Tuscany)**

2014, June 15-20

33 applicants

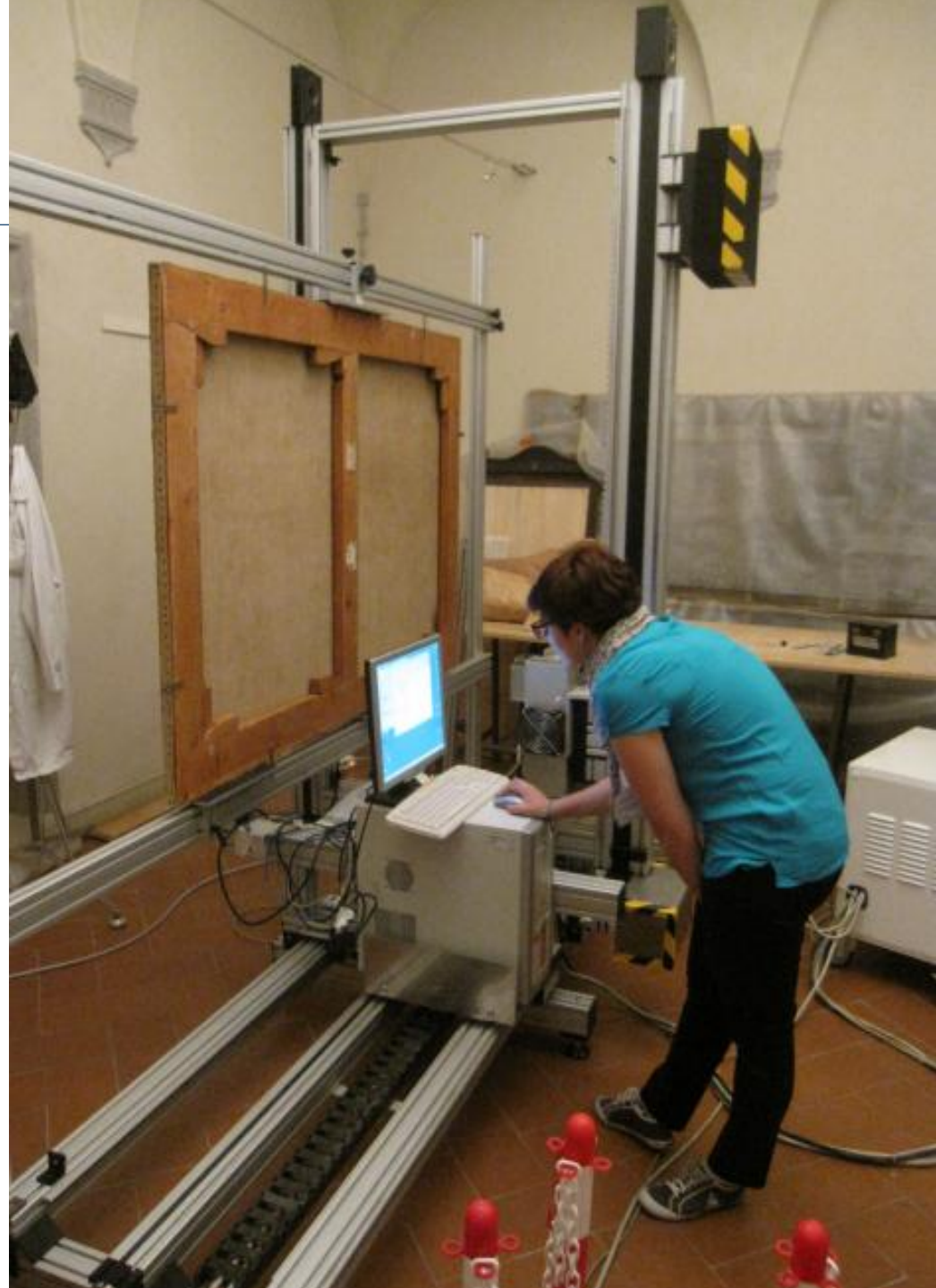
20 participants selected

5 days of field work and lessons

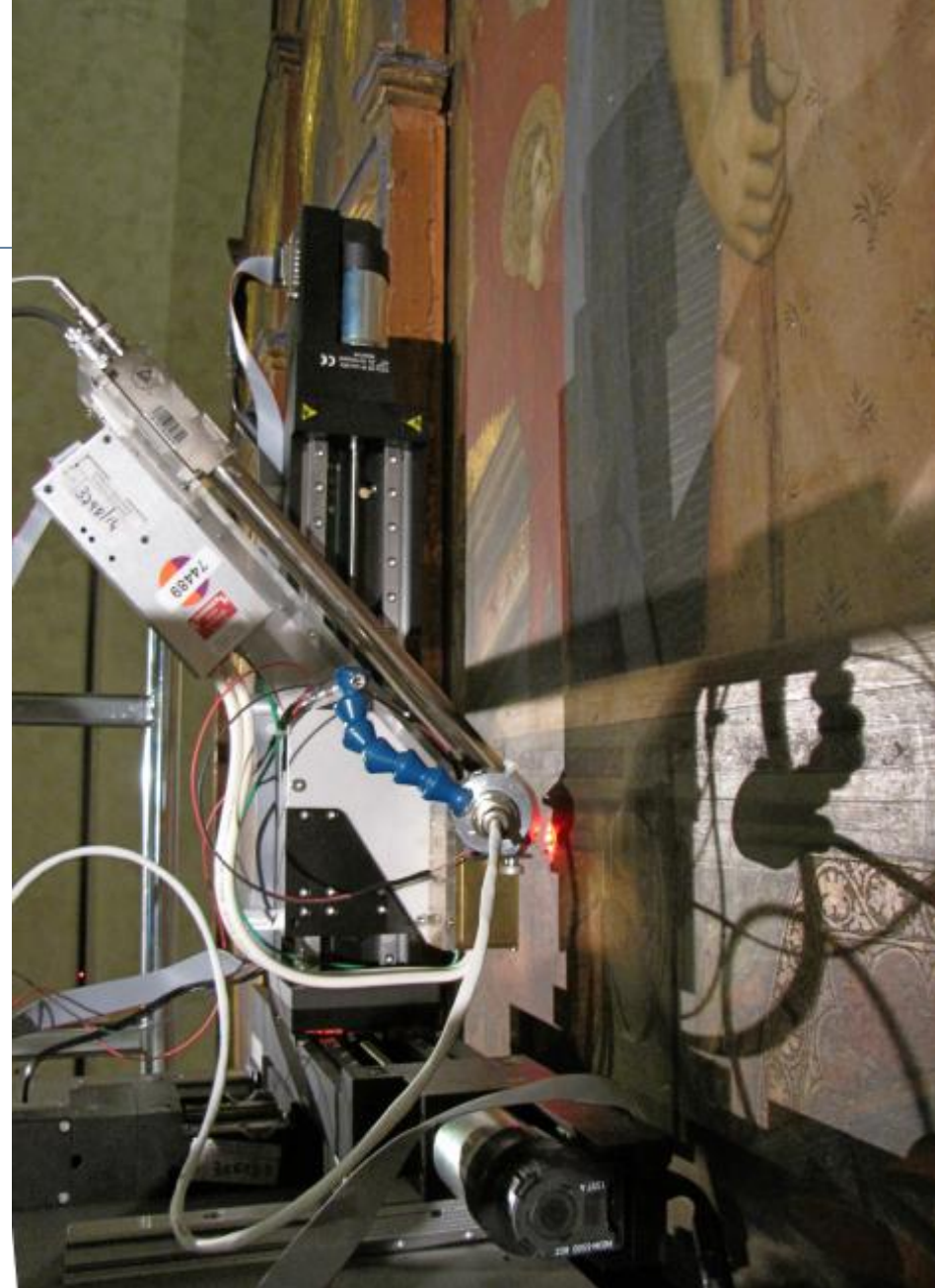












A word cloud featuring names of artists and art movements. The most prominent words are 'DIVISIONISM', 'Heritage', 'Francesca', 'Cave', 'Mosaic', 'POLLACK', 'PIERO', 'CARPACCIO', 'ALEXANDER', 'SICILIAN', and 'GREAT'. The words are arranged in a dense, overlapping manner with various colors and orientations.

7 projects selected (Veneto, Lombardia, Lazio, Campania, Puglia, Sicilia) by an international peer-review panel





*Place:* Naples, National Archaeological Museum

*Title:* Mosaic of Alexander the Great

*Date:* 1 a.C.





*Place:* Milan, Pinacoteca di Brera  
*Title:* Altarpiece of Saint Bernardino  
*Author:* Piero della Francesca





*Place: Venice, Peggy  
Guggenheim  
Artworks: from 1942-1947  
Author: Jackson Pollock*

# International Workshop – Library of Congress

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of the Council  
of the European Union



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## **Fostering Transatlantic Dialogue on Digital Heritage and EU Research Infrastructures: Initiatives and Solutions in the USA and in Italy**

*Washington D.C., 2014, December 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>*

*Organized by*



*In collaboration with*



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DARIAH-IT



The ARIADNE project



The CENDARI project





HERITAGE SCIENCE  
EUROPEAN AND GLOBAL VIEW

## ESFRI 2016

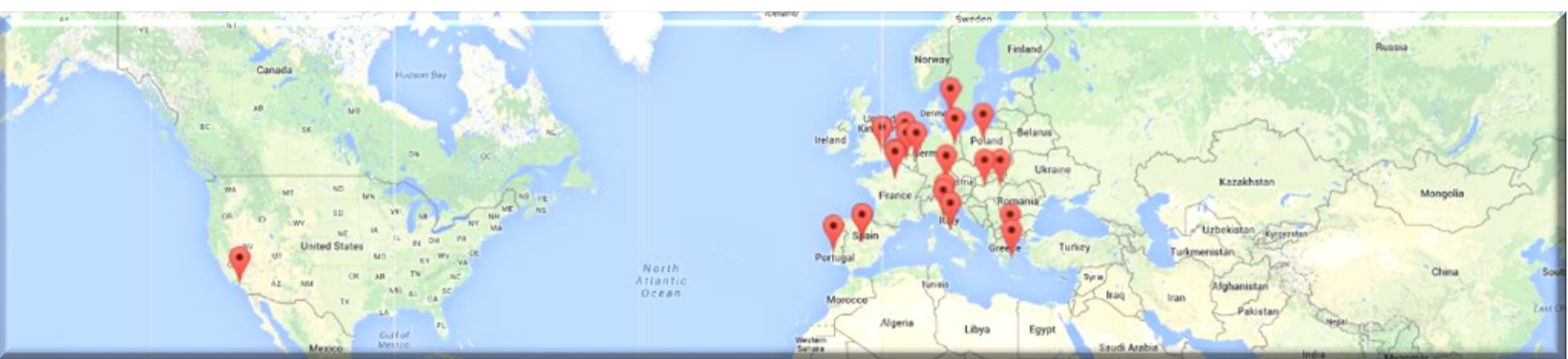
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- The proposal for a European **Research Infrastructure on Heritage Science** will be applied to the ESFRI call for the new roadmap 2016.
- Kick-off meeting: Rome, November 6<sup>th</sup>
- Several research communities of HS are involved
- The Cultural Heritage community is providing the “background experience” as advanced community

# International cooperation

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- More than 20 proposals for affiliation already received from Brazil, Canada, Czech Republic, Spain, Germany, Greece, India, Italy, UK, US, Qatar, Sweden, Taiwan and from the **ICCROM- International Centre for the Study of the Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property**





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