

Dear Colleagues,

A call for papers is now open to the “**Sense and Sustainability**” **International Conference on Archaeology and Tourism** that will be held from the 6 till 10th of May in Zagreb, Croatia.

The Conference is centered around four main themes:

1. Heritage in tourism destination management
2. Sustainable development, archaeology and tourism
3. Tourism and archaeological heritage management in Protected areas, World heritage sites and National parks
4. Cultural routes

The session entitled “**Mediterranean Cultural Routes**” (**T4.03**), has its main focus on the Mediterranean region, focusing especially on the routes related with Al-Andalus and the Sites of Globalization route.

The routes created by the Umayyad dynasty, in Al-Andalus, included the Iberian Peninsula, the Arab world and the Maghreb, being all the Mediterranean region enriched by this legacy. The Sites of Globalization, is part of the UNESCO tentative list, and is a cultural route linking the Algarve, including the cities of Sagres, Lagos, Aljezur, Monchique and Silves, the Atlantic islands of Azores, Madeira, Cape Verd, and Mauritania. The route is related to the Portuguese expansion of the XV century and the new commercial and cultural connections created during that period

In our session, we would like to discuss these Mediterranean Cultural Routes as a way of connecting cultures, countries and regions and we invite the participants to reflect upon the following questions: Which role Cultural Routes play as a tool to enhance dialogue between cultures? How can we promote and develop strategies to promote the Cultural Routes already created and identify new ones? What are the challenges of managing transnational heritage? How can we implicate and benefit more the communities along the route?

**Submission deadline: 20<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

**Link to submission: <https://zagrebarchaeologytourism.com/paper-submission/>**

**Abstract: maximum 300 words**

**Early Bird Registration Fee: before 28 February 2019**

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