

Conserving  
Living Urban  
Heritage

THEORETICAL  
CONSIDERATIONS  
OF CONTINUITY  
AND CHANGE

ANNUAL MEETING OF  
ICOMOS ISC THEOPHIL 2015  
SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM  
WITH ISC CIVVIH

# CONFERENCE PROGRAM

**26.11.15–28.11.15**  
ROYAL ORCHID CENTRAL, BENGALURU

## CO-CONVENED BY

International Scientific Committee for  
Theory and Philosophy of Conservation  
and Restoration (ICOMOS ISC Theophil)



**26.11.15**  
**THURSDAY**

**3:00-4:30 PM**  
**REGISTRATION**

**4:30-7:00 PM**  
**INAUGURAL SESSION**

**GEETHA NARAYANAN**

Director, Srishti Institute of Art, Design and Technology

**ROHIT JIGYASU**

President, ICOMOS India

**RAKESH TEWARI**

Director General, Archaeological Survey of India

**BOGUSŁAW SZMYGIN**

Secretary General ISC Theophil

**ULRIKE HERBIG**

Technical University in Vienna

**CLAUS-PETER ECHTER**

Secretary General ISC CIVVIH

**JYOTI HOSAGRAHAR**

UNESCO Chair, Srishti; Scientific Board ISC Theophil;

Coordinator NSC Theophil, India;

Ex Com Icomos India; Expert CIVVIH ISC

**7:30-11:00PM**

**ICOMOS INDIA WELCOME DINNER**

**27.11.15**  
**FRIDAY**

**8:30–9:00 AM**  
**REGISTRATION**

**9:00–11:00 AM**

**CONSERVING LIVING HISTORIC CITIES: THEORIES AND VALUES**

**SESSION CHAIR**

**NALINI THAKUR**

Professor in Conservation,  
School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi

**BOGUSŁAW SZMYGIN**

General Secretary, International Theophil, President of ICOMOS  
Poland; CIVVIH; Lublin University of Technology

*The New Theoretical Approach to the Protection of Historic Towns –  
“The Normative and Practical Value of HUL Recommendation”*

**HAE UN RII**

President of ICOMOS Korea CIVVIH

+ **JAE HUN CHOI**

Professor in Geography of Konkuk University, Seoul, Member  
ICOMOS Korea

*Preserving Historic Urban Landscape in the Korean Historic Cities  
and Towns*

**ABDELGHANI TAYYIBI**

President, Institute of Cultural and Heritage Architecture ICAP  
Morocco Representative; UNESCO Chair Earthen Architecture,  
Constructive Cultures and Sustainable Development, Morocco

*Historical and Heritage Earthen Seismic Rules – Morocco*

**NILS AHLBERG**

Member, International Theophil; Former Vice President, CIVVIH;  
President ICOMOS Sweden,

*Overall Urban Heritage Values, an Historic Urban Landscape Approach  
as a Tool for Understanding and Planning*

**27.11.15**  
**FRIDAY**

**11:00–11:20 AM**  
**TEA-BREAK**

**11:20–1:20 PM**

**AUTHENTICITY AND INTEGRITY IN HISTORIC TOWNS**

**SESSION CHAIR**

**RAJEEV THAKKER**

Director, Studio X, Columbia Global Center, Mumbai

**SHRIYA SHRIDHARAN**

Faculty, Srishti Institute of Art, Design and Technology

*Authenticity: Hindu Temples in Temple Towns*

**LOUISE NOELLE GRAS**

Member, ICOMOS Mexico; Member International Theophil;

Member, Executive Committee DOCOMOMO International

*Twentieth Century Cities and Issues of Integrity and Authenticity*

**DONNA GRAVES**

ICOMOS USA, Heritage, Arts and Cultural Planning Consultant

*Preserving Intangible Heritage and Cultural Memory in San Francisco*

**SHIKHA JAIN**

Director of Preservation and Community Design DRONAH,

Coordinator ICOMOS India NSC Fortifications and Military Heritage

*Conserving Historic Towns in Rajasthan: The Indian Approach*

**1:30–2:30 PM**

**LUNCH**

**2:30–3:30 PM**

**NEELKANTH CHHAYA**

Architect, Srishti Institute of Art, Design & Technology and

Academic Chair, Goa College of Architecture

**27.11.15**  
**FRIDAY**

**3:30–3:45 AM**  
**TEA-BREAK**

**3:45–5:45 PM:**  
**THEORETICAL CONSIDERATIONS ON LIVING URBAN HERITAGE IN  
SOUTH ASIA**

**SESSION CHAIR**

**JAGAN SHAH**

Director, Nation Institute of Urban Affairs, New Delhi

**A G K MENON**

Convener INTACH Delhi Chapter, Member Theophil India  
*Reflections on Preparing the Dossier Nominating Delhi to the List of  
UNESCO World Heritage Cities*

**NUPUR PROTHI KHANNA**

*EXCO Member, Indian Society of Landscape Architects (ISOLA);  
Expert, ISC Cultural Landscapes, Coordinator, NSC Cultural  
Landscapes, India*

*Responsible Urbanism – Relevance of Community Centric Approach to  
Cultural Landscapes*

**RUSTAM KHAN**

*Assistant Director, Department of Archaeology, Punjab, Pakistan  
Attitudes/Perceptions of Community to Walled City of Gujarat*

**NIYATI JIGYASU**

*Associate Professor, Chitkara University, Chandigarh;  
PhD Program, Srishti Institute of Art, Design, and Technology,  
Bangalore*

*Regenerating Historic Urban Areas Through Sustainable Livelihoods.*

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**FRIDAY**



**6:00–7:00 PM**

**OPTIONAL TOUR OF BANGALORE**



**7:00 PM**

**DINNER ON ONE'S OWN**

**28.11.15**  
**SATURDAY**

**9:00–11:00 AM**

**THEORETICAL APPROACHES TO CONSERVATION OF LIVING URBAN HERITAGE**

➤ **SESSION CHAIR**

**AGK MENON**

Convener, INTACH Delhi Chapter; Member Theophil India

➤ **WILLEM DERDE**

Member, International Theophil; Interpretation Expert at Herita: Flanders Heritage Association; Managing Director Interpret Europe

*Taking Care of Monuments East and West: Europe and the Challenges of India*

➤ **GURMEET RAI**

Vice President, ICOMOS India

*Recognizing Cultural Diversity and Layered Histories for Sustainable Protection and Management of World Heritage and Historic Settings; Case Study – Mughal Imperial Highway and the Grand Trunk Road of India*

➤ **LUIS ALBERTO MENDOZA PEREZ**

Member, ICOMOS Mexico

*Reflection on Conservation, Habitability and Coexistence in Historical Centres*

➤ **KERSTIN WESTERLUND BJURSTRÖM**

Member International Theophil, Former President of ICOMOS Sweden and Swedish Architects Association (SAR)

*From Venice Charter, via Nairobi Recommendation 1976, Washington Charter 1987, Valletta Principles and HUL 2011 Towards Heritage Driven Development*

➤ **11:00–11:20 AM**

**TEA-BREAK**

**28.11.15**  
**SATURDAY**

**11:30 AM–1:00 PM:**

**LIVING HISTORIC CITIES AND INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT**

➤ **SESSION CHAIR**

**MOE CHIBA**

Program Specialist for Culture, UNESCO, New Delhi

➤ **D S OKESLI**

Member, ICOMOS Turkey; Associate Professor, Department of  
Architecture, Çukurova University

*Sustainable Urban Conservation Lessons from Tarsus/Turkey*

➤ **JIGNA DESAI**

Assistant Professor, Area Chair for Conservation, CEPT, India

*Whose History? What Heritage? Problematizing Heritage in Context of  
Sustainability of a Living Historic City*

➤ **JULIAN SMITH**

President, ICOMOS Canada

*Living Urban Heritage: Towards a Convergence of Heritage and  
Sustainable Development*

➤ **1:00–2:00 PM**

**LUNCH**



**28.11.15**  
**SATURDAY**

- **2:00–3:00 PM**  
**FILMS ON LIVING URBAN HERITAGE IN SOUTH ASIA**
- **3:00–4:00 AM**  
**CONCLUDING PLENARY**  
  
**MODERATORS**  
**K T RAVINDRAN**  
Dean Emeritus at the RICS School of Built Environment  
**& JYOTI HOSAGRAHAR**
- **4:00–4:15 PM**  
**TEA BREAK**
- **4:15–5:30 PM**  
**ISC THEOPHIL MEMBERS MEETING**
- **5:00–6:30 PM**  
**OPTIONAL TOUR OF BANGALORE**

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29.11.15  
SUNDAY

OPTIONAL TOURS (1-2 DAYS)

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