

Greetings

The net results of these past six years of Forum UNESCO / University and Heritage, of this intense and exciting period in the defence of World Heritage, are highly positive. They provide an outstanding stimulus towards a continued commitment to that which has been left to us by our ancestors – the best gift we can leave to future generations - a commitment that originates from a deep respect for the cultural inheritance handed down to us.

This 6th international Seminar will be focused on consolidating achievements with new goals and challenges. Valencia, the project's birthplace, will once again become the centre for the deliberations and debates with which Universities from around the world will seek to reform a commitment that requires constant renewal.

I sincerely hope that this Seminar/Workshop will contribute to consolidating the connections between all those involved in this grand project one in which everyone who feel responsible for our cultural heritage is a participant.

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