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**"CASTLE FOR THE REGION - REGION FOR THE CASTLE"**

**SEMINAR**

**14 October, 2021**

**Sandomierz**

Agenda

(with real or online presence)

**TOPICS:**

1. **RENEWAL OF THE ROLE OF MIDDLE AND MODERN AGE CASTLE IN EDUCATION, TOURISM AND REGIONAL PRODUCT/ECONOMY PROMOTION THROUGH COOPERATION BETWEEN CASTLE AND ITS REGION**
2. **NETWORK OF CASTLES ALONG THE DANUBE / VISTULA RIVER**

**PROGRAMME:**

11:00 Registration and participants get some information materials (of study, WS programme, World Café process, partners – optionally prospects, etc.)

Show of

* “Our Common Past & Common Future” Virtual Exhibition

Refreshments

**FIRST PART:**

11:30 Welcome words

Speeches

* “Historical connection of local castle/fortress to the region and further” -

dr Mikołaj Getka-Kenig, District Museum in Sandomierz

* “Some words about the network of middle/modern age castles and their partners / Introduce the Supported Project and the Lead Partner”

Gábor Rezi-Kató, acting vice director, Hungarian National Museum

* “Keynotes and Summaries of TOPICS”

István Szilvássy, president, Association of Hungarian Settlements’ and Regions’ Developers

* “The Sandomierz Wine Tradition“  
  Magdalena Kapłan, PhD, University of Life Sciences in Lublin, Faculty of Horticulture and Landscape Architecture, on behalf of the Sandomierz Vintners' Association,.
* “Richness of regional products of Sandomierz land”   
  Katarzyna Batko, Director of Local Tourist Organization "Partnership of Sandomierz Land"
* “The role of Sandomierz castle for the region - current state and challenges” Wojciech Dumin, Director of the Sandomierz Cultural Center

Translator:

* Agnieszka Białousz - Polish-English
* Magdalena Garbacik - Hungarian-Polish

13:00 Lunch

**SECOND PART**: What Needs To Do?

Structured conversational process by the World Café session (interactive exchange of views, brainstorming on the previously mentioned topics) See <http://www.theworldcafe.com/>

14:00 Moderator – Waldemar Białousz

Introduction to the World Café Process and Topics of the World Café:

1. Castle as an immanence part of formal education and local identity building,
2. Castle as a center for promotion of regional economy and tourist services,
3. Cooperation and contacts between castles/museums/partners,

Participants add comments, questions to the topics on tags (to online see the web: <https://en.linoit.com/>) and choose/sign table hosts. Organizing participants to round tables.(Coming 5 rounds to topics)

14:20 Round table brainstorming rounds the First

14:40 Round table brainstorming rounds the Second

15:00 Round table brainstorming rounds the Third

15:20 Round table brainstorming rounds the Forth

15:40 Round table brainstorming rounds the Fifth

16:00 What will happen? Networking, Memorandum, Next steps

* Mikołaj Getka-Kenig, District Museum in Sandomierz
* István Szilvássy responsible for the content of the project - president, Association of Hungarian Settlements’ and Regions’ Developers

16:20 Summaries of Round table work by table hosts

17:00 Round table: Comments by representatives of state, regional, local decision-makers and

17:30 Closing word by local project partner

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