



HERITAGE IMPACT 2006

The socio-economic impact of ICT in
cultural heritage

CALL FOR PAPERS

We would like to draw your attention to Heritage Impact 2006, the International Symposium on the study of the socio-economic impact of cultural heritage, which will be taking place on 29-30 June, 2006 in Brighton, UK. This Symposium and professional meeting will focus on the crucial, yet complex issue of assessing the socio-economic impact of cultural heritage with specific reference to the impact of ICT.

Organised by the European Commission's EPOCH Network of Excellence and the University of Brighton, Heritage Impact 2006 is an opportunity for academics, policy makers and practitioners in the heritage field to share the latest thinking on research direction and to consider strategies for improving and evaluating socio-economic impact in the cultural heritage sector. The core issues of the Symposium will include measuring socio-economic impact, with special reference to the impact of information technology at heritage sites.

The Symposium committee are looking for papers on the following topics:

- Analysis and critique of methodologies used to analyse impact and value at cultural heritage sites
- The role that information technology can play in the impact of cultural heritage sites
- Examples and case studies, including practical examples of how heritage can be used to increase positive impact and outcomes.

As always the Heritage Impact Symposia series aims to produce firmly practical outcomes that will support practitioners in the cultural heritage sector.

If you have any other queries about the Symposium, please contact the Registrar at EPOCH@brighton.ac.uk or by phone on: + 44 1273 642468. Or alternatively keep up-to-date through our website: <http://www.heritageimpact.org>

Yours sincerely,

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