

2018 Report

EUROPEAN NETWORK OF HOLY WEEK AND EASTER
CELEBRATIONS



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The Association “Camino de Pasión” launched the project and the following actions were carried out:

- Searched for potential Spanish and international members
- Created a partnership
- Produced an informative leaflet
- Created a microsite in English, French and Spanish
- Sent letters and emails to potential members

PRESENTATION

Ways of Passion is a tourist and cultural route running through the geographic heart of Andalusia, where two trains are united by a common pace, by the wealth of their monumental heritage, their ancient traditions, gastronomy with its own Roman and Arab roots and the natural beauty characteristic of southern Spain, where fields of olive trees alternate with the rugged and arid Sub-Baetic mountains.

In addition to all this, these towns share the fervor and devotion with which they experience one of their most important popular events, Holy Week, a festival full of nuances that goes beyond religion to act as an integrating and articulating element that creates the cohesion and the way of life of the people.

Thus, in a route running from east to west over 200 kilometers, visitors are able to explore the authentic and genuine Andalusian through the impressive legacy prevailing in Andalus: its Real, Baena, Cádiz, Córdoba, Ecija, Lora de Segura, Sanlúcar de Barrameda, Huelva, Seville, and Úbeda.

Who is it for?

With the precise objective of researching, identifying, disseminating and representing the incalculable cultural, intangible and social value represented by Holy Week in the center of Andalusia, the Association for the Development of the Ways of Passion was founded in 2002. Since its beginnings, this project has not only explored the potential of this heritage as a tourist product and created synergy for the development of joint actions among the towns on the route, but also the initiative of finding European members to form a larger network and promote, through a European Cultural Route, the similarities and differences with which the festival is celebrated in different parts of Europe, according to a multi-cultural approach and inter-religious dialogue.

Thus, through the knowledge and awareness of the existence of a common heritage that originated and developed in the Iberian Peninsula and throughout the West, Christ in all Europe, the main goal of the initiative is to make that reality known and to contribute towards preserving the profound cultural identity that unites our lands.

It also aims to create bonds between the towns and regions that celebrate these ancient customs, by establishing links and integrating actions that encourage awareness of this common heritage.

The final objective is to facilitate European tourist and cultural routes that open a new form of sustainable coastal tourism, including the exchange of experiences and the creation of international projects, which involves a priority.

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THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE CULTURAL ROUTES PROGRAMME

The Council of Europe is the organization that supports and promotes human rights. It is formed by 47 member states, which, in 1954, signed the European Convention on Human Rights. The Council of Europe member states have signed the Convention on Human Rights, a treaty designed to protect human rights, democracy and the rule of law. The Council of Europe member states have signed the Convention on Human Rights, a treaty designed to protect human rights, democracy and the rule of law.

The Council of Europe Cultural Routes Programme is a project governed by an Interim Protocol Agreement, with the participation of the Council of Europe, the European Commission and as many as 10 states, now countries are very poor. It is governed by the Committee of the Council of Europe member states, which, in 1954, signed the European Convention on Human Rights.

The main aim of the programme is to contribute towards the promotion of European identity and unity through the promotion of the common heritage of Europe and the development of cultural and tourism in Europe and with other countries and regions. It aims to create a common cultural space by integrating cultural routes in order to encourage awareness of heritage, education, the creation of networks, sustainable cross-border high-quality tourism and social activities.

A Council of Europe Cultural Route is a cooperation project in the field of Cultural, Educational and Tourism Heritage in Europe, aimed at developing and promoting new or existing routes based on a historical and contemporary cultural heritage, present or potential, with international significance and significance in the development and promotion of European identity and unity in a physical and/or a virtual form. It is a route of cultural heritage, present or potential, with international significance and significance in the development and promotion of European identity and unity in a physical and/or a virtual form. It is a route of cultural heritage, present or potential, with international significance and significance in the development and promotion of European identity and unity in a physical and/or a virtual form.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER HERITAGE AS A CULTURAL AND TOURIST RESOURCE

Extensive cultural heritage in Europe is related to Christian celebrations of Holy Week and the Resurrection. Over the centuries, a considerable plurality of the large number of the Christian world have created religiously rich and popular and regional. At the same time, popular traditions are more present, but also of religious and religious, related, all together, the artistic expressions and cultural values are the celebration from one of the most outstanding largest and strongest cultural traditions in Europe.

Intangible, music, architecture, information in churches and towns, culture, gastronomy, among the numerous and diverse that take place during the celebration are a good example of the use of the European and European in the past and in the present. It is a route of cultural heritage, present or potential, with international significance and significance in the development and promotion of European identity and unity in a physical and/or a virtual form.

In addition to the promotion of all that take place in Holy Week and Easter with a Christian tradition, we can mention the religious and cultural values of many towns of western Europe in general, where Holy Week and Easter are celebrated. In Germany, decorated lanterns in practically the entire central Easter tradition in Berlin, Hamburg, and also in other parts of the Germanic tradition of religious in Spain and Italy, Orthodox Easter in Greece, and Holy Week and Easter in the Society in Protestant countries, among other cities, towns, and traditions.

Therefore, the celebration of all that take place during the celebration is a result of the attention of numerous traditions in western Europe and European regions, where these events are highly valued and important in the local economies. They are a high quality tourist resource that, at the same time, have their religious and cultural value and are a good example of the use of the European and European in the past and in the present.

EUROPEAN NETWORK OF HOLY WEEK AND EASTER CELEBRATIONS

ANTECEDENTS:
The European Network of Holy Week and Easter Celebrations will be formed as an international cultural association, which is non-governmental and open to all the regions and which will contribute to the promotion of the European and European in the past and in the present.

POTENTIAL MEMBERS:
Towns, regions, heritage sites, museums, historical monuments, etc. in the field of Holy Week and Easter celebrations and that represent a cultural heritage and a tourist product with economic and social impact in the countries of the 47 member states of the Council of Europe.

OBJECTIVES:
To strengthen the initiative and work of all European agencies interested in the field of Holy Week and Easter celebrations and that represent a cultural heritage and a tourist product with economic and social impact in the countries of the 47 member states of the Council of Europe.

FINAL RESULTS:
The central project of the European Network of Holy Week and Easter Celebrations, called Ways of Holy Week and Easter, aims to generate a long-term cooperation between and obtain recognition as a Council of Europe Cultural Route, as it clearly fulfills the criteria established in the European Charter of Cultural Routes, developed in the Council of Europe (1986) and in the Council of Europe (1986) and in the Council of Europe (1986).

For this purpose, a non-profit making international association will be formed by high representatives of the Council of Europe countries, that will be the main promoters and coordinators of the Cultural Heritage Europe and European regions related to these European celebrations.



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<http://holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com/>

1st European Forum on Holy Week and Easter Celebrations, September 2018, Lucena (Spain):
Organised by Caminos de Pasión. Attended by potential Spanish and international members and Eladio Fernández Galiano, representative from the European Institute of Cultural Routes of the Council of Europe.

+info:

- The sessions will take place at CASA DE LOS MORA, Calle San Pedro, 50, 14900 Lucena (Córdoba province). GoogleMaps: <https://goo.gl/maps/ng5pchr7pbz>
- Registration is free via the following link: [www.holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com](http://holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com)
- Information on how to get there and accommodation in Lucena is available on: <http://holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com/#forum>
- The Forum will provide a shuttle service between Malaga Airport and Lucena.
- Coffee breaks, lunches, dinners and tours of Lucena and Cabra are free for attendees, courtesy of the Forum.

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- Las sesiones tendrán lugar en la CASA DE LOS MORA, situada en Calle San Pedro, 50 14900 Lucena (provincia de Córdoba). GoogleMaps: <https://goo.gl/maps/ng5pchr7pbz>
- La inscripción es gratuita y puede hacerse en [www.holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com](http://holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com)
- Información sobre cómo llegar y alojamientos en Lucena disponible en: <http://holyweek-easter-routes.caminosdepasion.com/#forum>
- La organización pondrá a disposición un servicio de transfer entre el Aeropuerto de Málaga y Lucena.
- Por cortesía de la organización, los cafés de las pausas, las comidas y cenas y las visitas a Lucena y Cabra son gratuitos para los asistentes.

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CASA DE LOS MORA
LUCENA (ANDALUSIA-SPAIN)
11 & 12 SEPTEMBER 2018

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PROGRAMME

TUESDAY 11TH

MORNING

9.30 am Registration.

10.00 am Press conference, Forum opening session and opening of the exhibitions Processions and mysteries and Children's Passion and Glory.

10.45 am Inaugural conference: The Cultural Routes of the Council of Europe Programme: 31 years building European identity. **Eladio Fernández Galiano** (Special advisor at Cultural Routes of the Council of Europe).

11.30 am Coffee break.

12.00 am Conference: Holy Week's Cultural Heritage and its (current and potential) touristic and cultural uses in Andalusia. Caminos de Pasión's experience. **Encarnación Giraldez** (Manager of Caminos de Pasión Association).

12.45 am Conference: Opportunities and challenges of working as a network. Creating a Cultural and Touristic Route of the towns and places that celebrate Holy Week and Easter in Europe. **Dr. Ramón Montes Barquín** (Cultural Tourism and Routes consultant. Technical coordinator at the Council of Europe's Prehistoric Rock Art Trails).

1.30 pm Lunch.

AFTERNOON

3.00 pm-6.00 pm Focus group 01 (Coffee break at 5.00 pm): Art and History of a European Heritage to be discovered. Material and intangible heritage of Holy Week and Easter rites and traditions. **Dr. Salvador Rodríguez Becerra** (University of Seville) and **Dr. Salvador Hernández González** (University Pablo de Olavide, Seville).

- Short presentations from towns/regions participating in the Forum highlighting what's special about their Holy Week and Easter Heritage. Round table moderated by Dr. Salvador Rodríguez Becerra. Confirmed speakers: Jozé Stuk: The Skofja Loka Passion play – Processio Locopolitana

6.00 pm Tour of Lucena.

7.30 pm Free time.

9.00 pm Your and dinner at El Alfili wine bodega.

WEDNESDAY 12TH

MORNING

09.00 am Conference: Religious tourism in Europe: beyond the pilgrimage paths. **Dr. Neus Crous Costa** (University of Girona).

09.45 am Conference: Holy Week in Sicily (Italy) and its organisation as a cultural resource and tourism product. **Dr. Ignazio E. Buttitta** (Università degli Studi di Palermo, Sicily, Italy).

10.30 am Coffee break.

11.00 am Focus group 02: From devotion to promotion: Experiences and views of collaborating at a European level. **Manuel Peregrina Palomares** (Arte & CIA, Culture and Leisure Management, Granada/The Phoenixians' route managing committee).

- Experiences of towns and destinations taking part in the Forum.

Round table moderated by Manuel Peregrina.

Confirmed speakers:

Jernej Tavcar: The Romuald Route in Skofja Loka

1.00 pm Concluding session.

1.30 pm Transfer to Caba and lunch at Hotel MS Fuente Las Piedras.

3.30 pm 1st Assembly of the European Network of Holy Week and Easter celebrations.

6.00 pm. Return to Lucena.

PROGRAMACIÓN

DÍA 11, MARTES

MAÑANA

09:30 h. Recepción y acreditación de los participantes.

10:00 h. Atención a Medios de Comunicación, inauguración del Foro y Exposiciones Pasos y Misterios y Pasión y Gloria Infantil.

10:45 h. Conferencia inaugural: El Programa de los Itinerarios Culturales del Consejo de Europa: 31 años al servicio de la construcción de la identidad europea. **D. Eladio Fernández Galiano** (Asesor especial del Programa de Itinerarios Culturales del Consejo de Europa).

11:30 h. Pausa-Café.

12:00 h. Conferencia: El Patrimonio Cultural de la Semana Santa y sus usos turístico-culturales (actuales y potenciales) en Andalucía. La experiencia de "Caminos de Pasión". **Dña. Encarnación Giraldez** (Gerente de la Asociación Caminos de Pasión).

12:45 h. Conferencia: Oportunidades y retos de trabajar en red. Hacia un Itinerario Cultural y Turístico de los municipios y sitios de la Semana Santa y la Pascua en Europa. **Dr. Ramón Montes Barquín** (Consultor de Turismo Cultural e Itinerarios Culturales. Coordinador técnico del Itinerario de Arte Rupestre del Consejo de Europa).

13:30 h. Pausa-Almuerzo.

TARDE

15:00 h-18:00 h. Focus group 01 (Pausa-Café, 17:00 h): Arte e Historia de un Patrimonio europeo por descubrir. Patrimonio material e inmaterial de los ritos y tradiciones de la Semana Santa y la Pascua. **Dr. Salvador Rodríguez Becerra** (Universidad de Sevilla) y **Dr. Salvador Hernández González** (Universidad Pablo de Olavide, Sevilla).

- Presentación del Patrimonio de Semana Santa y Pascua de ciudades/regiones participantes.

Debate moderado por Dr. Salvador Rodríguez Becerra.

Intervenciones confirmadas: Jozé Stuk: The Skofja Loka Passion play – Processio Locopolitana

18:00 h. Visita turística a Lucena.

19:30 h. Tiempo libre.

21:00 h. Visita y cena Bodega El Alfili.

DÍA 12, MIÉRCOLES

MAÑANA

09:00 h. Conferencia: El turismo religioso en Europa, más allá de los caminos de peregrinación.

Dña. Neus Crous Costa (Universidad de Girona).

09:45 h. Conferencia: La Semana Santa en Sicilia (Italia) y su estructuración como recurso cultural y producto turístico. **Dr. Ignazio E. Buttitta** (Università degli Studi di Palermo, Sicilia - Italia).

10:30 h. Pausa-Café.

11:00 h. Focus group 02: De la devoción a la promoción: Experiencias y perspectivas de colaboración a escala europea. **D. Manuel Peregrina Palomares** (Arte & CIA, Gestión Cultural y Ocio. Granada/Comité Directivo Ruta de los Fenicios).

- Experiencias de destinos participantes.

Debate moderado por D. Manuel Peregrina.

Intervenciones confirmadas:

Jernej Tavcar: The Romuald Route in Skofja Loka

13:00 h. Conclusiones y clausura del Foro.

13:30 h. Traslado a Caba y almuerzo en Hotel Ms Fuente Las Piedras.

15:30 h. 1^{ra} Asamblea de la Red Europea de Celebraciones de Semana Santa y Pascua.

18:00 h. Regreso a Lucena.





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8th edition of the Annual Advisory Forum of the Cultural Routes of the Council of Europe, October 2018, Görlitz (Germany): Attended by Juan Pérez Guerrero, Chair of Caminos de Pasión, Francisco González Escalante project manager at Caminos de Pasión and Encarnación Giráldez Cejudo Manager at Caminos de Pasión.



Seminar “The Cultural Routes of the Council of Europe. Journeys of faith and encounter”, November 2018, Strasbourg (France)

Attended by Encarnación Giráldez, Manager of Caminos de Pasión with the intention of finding new international members.