**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE**

**“THE PATH OF ABRAHAM, MOSAIC OF PEACE”**

***IN MEMORY OF KAHLED AL ASSAD, DIRECTOR OF PALMYRA and Gino Strada, Founder of Emergency***

3-4 September 2021 Trani (Italy)

3 september Cathedral of Trani, 4 September Palazzo delle Arti Beltrani

***DRAFT CONFERENCE AGENDA***

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| **1st DAY - Friday 3 September 2021** | | | |
| **Venue:** | **Cathedral of Trani** |
| **Location:** |  | |
| 6.00pm - 6:30pm | **Registration** | |
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| **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OPENING**  **Cathedral of Trani**  *Welcome by Amedeo Bottaro-Major Trani*  *Welcome by Francesca Zitoli* – Assessor for Culture. City of Trani  *Welcome by dott. Rosario Santanastasio-National President of The Archeoclub d’Italia*  *Welcome by Dott. Luigi De Luca* - Managing Structure of Project European Territorial  Cooperation and Poli Biblio-museali. Tourism department, economy of culture and  nhancement of the territory, Puglia Region  *Welcome by Her Excellency the Ambassador of Iraq in Italy MsSafiaTaleb Al-Souhail*  *Welcome by Arch. Maria Piccarreta-Regional secretary of the Ministry of Culture for Puglia*  Welcome by Prof. Riccardo Losappio, Director of the Diocesan Office for Culture  and Social Communications of Trani  ***Welcome by Don Mauro Sarni Rector of the Cathedral of Trani***  ***Welcome by Dott. ssa Anna Maria Minutilli*, President Archeoclub of Trani.**  **Conference Chair**  ***Welcome by*** Prof.ssa Anna Trono, University of Salento, Lecce. Conference Chair  **First Session**  *19;30 20;00 Il Cammino di Abramo, un percorso condiviso*  **Dott. ssa Anna Maria Minutilli, Historian and President Archeoclub of Trani**  20:00-20:30 “*Abramo e la sua discendenza. Esempi nell’arte figurativa pugliese”*  Dott.ssa Margherita Pasquale art historian, Trani castle manager former  Mibact official, diocesan commission   |  | | --- | | **2nd DAY – Saturday 4 September 2021** | | **Venue:Palazzo delle Arti Beltrani. Trani** | | 9:00 am **Registration** |   *9;30 Welcome by Dott. Italo M. Muntoni Conference chair Archeologist Officer Head of*  *Archeological Heritage Area, Vice President of the Technical-Sceintific Committee for*  *Archaeology,Superintendence of Archeology, Fine Arts and Landscape for the Provinces of*  *Barletta-Andria-Trani and Foggia*  *Welcome by Dott*AldoPatruno - Director General of the Department of Tourism, Economy  Of Culture and Territorial Development of Puglia  *Welcome by Prof Raffaele Casciaro* - *Dean of the Department of Cultural Heritage.*  *University of Salento*  *Welcome by Prof Adriana Poli Bortone. Presidente Euromed*  **Second Session**  *10;30-11;00 The archaelogical and religious history of Borsippa City and its relationship to*  *the birthplace of Abraham Prophet*  Dott. Ahmed A. Selman Director of the archaeological area Babilonia  *11.11;30 The city of Ur and its political, social and religious position in the history of*  *Mesopotamia*  Prof. Hussein Mohammed Ridha. University of Thi-Qar. College of Archaeology  11;30-12;00 *Historic landscape on the footsteps of Abraham: from Ur Kasdim to the*  *Mediterranean*  Arch. Luigi Oliva. Public Official. Italian Ministry of Culture  12;00-12;30 *Archeologia del Mediterraneo. Viaggio nella Puglia megalitica*  Dott. Ssa Lorusso Luana Archeologist  **Third Session**  *16;16;30 “…e il deserto fu fatto città” - storie e profili dei monaci dell’Oriente tardoantico*  Prof. Federico Marrazzi , Christian and medieval archaeology. University Sant’Orsola di  Benincasa, Naples  *16;30-17;00 La narrazione della “fine dei tempi" in Georgia tra innografia e immagini.*  Prof.ssa Maria Rosaria Marchionibus, History of Medieval Art, Universityof Naples “L’Orientale”  *17;00-17;30 Vangelo arabo dell’infanzia*  Prof. Massimo Bernabò, History of medieval art and miniature, University of Pavia  *17;30-18;00 La figura di Abramo nell'immaginario collettivo*  Dott. Abrah Malik, University of Naples “L’Orientale  *18;00-18;30 La Puglia e l'Islam, tra guerra e pace*  Prof. Marco Di Branco, Storia dei paesi islamici, Universityof Roma “La Sapienza”  *18;30-19;00 Post-Modern Pilgrimage: Stretching the Limits and Pursuing New Challenges*  Prof Yoel Mansfeld. Tourism Planning and Development, University of Haifa.  *19;00-19;30 Cultural and Religious Routes of Mediterranean Sea: a new opportunity for*  *Regional Development*  Prof Anna Trono. Political Economic Geography. University of Salento  **With the Sponsorship of :**  *UNITWIN UNESCO Network "Culture, Tourism, Development", Regione Puglia,*  *Euromediterranean Heritage Agency Association, Arcidiocesi di Trani*  Comune di Trani, Assessorato alle culture di Trani , Archeoclub d’Italia | | | |