

# A call for the mobilisation of ClfA talents and capabilities to participate in the protection of world heritage sites and resources under threat



Temple of Baalshamin in Palmyra , summer 2015

Global warming is set to further impact climate and increase competition for resources.



First aid to cultural heritage, ICCROM

In recent decades, there has been a steady onslaught of destruction of archaeological and cultural heritage sites around the world resulting from war, targeted intervention by militant groups, the antiquities trade, ignorance, greed and natural disasters.

The potential for similar events impacting the world's cultural heritage in the future does not look likely to diminish.



Small island nations are at risk

**ClfA has a role to play.**

**ClfA has in its ranks a great deal of expertise and experience which could be deployed to be active in prevention, support and training as well as damage control, recovery and reconstruction.**

If you are interested in getting involved, please fill in the survey overleaf and hand it in to the reception desk or send your response to [groups@archaeologists.net](mailto:groups@archaeologists.net)

The International Practice group provides a forum for archaeologists, historic environment and cultural heritage professionals working on international projects and initiatives, and advise ClfA Advisory Council on issues relevant to international practice of archaeological and cultural heritage management.

What is your principal expertise or area of interest? Please describe your professional experience in international cultural heritage work.

Are there any workshops, seminars or training sessions which you would like the International Practice Group to organise? Would you be prepared to contribute to one of these events?

Would you be interested in contributing to the *International Practice Group newsletter* or ClfA *The Archaeologist* magazine?

What do you feel are the key challenges and opportunities in international heritage right now?

Would you like to become more actively involved in the International Practice Group? If so, please email us at [groups@archaeologists.net](mailto:groups@archaeologists.net) and tell us what aspects you would like to develop or contribute to, or complete this survey and hand it in at reception desk.

Name .....

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For more information on the ClfA International Practice Special Interest Group please see <http://www.archaeologists.net/groups/international>

Please consider joining us at our AGM on Friday 21 April 2017, 13:30-13:50  
Room 1.49, Armstrong Building, Newcastle University