### CIFA INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

# 27 Feb 2023, 1730-1800 GMT

# Minutes – Committee Meeting (via Zoom)

Present: Leonora O'Brien (Chair), Caroline Pathy-Barker (Secretary), Niamh Carty, Michael D'Aprix,

Scott Chaussée

Apologies: Daria Adamson, Ian Travers, Jamie Quartermaine (Treasurer), Alice Hobson

Minutes: Leonora O'Brien

### Approval of minutes

Minutes from meeting of 13 February 2022, 1730-1800 GMT – approved for issue.

#### **CIfA Conference 2023** 2.

**Discussion**: Conference planning session: Nottingham 19-21 April 2023.

**Theme:** Sustainable futures: standards, skills and the profession.

Session: International cultural heritage: applying professional standards and skills in a range of

challenging environments (Thursday 20 April)

This session has been accepted. A list of papers has been submitted to CIfA. Awaiting final speaker

bios and list of co-presenters for one paper.

**Action:** Leo to chase speaker bios etc. and send to CIfA conference organiser.

Action: All to spread the word on social media.

#### **Review of CIfA Code of Conduct** 3.

Peter Hinton is currently reviewing the CIfA Code of Conduct, with a view to make it less Anglocentric and to support members working in other jurisdictions, among other amendments. Circulated for the committee to review. Leo sent through comments on 24 Feb.

Action: All to follow developments including workshop on Code of Conduct at conference, 20 April.

#### 4. Membership survey

Niamh has prepared a summary of the survey responses for inclusion in the CIfA TA magazine.

Action: Niamh to prepare a summary and send to Meg at CIfA for inclusion in the IPSIG e-shot newsletter.

#### 5. Tea break talk

Alice and Leo to do a tea break talk on archaeology and international financial institutions' standards and guidance in March 2023, depending on availability of slots.

Action: Leo to contact CIfA to confirm date.

### **CIfA Deutschland** 6.

CIfA Deutschland are running a conference in Frankfurt on 20 May on International Heritage. None of committee attending this meeting were able to attend or present in person.

Action: Leo to contact CIfA Deutschland to ask about remote presentations/offer message of solidarity from IPSIG.

#### 7. **Autumn AGM**

Date TBC – advertise at conference and further explore themes arising in a paper/discussion session before the AGM

### 8. **IPSIG Group Newsletter**

IPSIG e-shot newsletter to include the summarised survey results (Ni, committee bios and call for engagement/concerns/topics for open meetings.

Aim to issue to CIfA 14 March 2023 for circulation to IPSIG members

### 9. AOB

Inputs to reviewing CIfA standards and guidance for fieldwork

Action: All to review first review batch by 6 April and discuss at next meeting

# 10. Date of next meeting

Monday 13 March 2023 1730-1800