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ENDANGERED CULTURAL HERITAG **PROTECTION AND ENHANCEMENT** OF THE DUHOK REGION ARCHAEOLOGICAL HERITAGE (KURDISTAN REGION OF IRAQ)

International Conference January 29, 2020

09.00-09.40 Welcome and opening addresses

Massimo Inguscio President of the National Research Council (CNR)

Giorgio Alberti Delegate of the Udine University Rector for International Relations

Luca Maestripieri Director of the Italian Agency for Development Cooperation

Emanuele Farruggia DGCS- Off. V, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation

Sasan Osman Awni Minister of Municipalities and Tourism of the KRG

Rezan Kader High Representative in Italy of the Kurdistan Regional Government

Mohammed Al-Jumayli Embassy of the Republic of Iraq in Rome

Serena Muroni Consul of Italy in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq

Salvatore Piro Institute of Heritage Science, National Research Council

09.40-10.40 Visit to the panel exhibition "The Archaeological Environmental Park of Sennacherib's Irrigation Network" guided by Roberto Orazi and Elisa Fidenzi.

The exhibition illustrates the project for the creation of an archaeological and environmental park of the Assyrian irrigation system, its monuments and natural landscape and the proposal to submit this unique

10.40-11.00 Coffee Break

Chairperson: Francesca Colosi

11.00-11.20 Kaifi Mustafa Ali

(Director General of Antiquities) General Directorate of Antiquities of the Kurdistan Regional Government: 2019 Activities and 2020 Strategic Plan

11.20-11.40

Hasan Ahmed Qasim (Director of Antiquities of Duhok). The Prehistoric Rock-Shelter Paintings at Blecan (Duhok-Kurdistan)

1.40-12.00

May Shaer

(World Heritage Centre, UNESCO) UNESCO's Activities in Support of Cultural Heritage in Iraq

Chairperson: Gianfilippo Terribili

Land of Nineveh Archaeological Project (LoNAP) Activities

12.00-12.20

Daniele Morandi Bonacossi (University of Udine) The Land of Nineveh Training Project for the Enhancement of the Cultural Heritage of Northern Iraqi Kurdistan: An Introduction

2.<u>20-12.40</u>

Roberto Orazi (ISPC – CNR) Sennacherib's Archaeological Park: Master Plan and First Enhancing Actions

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Sala Marconi Piazzale Aldo Moro 7, Rome

13.00-13.15

Eva Savina Malinverni and Roberto Pierdicca (Università Politecnica delle Marche) Sennacherib's Archaeological Park: Analysis and Processing of Stereo Images for 3D Mapping

Emiliano Di Luzio (IGAG – CNR) Sennacherib's Archaeological Park: Slope Analysis in the Khinis Archaeological Area

13.30-15.00 Lunch

Chairperson: Marco Iamoni 15.00-15.15

Stefano Palpacelli (Università Politecnica delle Marche) Sennacherib's Archaeological Park: Hydraulic and Hydrogeological studies in Khinis and Maltai

15.15-15.30

Isabella Finzi Contini (Italian Archaeological Mission to the Kurdistan Region of Iraq) Sennacherib's Archaeological Park: Maltai and Khinis Rock Reliefs Conservation Project

15.30-15.50

Daniele Morandi Bonacossi (University of Udine) and Hasan Ahmed Qasim (Directorate of Antiquities of Duhok) The Discovery of the Assyrian Canal and Rock Reliefs in Faida (Duhok): Excavation, Recording, Conservation and Enhancement of an Endangered Archaeological of an Endangered Archaeological Site

15.50-16.10

Mauro Bertagnin (University of Udine) Preservation of Vernacular Earthen Architecture in the UNESCO World Heritage Earthen Architecture Programme WHEAP – 2007-2020: Background, Achievements and Outputs

Chairperson: **Roberto Orazi**

Missione Archeologica Italiana nel Kurdistan Iracheno (MAIKI) Activities

16.10-16.30

Gianfilippo Terribili (Sapienza University of Rome) Thus Spoke King Narseh: MAIKI Activities in Paikuli and at the Slemani Museum

16.30-16.50

Luca Colliva

(University of Bologna) History through a Looking Glass: MAIKI Activities at the Citadel of Erbil

16.50-17.10

Barbara Faticoni (Sapienza University of Rome) Field Activity in 2019 at the Paikuli Site

17.10-17.30

Camilla Insom (University of Naples "L'Orientale") Landscape Árchaeology and Human Settlement: the Archaeological Map of the Wider Paikuli Area

17.30-18.00 Questions and discussion

archaeological heritage of the Kurdistan Region of Iraq to the UNESCO World Heritage List.

Francesca Colosi (ISPC - CNR) Sennacherib's Archaeological Park: the UNESCO World Heritage List Nomination Format