

Grasping the Intangible at Heritage Places

A Symposium presented by the Australia ICOMOS

National Scientific Committee on Intangible Cultural Heritage

Saturday 18 October 2014, University College, Parkville, Melbourne

9 am – 5.30pm

Knowledge, language, skills, traditions ... these intangible expressions of cultural heritage help define who we are, our cultural identity and our connections to others.

Passed along the generations, intangible cultural heritage is mutable, responding to changes in the environment, circumstances and technology.



The connections between intangible cultural heritage and place are the focus for this Symposium, along with the practical implications of incorporating intangible cultural heritage into heritage place planning and management.

The Symposium will address a range of challenges:

- how to sustain heritage values
- the best means of interpretation
- how to identify and record intangible heritage and its values
- linking theory and practice seamlessly and engagingly
- applying the Burra Charter to aspects of intangible cultural heritage.

Case studies presented by the speakers will contribute towards building a tool box of good practice for all Australian heritage practitioners.

What promises to be a day of fascinating and meaningful discussion will finish with a celebratory launch of the new Australia ICOMOS National Scientific Committee on Intangible Cultural Heritage

Everyone with an interest in intangible cultural heritage is welcome to attend.

Register Now!

For more information, to register, sponsor or volunteer please go to the Symposium website
intangibleculturalheritagensc.wordpress.com

