

## ATLAS World Heritage

Heritage in the Atlantic Area  
Sustainability of the urban  
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### Feedback on the 5<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Atlas.WH Network of Urban World Heritage Sites

The 5<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Atlas.WH network of urban sites inscribed on the world heritage list was held by video conference because of the global health crisis. The public sessions hosted up to 50 people which is quite successful. On this occasion, Porto, Florence, Santiago de Compostela, Edinburgh and Bordeaux presented the progress of the work of developing the sustainable management plan. This sharing of experiences was really instructive.

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## CITIES' NEWS

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### The new hearts living in Porto

The municipal company, Porto Vivo – SRU, has launched an open call to rent out properties in the historic centre of Porto, aimed at middle class tenants.

Porto City Council, through Porto Vivo – SRU, has rehabilitated 10 properties in the historic centre of Porto, which have been subject to a process of profound rehabilitation and are currently ready to be rented out, located between Rua de Mouzinho da Silveira, Rua dos Pelames, Rua dos Mercadores and Rua da Arménia. The properties vary between one, two and three bedroom apartments, and are prepared to receive various different typologies of households.

Applications can be submitted until November 29. At the end of the process, the accommodation will be allocated by means of a random draw between all candidates.

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### Historic Canongate tenements restored to former glory

Major conservation work, led by Edinburgh World Heritage, has just been completed on the last of three historic tenements on the Canongate comprising of 16 residential dwellings and 5 shops. Work was funded by the charity's Conservation Funding Programme, which is supported by [Historic Environment Scotland](#) and has been highlighted by the Atlas.WH project as an example of best practice. Edinburgh World Heritage also provided expertise, advice and support to the residents and shop owners throughout the project.

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### Learning from each other's: participatory workshops

For the 9<sup>th</sup> edition, the participatory workshops were organized during the public session of the 5th international meeting of the ATLASWH network of World Heritage urban sites. An opportunity to share more widely than usual the experimental projects on the theme of the day: the use of bio based materials in contemporary architecture.

To talk about it, Alexandre Crampes from Dauphins architecture and Flavien Menu, a former resident of the Villa Medici were with us. Led by Oriane Dupont and despite the distance set up by the videoconference, these 2 projects raised numerous discussions on the challenges of architectural design to support the ecological transition and help mitigate climate change.

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### Heritage meeting

Santiago de Compostela celebrates the 35th anniversary of its World Heritage declaration.

For this reason, we invited all interested groups, general public, neighbors and associations to participate in the heritage meetings and present the keys and values that made UNESCO the highest position in relation to the protection of world heritage. The places, dates and times were coordinated with the addresses of the sociocultural centers of Vite, Conxo, Fontiñas and O Ensanche. The meetings took place on 20, 23, 27 October and 3 November 2020.

Due to the problems arising from Covid19, the talks had little face-to-face attendance, but the latter was streamed.

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## CAPITALIZATION

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### A co-construction process for the development of the management plan for Bordeaux, port of the Moon

On the occasion of the 5<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of urban sites of the Atlas.WH network, the services of the City of Bordeaux and Bordeaux metropolis presented the actions that contribute to the management of Bordeaux Port de la Lune. More than 35 project managers took part in a collaborative innovation process supported by Edouard Cazamajour from Aménités.

It was a rewarding work for all and a process that produced shared objectives. This process has only just begun! Bernard Louis Blanc of Bordeaux, deputy mayor in charge of resilient urban planning, reminded this by presenting his vision.

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### Heritage walks

In 2020 our city celebrates the 35th anniversary of its World Heritage declaration. At the same time, Santiago participates in the Atlas.WH project (Sustainability of the Urban World Heritage Sites) intends to create a network of urban World Heritage Sites (WHs) by addressing common challenges).

For this reason, we invited all interested groups, general public, neighbors and associations to participate in these guided heritage walks, in which the main architectural and cultural elements of the historical area of the city were visited. All these places made possible for UNESCO to place us in the highest position in relation to the protection of the world heritage.

The meeting point of these walks was the Cruceiro de S. Pedro. The walks took place on 21, 24, 28 of October and 7 of November 2020.

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### Presentation of development of the Management and Sustainability Plan of Florence, Urban World Heritage Site

The primary outcome of Atlas.WH programme will be the Management and Sustainability Plans for each World Heritage Site, by implementing an integrated and participative management and monitoring model. The result will be achieved through the common construction of a methodology and the exchange of know-how and best practices. The transnational partnership will disseminate the results to the cities in the Atlantic Area and beyond, which may be replicated and adapted, in order to stimulate heritage-led economic development. Florence presented the draft of the Management and Sustainability Plan during the 5<sup>th</sup> session of the international meeting of Atlas.WH project organized by Bordeaux Metropole.

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### Bordeaux, a heritage in calligrams

On the public session of the 5<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Atlas.WH network of urban world heritage sites, the artistic and educational project designed and developed by Elsa Gribinski and Carlos Olivera was presented. Working on writing, practicing drawing can be done while having fun. Apollinaire showed the way with his Calligrams. The pupils of the CM1 and CM2 classes and their teachers transformed this learning process into a collection of postcards presenting the multiple facets of Bordeaux heritage: monuments of course but also "les échoppes", the typical individual dwelling in Bordeaux! The result: a cloud of lightness and poetry exhibited at Place de la Bourne.

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## EVENTS

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### Affordable rents will be highlighted in the VIII Porto Rehabilitation Week

The VIII Porto Rehabilitation Week will focus on the new generation of housing policies and municipal programmes implemented in this field, focusing on new mechanisms designed to regenerate the city's social fabric, by presenting affordable rental solutions for different profiles of middle class tenants and stimulating the current rental market.

The Porto Urban Rehabilitation Week, will be held between November 24-26, for the first time occurring in a completely online format, adapted to the context epidemiological context, hosted in the Swapcard platform.

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