

For further information please visit our homepage **www.romaroutes.eu** – an interactive website promoting the Roma cultural events and allowing a wide range of people to contribute.

The official conference language will be English. If you wish to attend the final conference, please confirm before March 12th, 2012 via email to: info@sintiundroma.de

Entrance to the concert is **14 Euro** or **9 Euro** concessions.

Please order tickets via email to: info@sintiundroma.de

Please note that we are not able to fund your expenses.

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Celebrating Roma Culture & Heritage

Final Conference

Heidelberg

Germany

March 15th, 2012









Programme

Over the last two years the Roma Routes pilot project drew together organizations from across Europe to establish a coordinated itinerary of events celebrating Roma culture and heritage. See www.romaroutes.eu.

Inspired by the Route of Roma Culture and Heritage proposed by the Council of Europe, this project aimed at increasing the knowledge of people in Europe about Roma history, culture, values and lifestyle. It intended to encourage the contribution of Roma to Europe's cultural life and diversity and ultimately to contribute to giving a positive value to an image of Roma who are, more often than not, perceived in a negative and stereotyped way.

We have made links between culture and heritage institutions and Roma groups across Europe, spreading ideas, exchanging experiences, and coordinating the website and programme of events.

The aim of the final conference in Heidelberg is to review the achievements of the project and to look to the future. We hope to increase links with people, groups and organizations active in this field and to further the realization of a Route of Roma Culture and Heritage.

9.15 Registration

10.00 Opening

Romani Rose | Chairman of the Central Council of German Sinti and Roma

10.15 Presentation of the Roma Routes Pilot Project Lalage Grundy | Surrey Heritage

11.00 Coffee Break

11.15 Art, Culture and Identity Keynote Speech | Zoni Weisz

12.00 Raising New Voices and Visibilities in Museums Keynote Speech | Viv Golding

13.00 Lunch

14.30 Panel discussion A vision becomes reality: The next steps for the Route of Roma Culture and Heritage

 Penelope Denu | Director of the European

 Institute of Cultural Routes

 Tímea Junghaus | Roma Art Historian at the

 European Roma Cultural Foundation

 Delaine Le Bas | Roma Artist

 Jane Jackson | Creative Director at Rural Media

16.00 Closing

19.30 Concert

Duo Stockhausen Snétberger Markus Stockhausen | trumpet Ferenc Snétberger | guitar

The music of this Duo is marked by the way they influence each other. Snétberger's technique on the strings is phenomenal. Stockhausen looks for the unusual on his instruments. So the musicians came to an artistic consensus that is pure magic for the audience.

Moderation

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