



4. PRINCIPLES OF CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT OF HISTORIC SITES

Dates: 15 – 19 October 2017

Place: ICCROM-ATHAR Regional Conservation Centre in Sharjah, UAE

Course Partners:

- ICCROM, through its ICCROM-ATHAR Regional Conservation Centre in Sharjah, UAE
- Government of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates

Background and Aims

The “Principles of Conservation in the Management of Historic Sites” module of the ICCROM-ATHAR Regional Conservation Centre in Sharjah aims at establishing and developing professional qualifications by building the capacity of conservation professionals in the Arab Region in the field of Cultural Heritage conservation and development with a specific focus on conservation and management of historic cities.

Module Objectives and Expected Results

The module consists of interactive, participatory sessions, both theoretical and practical. Study visits and applied work on sites will complement the work carried out in the classroom. By the end of the module, participants will have:

- understood how to devise cultural heritage significance statements;
- learnt to assess cultural heritage significance, thus understanding and explaining the cultural heritage significance of a place, before making management decisions;
- familiarised themselves with how to identify threats, operational and legal requirements needed in order to anticipate future circumstances required to develop a good site management plan;
- learnt to develop conservation policies and priorities; and,
- develop an action plan.

Module Fees: 600 US Dollars

Application Deadline: 10 August 2017

Please note that any applications received after this deadline will not be considered.