



BRIDGES AGES BULLETIN 1/2020

BRIDGES AGES INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Ordu-Giresun, Turkey

08-10 September (Excursion 11 Sep), 2020

Call For Papers

This is the 16th annual Bridging Ages conference (www.bridgingages.com), coordinated by Bridging Ages in Turkey and GOPERATIF (the Black Sea Ecological and Cultural Heritage Association) (www.goperatif.org) and hosted by Ordu Metropolitan Municipality, Giresun Municipality and Giresun University.

TOPIC

ENGAGEMENT IN ENVIRONMENT AND LOCAL COMMUNITY

The Time Travel Method in Education, Local Community and Tourism

As people with significant cultural heritage, the Turks have lived with many nations in Anatolia and witnessed many civilizations and cultures. Turkey, which blends with its cultural heritage, also wishes to increase its level of development.

In this process, are we able to transform our cultural heritage from the near and distant past helped by an educational method in building a better future? Can the Time Travel method and Applied Heritage work in making ecological heritage sustainable in Anatolia, a place of great biological diversity? Can we develop our cultural heritage with new generations and also in the fields of tourism? And while doing all this, can we contribute to the society we live in and the future of our planet, engaging local people?

Developing Cultural and Ecological Heritage for the Future, with the Time Travel Method

Turkey was first introduced to the Time Travel Method with The TUSENET Project which was carried out by the Union of Municipalities of Turkey (UMT) and the Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions (SALAR). After this project, many Time Travel scenarios were developed and implemented. This method continues to be used in education, tourism and the environment in İzmir/ Manisa and Giresun and contributes to community development in these regions.

Are you curious about these successful implementations and other examples of Time Travels and Applied Heritage around the world? Are you familiar with these methods and are able to share your experiences and show how using the past in today's society benefits our movement into the future?

During the conference, we focus on the Environment and Local Community Development and the engagement of local people

How to use the Time Travel method and Applied Heritage to explore such issues as

- Environment, Water use, Climate, Biodiversity, Life and the many challenges and opportunities for the future.
- Development of Local Communities and Democratic Engagement.
- Education, Learning, Schools and Local Heritage
- Ecological matters, Cultural Heritage and Tourism.

We request papers, panels or workshops that define and analyze the above issues. Both popular and scientific studies and experiences on Applied Heritage and the Time Travel method are welcome.

Write an abstract of your topic of not more than half a page and send to the email address below. In addition, please write a few sentences telling us about yourself.

The organizers will structure the accepted papers in sessions, panels and workshops. A presentation will be not more than 20 minutes.

Please send your abstracts to Hakan Adanir, info@goperatif.org before 15 May 2020. You will be notified within a month if your paper has been accepted.

ENQUIRIES TO:

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Kindly refer to:

www.bridgingages.com Conference information and link to the conference website

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The Time Travel Method

is an educational method, using local heritage in a learning process, to create reflection on contemporary issues, and provide tools for community building.

Goal

The goal is to promote learning, social cohesion and contribute to community building

