



Forever Young: Celebrating 50 Years of the World Heritage Convention (WHC@50)

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In 2022 the World Heritage Convention (WHC) celebrates 50 years. Thanks to its 194 State Parties, the WHC represents a major tool for International (Cultural Heritage) Law, a powerful promotor of cultural identity, and a formidable boost for national economies. WHC@50 aims to retrace how the WHC was conceived, to present its current formulation and application in practice, to illustrate its meaning for the preservation and enhancement of world heritage governance, to analyse its strenghts and weaknesses, and to indicate its needs for reviews and reforms. By combining the insights of jurists, political scientists, historians, architects and economists, WHC@50 embarks on a multi-perspective analysis that will result in a high-quality open access publication. Beyond the original research group, further young scholars have been involved in the WHC@50 activities through a call for papers.

Details

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