Culture 2000 – exercise 2002 2 multi-annual co-operation projects supported in the field of Cultural Heritage

1) Foreigners in the Early Medieval Migration - Integration - Acculturation

Project leader: ROMISCH-GERMANISCHES ZENTRALMUSEUM (RGZM) (DE) Co-organisers: DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY - UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM (UK) -GRONINGER MUSEUM (NL) -INSTITUT FOR FORHISTORISK ARKAEOLOGI VED AARHUS UNIVERSITET (DK) -MUSEE DES ANTIQUITES NATIONALES (FR) -NATIONALE FORSCHUNGSSTIFTUNG, INSTITUT FUR BYZANTINISCHE FORSCHUNG (GR) -STATENS HISTORISKA MUSEUM (SE) -UNIVERSIDAD ALCALA DE HENARES (ES) Associates: ARCHAOLOGISCHES INSTITUT DER UNGARISCHEN AKADEMIE DER WISSENSCHAFTEN (HU) -SLOVENSKA AKADEMIA VIED-ARCHEOLOGICKY (SK)

Description: In the early middle ages an enormous mobility of people took place throughout Europe, ethnic groups were assimilated into native populations and new ethnic groups developed. This project aims to explore this period that was important in the formation of Europe, as we know it. Ten research institutes and museums from 10 European countries have joined forces for this project. The archaeological sources as well as the interpretation shall be registered in a database on the internet.

Objectives: To collect archaeological data from across Europe concerning this period of history and make it available to the public and researchers; to link the past with the present by showing how the past has formed the present, highlighting common cultural heritage and learning lessons.

Dates: 1/05/2002-30/04/2005 Community grant: 822.071,32€

2) Ubi erat Lupa

Project leader: FORSCHUNGSGESELLSCHAFT WIENER STADTARCHAOLOGIE (AT) Co-organisers: ARCHAELOGICKY USTAV SAV (SK) -FOUNDATION FOR RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY, HELLAS (GR) -HISTORICAL MUSEUM OF BUDAPEST (HU) -UNIVERSIDAD DE ALCALA DE HENARES (ES) -UNIVERSITAT VON KOLN (DE) Associates: POKRAINSKI MUSEUM, CELJE (SI) -UNIVERSIDAD COMPLUTENSE DE MADRID (ES) -UNIVERSIDAD DE COIMBRA (IT) -UNIVERSIDAD DE NAVARRA - FACULTAD DE FILOSOFIA Y LETRAS (ES)

Description: Archaeologists and IT experts from many European countries will create an innovative Internet platform which will improve access to the cultural heritage of the Roman era.

Objectives: To interlink archaeological research on the Roman era systematically and transnationally and to exchange expert knowledge; to compare primary sources on a broad scale and gain new insights into the history and the cultural heritage of the Roman era; to save the information from the Roman stones in the form of digital memory and to preserve it according to a uniform standard to be improved by the project; to intensify the co-operation; to make sources available to the public.

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