

Project ALPTER – TERRACED LANDSCAPES OF THE ALPINE ARC
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TERRACED LANDSCAPES: COMPARISON AMONG CULTURES AND EXPERIENCES

Venice, Ca' Tron, February 22-24, 2007

Thursday, February 22

DAY ONE: LANDSCAPES AND INTERPRETATIONS

Session 1: 10.00 – 13.00

Interpretations

Reading terraced landscapes in various disciplines

Chairman: E. Fontanari, IUAV Univ. Of Venice

- **Terraced landscapes between productive specialization and overpopulation: a research for a difficult balance:** G. Scaramellini, University of Milan
- **Terraced landscapes in the Alpine arc: vegetable biodiversity and natural value:** C. Lasen, former President of the Dolomiti Bellunesi National Park
- **Natural hazards in terraced landscapes:** G. Brancucci and G. Pallaga, Univ. of Genoa
- **Terraced areas: technical act and social fact:** A. Hameau, International Society for the Study of Dry Stone
- **Historiographical issues in the interpretation of terraced landscapes:** A. Chemin, IUAV University of Venice

Session 2: 14.30 – 18.00

Landscapes

Case studies of terraced landscapes

Chairman: D. Patassini, IUAV University of Venice

- **Roya Valley (France)**, A. Dagonne, University of Nice
- **Lower Aosta Valley (Italy)**, M. Freppaz, University of Turin
- **Valtellina and Valchiavenna (Lombardy, Italy)**, L. Garbellini, IREALP
- **Bregaglia Valley (Switzerland)**, S. Werder, planner
- **Sant'Ilario di Nervi (Liguria, Italy)**, F. Nervi, University of Genoa
- **Brenta River Valley (Veneto, Italy)**, M. Varotto, University of Padua
- **Goriška Brda (Slovenia)**, L. Azman, University of Ljubljana
- **Ulrichsberg (Austria)**, A. Arnberger, BOKU University of Vienna
- **Lesvos Island (Greece)**, A. Dalaka, University of the Aegean

Friday, February 23

DAY TWO: RECOVERY STRATEGIES

Session 3: 10.00 – 13.00

Geographies and tools

Recovery methodologies and techniques

Chairman: Matelda Reho, IUAV Univ. of Venice

- **Dissertation in memory of Eugenio Turri**, F. Vallerani, G. Moriani, University Ca' Foscari of Venice
- **Terraced sites in Central Tuscany: from past to future**, C. Greppi, University of Siena
- **The Traditional Knowledge World Bank**, P. Laureano, IPOGEA
- **Regional Products in the Alpine Space Programme II**, Anuška Štoka, Joint Technical Secretariat, Interreg III B Alpine Space

Session 4: 14.30 – 18.00

Projects

Examples of recovery interventions on terraced landscapes

Chairman: A. Restucci, IUAV Univ. of Venice

- **The projects realized by the Swiss Foundation for Landscape Conservation**, Raimund Rodewald, Swiss Foundation for Landscape Conservation
- **A productive recovery in the Province of Savona**, A. Lamberti, Arnasco Olive Coop.
- **The conservation of terraced landscapes in Provence**, D. Larcena, Association Pierre Sèche en Vaucluse
- **The protection of dry-stone walls heritage in Mallorca**, A. Reynés, Council of Mallorca

Simultaneous Italian/English translation will be provided throughout the conference; consecutive translation from French to Italian and English will also be provided.

Saturday, February 24

EXCURSION

CHANGING TERRACES: THE TERRACED LANDSCAPE IN THE BRENTA RIVER VALLEY

On the 24th of February an **excursion to** the Veneto's case-study, **the River Brenta Valley**, will take place. The excursion is organized jointly with the valley's local authorities. The detailed programme will be communicated on the first day of the conference. Since the number of places is limited, those interested in taking part are invited to check then their availability. The arrival in Venice is scheduled for 5.30 pm.