

Program

Workshop – “Meteorite ownership and legal issues – Current situation and perspectives”

Saturday, August 21, 2021

Convened by:

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&

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8:30 Opening of the room / Welcoming of the on-site participants

8:40 Starting of the session Zoom

8:45 Welcome & Introductory words (by Brigitte Zanda & Ludovic Ferrière)

8:50 Gretchen Benedix (Curtin University, Perth, Australia) [G.Benedix@curtin.edu.au] – **Legal Issues Pertaining to Meteorites in Australia**

9:00 Beda A. Hofmann (Natural History Museum Bern & Institute of Geological Sciences, University of Bern, Switzerland) [beda.hofmann@geo.unibe.ch] – **Legal aspects of meteorite recovery in Switzerland and in the Sultanate of Oman**

9:15 Chris Herd (University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada) [herd@ualberta.ca] – **Meteorites as Cultural Property: The Canadian Example**

9:25 Alvaro Penteado Crósta (State University of Campinas, Brazil) [crosta@unicamp.br] – **Brazilian Regulation for Meteorites: Ongoing Discussion**

9:35 Silvia Irene Carrasquero (Museo de La Plata, La Plata, Argentina – ICOM Argentina) [scarras@fcnym.unlp.edu.ar] – **Legal Protection of Meteorites in Argentina: Present Situation**

9:45 Millarca Valenzuela Picón (Universidad Católica del Norte, Antofagasta, Chile) [millarca.valenzuela@ucn.cl] – **Chilean Regulations and Laws for Meteorites**

10:00 Nicholas Gessler (Duke University, Durham, USA – Retired) [nick.gessler@duke.edu] – **Stakeholders in the Origin of Ownership: The World Heritage Convention, the Old Woman, and El Ali**

10:15 Slot in search of a speaker – Legal Issues Pertaining to Meteorites in the United States

10:30 Coffee break / Virtual coffee break

10:50 Brigitte Zanda (Muséum national d'Histoire naturelle, France)
[brigitte.zanda@mnhn.fr] – **Meteorite Ownership in France: a Historical Perspective**

11:05 Ludovic Ferrière (Natural History Museum, Vienna, Austria)
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11:20 Hasnaa Chennaoui Aoudjehane (Hassan II University of Casablanca, Morocco)
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11:35 Martin Kappler (<https://karmaka.de>) [karmaka@email.de] – **Ownership, Regulations, and Meteorite Laws: Point of View of Meteorite Collectors and Dealers**

11:50 Worldwide Potpourri (*participants interested are welcome to contribute with a one minute/one ppt. slide presentation; Please contact Ludovic Ferrière until August 16th with suggestions*)

12:05 Open discussion (moderated by Brigitte Zanda & Ludovic Ferrière)

12:25 Concluding remarks

12:30 End of the workshop

Lunch break / Further discussions*

(*while there is no lunch provided by the organizers participants may want to continue their discussions during a joint lunch)