



Preannouncement Heritage Day India, 21 October 2011

Leiden, 8 September 2011

Dear Sir/Madam,

You are cordially invited to the CIE Heritage Day India on the 21st of October. The Heritage Day India is organized in cooperation with Leiden University and the National Archives of the Netherlands (Nationaal Archief) and will take place at the National Archives in The Hague from 12:00 till 17:00hrs. Around 12:00 we invite you to lunch, hereafter the programme starts. More information on the programme will follow soon.

Dutch heritage professionals working with India are brought together to exchange experiences and knowledge on projects and activities in the field of Indian-Dutch mutual cultural heritage.

Professionals working on heritage projects outside India, but with similar themes and expertises are also warmly invited to participate at the Heritage Day India, to exchange knowledge and experiences relevant to the Indian-Dutch heritage field and mutual cultural heritage in general.

Objectives of the Heritage Day India

The aim of the Heritage Day is to improve connections between projects and partners, bring experts together and discuss fundamental issues on heritage activities. For information on previous heritage days please visit our website at www.heritage-activities.nl

The programme consists of different presentations and discussions that give insight in the Indian heritage field, from both theoretical and practical perspectives.

Book launch

We are happy to announce that the Dutch book, written by Bauke van der Pol: 'De VOC in India. Een reis langs Nederlands erfgoed in Gujarat, Malabar, Coromandel en Bengalen' will be launched at this occasion as well. The Cultural Heritage Agency and Walburg Pers made this book possible.

Registration

To register for the Heritage Day India or to receive more information about participation at the Heritage Day please write an email to: erfgoeddag@heritage-activities.nl c/o Heritage Day India. The final programme will be announced within the next month.

Call for Posters

In addition to the presentations and discussions, all completed, running and proposed projects on India can be presented by means of a poster presentation. The CIE strongly invites you to submit information and visual material for your personal project poster, which will be presented during the Heritage Day.

The poster presentation gives you the opportunity to present and visualise your project, which gives other participants an insight into your project

The posters on A2 format will be produced by the organizers of the Heritage Day and are free of charge. If you would like to present a poster, the following information is needed:

- Four photos of your heritage project, preferably 300 dpi (dots per inch)
- A project description in English containing aims, possible results, partners, contact details etc.

Examples of the posters can be seen on:

http://www.culturalheritageconnections.org/wiki/CIE_Heritage_Days

After the Heritage Day the posters will also be made digitally available through the CIE website and the information will be published at our platform: www.culturalheritageconnections.org

The deadline for submitting your poster is 30 September 2011.

Thank you very much in advance for your cooperation. We are looking forward to meet you in The Hague. If you would like to register, have any questions or comments, please contact us at:

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