

## INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON RELIGIOUS TOURISM

Thursday, June 24, 2021

### **PROGRAM** Live streaming at [www.iwrt.pt](http://www.iwrt.pt)

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| 09:00 | <p><b>IWRT Opening Session</b><br/>Father Carlos Cabecinhas, Rector of the Shrine of Fatima<br/>Purificação Reis, President of ACISO's Direction<br/>Pedro Machado, President of the Regional Entity of Tourism of Center of Portugal<br/>Jorge Brandão, Executive Member of Centro 2020<br/>Anabela Freitas, President of the Intermunicipal Community of Médio Tejo<br/>Carlos Monteiro, Mayor of Guarda Municipality<br/>Luis Albuquerque, Mayor of Ourém Municipality</p> |
| 10:00 | <p><b>Guest Destination "Rio de Janeiro"</b><br/>Cláudio Castro, State Governor of Rio de Janeiro<br/>Gustavo Tutuca, State Secretary of Tourism of Rio de Janeiro<br/>Berthaldo Soares, Administrator of the Shrine of Fatima in Rio de Janeiro</p>  |
| 11:00 | <p><b>Fatima: one destiny, different paths</b><br/><b>Walking on Pilgrimage - Routes and Trails</b><br/>Moderator: Alexandre Marto, Vice President of ACISO's Fiscal Council<br/>Teresa Ferreira, Director of the Offer and Resources Dynamization Department, of Turismo de Portugal<br/>Maria Calado, President of the National Center of Culture<br/>Sérgio Francisco, Head of the Cultural Action Division of the Municipality of Ourém</p>                               |
| 11:45 | <p><b>Debate</b></p>  |
| 12:00 | <p><b>The Pilgrim Image of Our Lady of Fatima - History and Impact of Her Pilgrimages</b><br/>João Caldeira Heitor, PhD in Tourism, University Professor and author of the book "A Imagem Peregrina de Nossa Senhora de Fátima"</p>   |
| 12:30 | <p><b>End of the Morning Session</b><br/>Rita Marques, State Secretary of Tourism</p>   |

## Parallel sessions to the One-to-One meetings

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| <b>15:00</b> | <p><b>SEMINAR</b><br/> <b>COVID-19 impacts and challenges on pilgrimage and religious tourism flows</b><br/> <b>Moderator:</b> Graça Poças Santos, Politécnico de Leiria e CICS.NOVA.IPLeiria</p> <p><b>Faith during Pandemic Times: Landscapes of Confinement</b><br/> <b>Cristina Teresa Carballo</b>, Universidad Nacional de Quilmes e Centro de Desarrollo Territorial (Argentina)</p> <p><b>Reinventing Northeastern religious tourism in the Covid-19 pandemic - looks and concerns</b><br/> <b>Christian Dennys Monteiro de Oliveira</b>, Universidade Federal do Ceará</p> <p><b>Repercussions of COVID-19 on religious experiences and practices in Portugal, with implications on pilgrimage and religious tourism: an exploratory study</b><br/> <b>Margarida Franca</b>, Politécnico de Leiria</p> |
| <b>16:15</b> | <b>Debate</b>   |
| <b>17:00</b> | <p><b>Toward an ever greater "we". Called to dream together</b>, by CEPLA - Latin American Ecumenical Pilgrimage Center<br/> <b>Javier Luna Navarre</b>, CEPLA Argentina, Founder and General Coordinator CEPLA<br/> <b>Carlos Boto</b>, CEPLA México, CEPLA Directive Commission</p>   |
| <b>17:15</b> | <p><b>"Shrines of Europe"</b> - Presentation of the network of cooperation among seven cities that host the most important European Marian-inspired sanctuaries<br/> <b>Anna Scherfler</b>, Shrines of Europe Association</p>   |
| <b>17:30</b> | <p><b>Traveling to the future</b>, by REDITUR – Red Internacional de Agencias Especializadas en Turismo Religioso<br/> <b>Afonso Carreira</b>, REDITUR member<br/> <b>Santiago Cano</b>, founder of REDITUR</p>   |
| <b>17:45</b> | <b>End of the Event</b>   |