RE-ENCHANTING TERRACES

13 - 22 MARCH 2019

GRAN CANARIA
13-15 MARCH
RE-ENCHANTING TERRACES.
Conferences and Thematic Sessions

MADEIRA, EL HIERRO, FUERTEVENTURA, LA PALMA
16-18 MARCH
ISLANDS EXPLORATION.
Fieldwork

GRAN CANARIA, LANZAROTE, LA GOMERA y TENERIFE
19-22 MARCH
ACTIONS AND EXPERIENCES IN TERRACED LANDSCAPES.
Exchange sessions and conclusions

LA GOMERA

PROGRAM

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BLOCK I. RE-ENCHANTING TERRACES. Conferences and Thematic Sessions.

Wednesday 13 MARCH 2019
Rectorado de la Universidad de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria – Paraninfo.
C/ Juan de Quesada, 30, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria.

8.30 – 9.00 Accreditations.

9.00 **Official Opening Ceremony.**
Opening of the Exposition “A world of terraces landscapes” and “Isla Bancal”

9.30 **Presentation of the Congress.** Organization/Coordination team.
Marianna Lombardo, Isabel Álvarez, Gislaine Hasse, Rebeca Gutiérrez.

10.00 **Timmi Tillmann & Maruja Salas.**
Anthropologists and researchers from the Agroecology, Water and Resilience Center of the University of Coventry, England. ITLA coordinators.
*A world of terraced territories: Investigation and Participatory Action Research*

10.30 **Juan Manuel Palerm.**
Architect. Full Professor of Architecture Design at the University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria (ULPGC). Director of the Canary Islands Landscape Observatory. Director of the IV ITLA Congress.
*Terraced Landscapes: Living, Cultivate and Project*

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 **Antonio Manuel Macías Hernández.**
Full Professor at the University of La Laguna (ULL). Department of History and Economic Institutions.
*The role of the terraces in the economic history of the Canary Islands*

12.10 **Sabina Asins-Vellis.**
Official of the Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC) and Phd. Associate Professor of the Department of Geography of the Universitat de València.
*Landscapes of agricultural terraces in Spain: synergy between their scientific study and political management*

12.50 **Luigi Latini.**
Architect and Landscape Designer. Professor of Landscape Architecture at the IUAV University of Venice.
*Senza pietra. Landscapes of central Tuscany in the gaze of a landscape painter*

13.30 – 14.30 Lunch Break

14.30 **Jennifer Mesco Pumayalli.**
*Living and produce in the terraced systems in Cusco*

15.00 **Isabel Aguirre de Urcola.**
Architect Director of the Escuela Gallega del Paisaje of the Juan De Vega Foundation.
*The landscape of the Ribeira Sacra: rivers, monasteries and vine*

15.40 **Antonio Perdomo Molina.**
Geographer and Agricultural Technical Engineer. Professor of the ULL.
*Recovering terraces: landscape taxidermists or revitalizers of its productive function? Recovering terraces: landscape gardeners or new farmers? Towards the conservation of its functionality*

16.20 **Enric Batlle.**
Batlle and Roig Architects. PhD in Architecture and Landscape Design from the Polytechnic University of Catalonia (UPC) and Director of the Master’s degree in Landscape Design at the UPC.
*Cultivate Landscapes*
Thursday 14.MARCH.2019 - MORNING
Rectorado de la Universidad de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria – Paraninfo.
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- TERRACED LANDSCAPES HERITAGE
Moderator of the Session: Miguel Ángel Fernández Matrán – President of the Cicop Foundation (International Center for the Conservation of Heritage).

9.00 Mechtild Rossler – Director of the UNESCO Heritage Center.

9.10 Mauro Agnoletti.
Associate Professor at the University of Florence. President of the Landscape Observatory of the Tuscany Region “Agricultural Heritage Systems”

9.50 Francisco Aznar Vallejo y José Luis Rivero Ceballos.
Full Professor of the ULL. Faculty of Fine Arts.
Full Professor of Applied Economics of the ULL.
“Insular Heritage”

10.30 Fernando Castro Borrego.
Full Professor of History of Art at the ULL.
“Terraced Landscapes and midlands”

11.00 – 11.25 Coffee Break

11.25 Felipe Monzon, José Juan Cano y Alberto de Armas.
Phd. Professor of the ULL in the area of graphic and architectural expression.
Phd. in Geography by the ULL.
Technician of the Area of Sustainability, Environment and Security of the Cabildo Insular de Tenerife “Terraced Landscapes in the Canary Islands historic roads”

12.05 Lidia Romero.
Geographer and PhD, Professor in Geography at the ULPGC. “The II Ediction of insular heritage route of Sabios Guías Interpretes”
Video projection by wise guides and island routes

12.40 with José Yeray Rodríguez Quintana.
Phd. in Philosophy. Professor of the ULPGC.
Read and recite: Bit and dry stone walls: effort and metaphor

- PRESENTATION OF THE ISLAND EXPLORATION.

13.00 Organization of the fieldwork groups

13.30 – 14.30 Lunch Break
Thursday 14 MARCH 2019 – AFTERNOON
Rectorado de la Universidad de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria – Aula de Piedra and 26 de Abril
C/ Juan de Quesada, 30. Las Palmas de Gran Canaria.

14.30 – 18.30 THEMATIC SESSIONS. PARALLELS

WORKING (Aula de Piedra)

Bas Pedrolí, Moderator
Terraced Landscapes-labour of Invaluable common value creation
Jaime Izquierdo Vallina
Terraced country: from the landscape of the need towards the need of the landscape

Fabio Zottele and Álvaro González Santana.
Papers: “Faraway, So Close!”: The lands capital proof-of-concept applied to the terraced landscapes of the Canary Islands and of the Alps.

Beatrice Agulli
Papers: Cultivating the terraces at the foot of Mont Blanc. The “heroic viticulture” of Morgex.

Inca platforms: structural study of the adherent material (Peru).

Andrea Scotti.
Papers: The Dolcina Project - Promontory of Portofino Terraced Landscape; An Open-air Lab/School of Dry-stone/Rural Heritage and Sustainable Agriculture.

Theodora Petanidou.
Papers: The project LIFE TERRACESCAPE: Employing land stewardship to transform terraced landscapes into green infrastructures to better adapt to climate change.

Evelyn Alonso Rohner and José Antonio Sosa Díaz-Saavedra.
Papers: Paisajes Re-antropizados.

LEARNING (Aula 26 de Abril)

Ángela Ruiz Martinez, Moderator
Beyond the tradition.

Donatella Murtas.
Imagine, explore. The national award on children’s literature ‘the giant of the langhe’, Cortemilia, Alta Langa, Italy.

Alessandro Sardella y Alessandra Bonazza.

Héctor García Sánchez.
Papers: Between terraced landscapes of water and salt. Salines of Arña and Salines of Maras.

Thierry Ruf.

Carlos Bragança dos Santos y Maria Luisa Gomez Moreno.
Papers: “The terraces of the extreme southwest of the northern mediterranean coast as an element of the landscape of the urban coastal regions.

Karina Liechti and Raimund Rodewald.
Papers: Basic conditions for long-term conservation of terraced landscapes.

Goran Andlar and Tanja Kremenić.
Papers: “Self-sustaining agro-pastoral terraced system of the olive groves of the town of Cres - a good practice example.

Alberto Cosner and Giorgio Tecilla.
Viernes 15 MARZO 2019 - MORNING
Rectorado de la Universidad de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria - Aula de Piedra and 26 de Abril.
C/ Juan de Quesada, 30. Las Palmas de Gran Canaria.

9.30 – 13.30 THEMATIC SESSIONS. PARALLELS

LIVING (Aula de Piedra)

Philippe Zourgane, Moderator
Vegetation as a political agent
Augusto Pérez Alberti,
A terraced landscapes: La Ribera Sacra (Galicia, Spain)

Ricardo J. Santana Rodríguez and Eva Llorca Afonso.
Papers: The terraces in the cultural landscape of Barranco Honda de Gáldar, in Gran Canaria: attributes that characterize its patrimonial character.

Paulo Filipe Freitas Rodrigues.
Papers: Forty years of EU subsidies. Is Madeira island terraced landscape and its agricultural green prepared for the future?

Mahdane Mhamed and Thierry Ruf.
Papers: Tiout, a Moroccan oasis of transition between the Anti-Atlas Mountain and the plain of Souss.

Antonia Gravagnuolo and Mauro Varotto.
Papers: Living Stones: conservation and reuse of terraced landscapes as expression of the circular economy model.

Yuji Ueno
Papers: Rice Terraces and The Scarecrows “Hirei Scarecrow Project”.

Juan Antonio González Pérez
Papers: Terraced architecture - Logic of the territory.

WISDOM (Aula 26 de Abril)

Lidia Esther Romero Martín, Moderator
The paths towards the memory of the canary terraces: nostalgia or opportunity?

Gioconda De Pasquale.
Architectural thoughts for terraced landscapes.

Famara Guadalupe Aparicio y Francisco Fabelo Marrer.

Papers: The construction of a terraced agricultural landscape: the colony of the “Sierra de Salinas” (Villena, Alicante, Spain).

Gonzalo Jiménez García, Luis Bautista-Harris y Néstor Marrero-Rodríguez.
Papers: Regeneration of soils from the use of waste on the terraces of the "El Pambaso" farm (Gran Canaria, Spain).

Marco Cillis y Graziella Pavia.
Papers: Re-discover the social function of a terraced landscape Keywords for the forthcoming plan of Pantelleria Island National Park.

Simonetta Mazzarino, Giancarlo Bagnod, Gianmarco Chenal, Alessandro Corsi y Marilisa Letey.
Papers: The “Pergola Valdostana” and heroic viticulture in Aosta Valley (Italy): a case study on a traditional wine-growing system on terraced landscapes.

Manuel Feo.
Papers: In how much space can you exist at the same time?

Nelva León de los Santos, Sócrates Becerra Castillo and Pamela Salazar.
Papers: Sustainability and food biodiversity of the Terrace systems in Cabanaconde (Colca) and in Alca (Cotahuasi), Arequipa, Peru.

13.30 – 14.30 Lunch Break
Friday 15 MARZO 2019 - AFTERNOON
Rectorado de la Universidad de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria – Paraninfo.
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- PRESENTATION OF THE CONCLUSION OF ITLA WORLD CONGRESSES
   CHINA 2010 / PERÚ 2014 / ITALIA 2016

14.30  I Terraced Landscapes World Congress Mengzi, China 2010.
       Jiao Yuanmei in representation of Shi Junchao.

15.00  II Terraced Landscapes World Congress Cusco, Perú 2014.
       Mourik Bueno de Mesquita and Jennifer Mesco Pumayalli.

15.30  III Terraced Landscapes World Congress Venice and Padua, Italy 2016.
       Mauro Varotto, Donatella Murtas and Enrico Fontanari.

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee Break

- PRESENTATION OF THE ISLAND EXPLORATION.

16.30  Criteria, Contents and Methodology for the Itineraries.
       Cartography for the Canary Islands terraced territories, GRAFCAN.
       Juan Manuel Poveda.
       Director of Grafcan. Cartography of the Canary Islands.
       “The importance of geographic information for the evolutionary analysis of the territory.”

       Preparation of the fieldwork groups.

18.00 – 19.30 Meeting of the fieldwork group.
**BLOCK II. ISLANDS EXPLORATION INTO THE TERRACES.** Fieldwork.

Saturday **16. MARCH 2019**  
Sunday **17. MARCH 2019**  
Monday **18. MARCH 2019**

MACARONESIA ISLANDS El Hierro, Fuerteventura, Gran Canaria, Lanzarote, La Gomera, La Palma, Tenerife y Madeira.

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**ISLAND EXPLORATION DAYS**

Gran Canaria, La Gomera, Tenerife, El Hierro, Fuerteventura, La Palma, Lanzarote, Madeira, Cabo Verde y Azores.

At the beginning of the Island Explorations on the fourth day of the Congress (March 16), the participants will travel to the eight working islands: El Hierro, Fuerteventura, Gran Canaria, La Gomera, Lanzarote, La Palma, Tenerife and Madeira where they will be provided with the materials and information necessary to start their fieldwork.

Over the three days of fieldwork (March 16, 17 and 18) the different teams on each island will listen to and act on the opinions of the different actors involved in the terrace systems (local administration, technicians, farmers, builders, peasant farmers, cooperative members...). Each of them will explain, based on their wisdom/knowledge and practices, the arguments they consider necessary to regenerate the conditions to value these territories and Re-enchant the terraces.

Each team will organize their time and itinerary that allows, in addition to visiting the different terraced places and areas, conclusions to be drawn from the debates and opinions expressed by the participants in the itineraries.

The results of the fieldwork of the Island Explorations will be presented by each of the groups during the plenary sessions of the Congress in La Gomera on the 19, 20, 21 and 22 of March where they will join the groups from the Azores and Cape Verde Islands.
**BLOCK III. ACTIONS AND EXPERIENCES IN TERRACED LANDSCAPES.** Exchange sessions and conclusions.

**Tuesday 19 MARZO 2019 - MORNING**
Cabildo Insular de La Gomera  
C/ Profesor Armas Fernández, 2 38800 San Sebastián de La Gomera

11.00 Opening of the Exposition *“A world of terraces landscapes”*.  
Expo Hall of the Cabildo Insular de La Gomera.

12.00 Opening ceremony and Presentation of the Plenary Sessions.  
Main Hall of the Cabildo Insular de La Gomera.

**Tuesday 19 MARZO 2019 - EVENING**
MOVE to Centro de Visitantes de San Sebastián de La Gomera  
Avenida de los Descubridores, San Sebastián de La Gomera

13.00 Opening and presentation of the Exposition *“Re-enchanting terraces”*.  
14.00 – 15.00 Lunch Break

- **ISLANDS TERRACED LANDSCAPES – La Gomera**

15.00 Presentation: Terraced Landscapes in La Gomera.

15.10 **Víctor Onesimo Martín Martín.**  
Geographer, Full professor at the ULL. Researcher, specialist in Agrarian Geography.  
*“Some singularities of the La Gomera Terrace Landscapes”*

15.50 **Oliver Hernández Pérez, Eduardo Martinez Diaz, Ágora Perdigón Alvarado, Jorge Cebrián Ramos y Esther Rodríguez Medina.** GESPLAN  
*“Management of terraced territories” (Experimental Case LA GOMERA)*.

16.20 – 16.4 Coffee Break

- **TERRACED LANDSCAPES – Other latitudes and continents**

16.40 **Grupo Aranea: Francisco Leiva Ivorra and Marta Garcia Chico.**  
**SPAIN** - *“From the PH – Living Landscapes to a new terraced movement”*

17.10 **Carlos Quintans.**  
**Galicia, SPAIN** - *“La Rivera Sacra”*

17.40 **Giorgio Tecilla y Margherita Valcanover.**  
**Trento, ITALY** - *“The terraced landscape of Trento Region”*

18.10 **Thierry Ruf y Mahadane Mhamed.**  
**MAROCO** - *“Terraces and climate changes in Morocco”*

18.40 **Emmanuel Ndorimana.**  
**BURUNDI** - *“Restoration project. Resilience in terraced landscapes in Burundi”*
Wednesday 20. MARCH 2019
Centro de Visitantes de San Sebastián de La Gomera.
Avenida de los Descubridores, San Sebastián de La Gomera.

- PRESENTATION OF THE FIELDWORK ITINERARIES (ISLAND EXPLORATION)

9.00  Presentation of the fieldwork of the Gran Canaria and La Gomera groups.
11.00 – 11.30  Coffee Break

11.30  Presentation of the fieldwork of the Tenerife, El Hierro and Fuerteventura group.

14.00 – 15.00  Lunch Break
15.00  SGI Route Performance conducted by Valle Hermoso Public School
“A la Mar fui por Bancales”.

15.30  Presentation of the fieldwork of the La Palma, Lanzarote, Madeira, Cabo Verde y Azores.

17.30 – 18.00  Coffee Break
18.00  Preparation to the discussing and exchange of experiences of Thursday 21st.

Thursday 21. MARCH 2019
Centro de Visitantes de San Sebastián de La Gomera
Avenida de los Descubridores, San Sebastián de La Gomera

- DISCUSSING AND EXCHANGE OF EXPERIENCES

9.00  Round table about Thematics Lines Living, Wisdom, Labour, Learning and about Islands Exploration

Lucija Azman Momirski. Architect. Professor at the University of Ljubljana (Slovenia).
Tessa Matteini. Ph.D. Architect, Landscape Professor at the University of Florence. Director of UNISCAPE.
Michel Pimbert. Professor. Director Ejecutivo, Centro de Agroecología, Agua y Resiliencia. Universidad de Coventry.
Antonio Perdomo Molina. Geographer and Agricultural Technical Engineer. Professor of the ULL.
Miguel Ángel Fernández Matrán. President of the Cicop Foundation (International Center for the Conservation of Heritage).

11.30 – 12.00  Coffee Break
12.00  Exchange Experiences Workshop.

14.00 – 15.00  Lunch Break
15.00  Discussing the Conclusions of the Congress IV ITLA World Congress 2019.
Preparation of LA GOMERA DECLARATION.

16.30  ITLA Asamble.
Election of the candidature for the V ITLA World Congress.
Friday **22.MARCH.2019**

Centro de Visitantes de San Sebastián de La Gomera.  
Avenida de los Descubridores, San Sebastián de La Gomera.

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10:00  Handicraft and food exhibition (local products market).  
Exhibitions and musical performances.  
Gastronomic events and wine pairing.

11:30 - 13:00

**PUBLIC PRESENTATION OF THE CONCLUSIONS:**  
**LA GOMERA DECLARATION.**  
**CLOSURE OF THE CONGRESS.**

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Saturday **23.MARCH.2019**

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09.00-18.00

**EXCURSION AT LA GOMERA, Biosphere Reserve.**  
Excursion at the *Bosque de El Cedro*, into the Garajonay National Park.  World Heritage Site UNESCO and through terraces of La Gomera Islands also to the Abrante viewpoint.
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