



CANCELATION OF THE WORLD CULTURAL HERITAGE YOUTH SYMPOSIUM 2020 NEW DATES FOR THE SYMPOSIUM 2021

With the deepest regret and in accordance of the instructions of the World Health Organization, the Organizing Committee of the World Cultural Heritage Youth Symposium has decided to cancel the Symposium 2020. Like many other events already canceled, the Committee had to take this responsible decision as a precaution to the spread of the COVID 19 virus in Greece and worldwide.

The Committee apologizes for the inconvenience and inevitable disappointment caused by this first cancellation in the history of the World Cultural Heritage Youth Symposium and is really sad about not being able to welcome teachers and students from 18 countries in Greece. However, the protection of the students health comes first and must be of top priority for all of us.

The Committee will also set the dates for the Symposium 2021 by the 10th March 2020 to make it easier for delegations to change the air tickets bought for the Symposium 2020 instead of canceling them. The Symposium 2021 will take place in Athens since the International Olympic Academy in Olympia will be closed at this time due to the renovation of the facilities. During the Symposium the delegations will have the chance to visit Acropolis, the Acropolis Museum and other historical sites. The agenda of the Symposium 2021 will be the same as it was for the Symposium 2020 so that the work done by the students will not be in vain. The new dates and the program of the Symposium will be uploaded on the official site www.olympiayouthsymposium.com by the 10th March 2020.

We would like to thank all delegations for their cooperation during the preparation of the Symposium and especially in the last days and we hope to see them in Athens in April 2021.