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Call for Applications

ARCHAEODIGIT – Training Programme

"Innovative Skills for the Management and Valorisation of Archaeological Heritage"

“ARCHAEODIGIT – Archaeological Digital Paths for an Inclusive and Sustainable Tourism”

(Interreg VI-A Italy – Croatia 2021–2027 – Project ITHR0200056)

ORGANISER

The training programme is organised by the Juraj Dobrila University of Pula in cooperation with the Municipality of Omišalj, within the framework of project activity 2.2 Joint Training Courses and Transnational Placements of the ARCHAEODIGIT project – Archaeological Digital Paths for an Inclusive and Sustainable Tourism, co-financed by the Interreg Italy – Croatia 2021–2027 programme (Interreg VI-A).

Address: Municipality of Omišalj, Prikešte 13, 51513 Omišalj, Croatia

PROGRAMME OBJECTIVES

The objective of the training programme is to equip new professionals with the skills to develop innovations in cultural and tourism services, through the integration of tangible and intangible archaeological heritage with digital technologies and sustainable practices.

During the 60-hour programme, participants will acquire skills in planning and managing archaeological parks and sites, preparing and implementing projects funded by EU and national sources, creating digital solutions, developing inclusive communication and storytelling strategies, and integrating cultural heritage into sustainable tourism itineraries.



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PROGRAMME CONTENT

The training programme will run for a total of 60 hours and will consist of three modules, each lasting 20 hours, taking place from 4th to 6th December 2025 and from 11th to 13th December 2025.

1. **Storytelling and Digital Technologies (ICT) in the Valorisation of Archaeological Heritage** (20 hours)
2. **Planning and Management of Archaeological Parks and Sites** (20 hours)
3. **Financing Projects in Culture and Tourism from EU Funds and National Sources** (20 hours)

A detailed schedule of the training programme will be provided to participants.

TARGET GROUPS AND REQUIREMENTS

Applications are open to:

- Young school leavers and recent graduates;
- University students in relevant disciplines (humanities, tourism, economics, technology);
- Cultural and tourism operators from the public and private sector, whether employed or unemployed;
- Other motivated individuals wishing to acquire skills in heritage enhancement and sustainable tourism.

Participation in the training programme is free of charge for the participants.

APPLICATION DEADLINE AND PROCEDURE

Applications must be submitted via the Google Form at the following link: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfmNqfMrQqh9fosHBjrIBVNfrSI279kqgR4Knf8vJJeSoh5pA/viewform?usp=header> or by submitting a signed application form in person to:



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Municipality of Omišalj, Prikešte 13, 51513 Omišalj, s naznakom „Za projekt ARCHAEO DIGIT“.

The application form must be signed by the participant by hand.

By submitting the Google Form or delivering the signed form in person, the application is considered official. Statements are made under personal material and criminal responsibility.

Application deadline: 17th November, 2025, 12:00 o'clock

SELECTION CRITERIA AND PROCEDURE

The training programme will accommodate 15 participants, selected on a first-come, first-served basis, provided that applications are complete. If the number of applications exceeds the limit, the organiser reserves the right to include additional participants.

The programme will take place only if at least 8 participants are registered.

Results will be published anonymously on the official website of the Municipality of Omišalj: <https://omisalj.hr/obavijesti>

CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

Participants attending at least 80% of the scheduled programme hours will receive a certificate of participation.

TRANSNATIONAL PRACTICE

The teaching team will select 5 top participants based on the quality of their final work.

After completing the programme in Croatia, selected participants will have the opportunity to take part in a 3-week transnational placement (spring 2026) at cultural and tourism institutions in Italy. Participation is free of charge. Travel and accommodation costs will be covered, and participants will receive a daily allowance for meals.



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Language requirement: proficiency in English or Italian at a minimum B1 level, both spoken and written.

VENUE

The training programme will take place at: Municipality of Omišalj, Prikešte 13, 51513 Omišalj, Croatia

INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

- Municipality of Omišalj – Natalija Dašek Strčić – natalija.dasek@omisalj.hr

Project website: <https://www.italy-croatia.eu/web/archaeodigit>

Attachment:

- Application Form