



Home Assignment

Dear participant,

Before applying to the workshop you could have read the following in the workshop announcement: *The workshop is an intensive program combining both theory and practice, through lectures, case studies and practical exercises. High level interaction is encouraged in the workshop with participants playing an important part.*

This means that we feel the workshop is dissemination of expertise back and forth: from teacher to participant and vice versa. Now that you have been accepted, I would like to clarify your contribution to this workshop. Since sharing experience and learning from each other is a very important part of the climate workshop we would like you to prepare a **short paper** on the theme of indoor climate in your daily situation. Ideally you analyse an indoor climate related challenge or a dilemma that you are or have been confronted with in your work.

Here are some questions that might help in structuring your paper.

What is the collection or object (material aspects, seize of collection, etc) that is affected by the indoor climate?

Who is involved / affected by the decision that will have to be made?

What is the location of the heritage institute (country, city, near coast etc)?

Do you have any knowledge of the typical temperatures and / or relative humidity indoors and outdoors throughout the year?

What is the building characteristic (open, close, brick, wood, climatized etc)?

Is the climate affecting the collection? What happens?

During the workshop time will be allocated so that you can apply the theory of the workshop to your paper. We hope that at the end of the workshop you will have a paper on a climate challenge in your heritage institute that you can present to your colleagues.

If possible take photographs with you. This will greatly help in discussions with the teachers and your fellow participants of the workshop.

Yours,

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