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Acoustical Heritage: Characteristics and Preservation

Message from the Guest Editors

The development of interactive tools aimed to involve visitors as "soundwalkers" of virtual reconstructions related to archaeological sites and places of historicalcultural and architectural interest, can open new research perspectives on the relationship between sound and multisensory interaction. This Special Issue will focus on how the immersive multisensory experience -taking in consideration in particular the interaction between sight and hearing in virtual reconstructions - can provide a deeper knowledge of cultural identities and spaces where sound—as a set of music, voices, ambient sounds and noises-was produced and perceived. Furthermore, by encouraging the investigation on "sonic heritage", this Special Issue aims to contextualize and enhance the study on anthropophony, geophony and biophony in the past and in the present, and on "digital audible history" in order to consider them as cultural heritage to be known, preserved and disseminated.

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