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### **Participants of the Cultural heritage Forum visit Ulpiana archaeological camp of inter-ethnic youth**

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The fifth meeting of the Forum for Technical Information Exchange on Cultural Heritage took place today in a form of a field visit to the archaeological camp of Inter-Ethnic Youth on the site of Ulpiana at the occasion of the closure of its 2009 edition.

The participants visited the site and took stock of the results of this year's excavation & preservation activities conducted by the students and the archaeological teams of both the Museum of Kosovo and German Institutes of Archaeology. The results of the activities continue to remain very important for the establishment of satellite records data of the site of Ulpiana in view of future research to be undertaken by the Museum.

Through this visit, the participants could follow-up on the discussions of the last session dedicated to Cultural Heritage and Education in visiting a project that concretely contributes to both preservation and promotion of the archeological heritage present in Kosovo as well as facilitating educational initiatives in a multi-ethnic context.

Excavation activities of the Ulpiana Archaeological Inter-ethnic Youth Camp are organised by the Museum of Kosovo and are bringing together young people of different ethnicities to discover Kosovo's rich historic past. The first camp was organised in 2004. The site of Ulpiana is considered to be a major settlement of the Roman and pre-Byzantine period, dating between the first and the sixth centuries, and is located ten kilometers away from Pristina.

Click [here](#) to see the press release with background information from the inaugural meeting of the Forum, which was held in Pristina on 28 January 2009.

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