

SHORT CV Eric C.B. Cauchi

Thematic Area: TA2
Key areas of Expertise in Digital Heritage:

Technological applications for expanding the 'socialisation' of cultural heritage.



Whilst my academic background is related to the Natural Sciences (Chemistry and Geoscience), I have always been attracted to - and inspired by - both archaeology and cultural heritage. I have studied and travelled a lot with these key interests in mind, and have also been involved in authoring work that has appeared in archaeological magazines.

I also have a related background as a tour operator and can thus approach cultural heritage from the users' as well as the disseminators' perspective.

As part of the ICCS 'PLUGGY' team, I am mainly involved as a consultant and advisor.

PLUGGY is the Pluggable Social Platform for Heritage Awareness and Participation, which aims at addressing the need of society to be actively involved in cultural heritage activities, not only as an observer, but also as a maintainer, creator and a major influencing factor.

