

**International Scientific Symposium**  
Slovene Ethnographic Museum  
Wednesday, 26 October 2011

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**ORINOCO**  
Indians, missions, forest, disappearance  
Indians of the Amazon rainforest



**Indigenous Cultures as a Reminder of  
Environmental Protection and Heritage  
Conservation in Contemporary Society**

**INVITATION**

**SLOVENSKI ETNOGRAFSKI MUZEJ**

On the occasion of the exhibition

## **ORINOCO, Indians of the Amazon Rainforest**

the Slovene Ethnographic Museum cordially invites you  
to the scientific symposium

### **Indigenous Cultures as a reminder of environmental protection and heritage conservation in contemporary society**

on Wednesday, 26 October 2011, 9.00 - 18.00  
at the Slovene Ethnographic Museum, Metelkova 2, Ljubljana.

## **Symposium Programme** **Wednesday, 26 October**

- 9.00 - 10.00** A walk through the ORINOCO exhibition with speakers and participants, guided by *Dr. Inge Schjellerup, Denmark*
- 10.00 - 10.15** Coffee
- 10.15 - 11.00** **Myths of the Amazon Indians**  
*Dr. Inge Rigmor Schjellerup, Denmark*
- 11.00 - 11.45** **Whose is the land? The ILO Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention No. 169**  
*Dr. M. Mojca Terčelj, Slovenia*
- 11.45 - 12.30** **The Greening of the Red Man. "Indians," Native Americans, and Nature**  
*Dr. Christian F. Feest, Austria*
- 12.30 - 13.15** **Discussion**  
Moderators: *Dr. M. Mojca Terčelj in Dr. Marko Frelj*

- 13.15 - 14.00** Lunch break
- 14.00 - 14.45** **(Im)balance between nature and culture: the example of the Maya**  
*Dr. Ivan Šprajc, Slovenia*
- 14.45 - 15.30** **Tropical forest – scene of the crime? Is it possible to live in the forest and live on it without destroying it?**  
*Dr. Niko Torelli, Slovenia*
- 15.30 - 15.45** Coffee
- 15.45 - 16.30** **What is the Message of the International Year of Forests?**  
*Iztok Geister, Slovenia*
- 16.30 - 17.00** **Interpretations of the exhibition ORINOCO: Stories of Wood Presentation of the student project ,Academy of Design**  
*Dr. Jasna Kralj Pavlovec and Dr. Jasna Horvatin, Slovenia*
- 17.00 - 18.00** Discussion

Lectures will be held in Slovene and in English language.

#### **Confirmation and registration:**

Application deadline: **24 October 2011**

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