Museum visitors have questions. Museums are challenged to answer them. This consideration led us to the concept “Delphi – house of questions” that has been accepted and sponsored by the EU within the framework of “Culture 2000” (General Directory of Education and Culture, Agreement 2003-179/001-001 LT 016). The open-air museums Archaeological Park Archeon (Netherlands), Araiši Lake Fortress (Latvia) and Phalbaumuseum Unteruhldingen (Germany) each created a “house of questions” with answers as well as “time trails” that inform about the local history.

Additionally, more than 25 European partner museums of a Europe-wide network of archaeological open-air museums give answers to further questions in the internet in more than a dozen languages.

In the Lake-dwelling Museum, the “house of questions” in the new Bronze Age village answers your most important questions. “How old did people get?”, “How did they ram the piles into the earth?”, “Did animals live inside the houses?”, “Were the houses really so high, and why?” “Did people already have door locks?”, “Why did they build into the water?”

You will find the answers in a especially fitted out room that tries to give explanations with the help of illustrations and installations. Search for hints yourself and ask for example our museum guides when the 50 questions displayed in the museum don’t involve your question.

If you are also interested in the most important questions in Europe, we recommend you our international website: www.delphi.exarc.net
The "TIME TRAIL OF UHLDINGEN" gives you information about our region's history. It was created to call attention to what is hidden in the landscape. Many questions concerning the past can't simply be answered by history books alone, the web and the museum but also by walking through the landscape with eyes wide open. As a hiker you will also obtain answers outside of the museum if you follow the history trail through Unteruhldingen. The time-travel presents events that happened 10,000, 5,000 or 100 years ago in "time-islands" and on commentary signboards.

You will find answers to the questions: "How did people counteract the flood a 100 years ago?", "How did the landscape look like during the Stone Age?", "What kind of building was situated here?" or "What sort of trails did people use in the Bronze Age 3,000 years ago?".

Texts and illustrations on signboards as well as 1:1-reconstructions will guide you into the past and illuminate what happened in exactly the place where you are standing right now a long time ago. Take your time and find out more about the last millennia of the Lake Constance area.

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