

**The Concept of Community in 2003 UNESCO Convention for
the Safeguarding of Intangible Cultural Heritage and
the Documents Concerning It**

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(Summary)

The article analyses the UNESCO 2003 Convention for the Safeguarding of Intangible Cultural Heritage and the basic documents related to it with a view of analyzing of the content of the notion of community within these documents. The author finds the lack of a stable definition of community and at the same time outlines its basic characteristics as they are present in the mentioned above documents.

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