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Engaging Conservation



Communities &
capacity building
in conservation
practice

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME



UNIVERSITY of York
Department of Archaeology



COMMUNITIES and PLACE

Huntingdon Room

Time slot

Lecture Theatre K/133

Registration & teas/coffees

12.00 - 13.30

13.30 - 13.50

**Welcome & Introduction**

Dr Gill Chitty, Director, Centre for Conservation Studies;
and Dr John Schofield, Head of Department,
Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK

KEYNOTE Chair: Gill Chitty

13.50 - 14.30

Communities and Place

Professor Jukka Jokilehto,
Visiting Professor, University of York, UK

APPROACHES Chair: Gill Chitty

**Community involvement in cultural mapping
and safeguarding of intangible cultural heritage**
Nerupama Modwel, Director of Intangible Heritage,
INTACH, India

14.30 - 15.00

**Decision-making in a post-crash world:
ontological security revisited**

Dr Jane Grenville, Deputy-Vice-Chancellor,
University of York, UK

15.00 - 15.30

Tea/coffee break

15.30 - 16.15

**Fengshui and the conservation of cultural heritage in
Taiwan**

Dr Bor-Sheunn Chiou, Associate Professor,
Institute of Architecture and Cultural Heritage,
Taipei University, Taiwan

16.15 - 16.45

**Everyone loves a good story:
narrative and public participation in conservation**
Nigel Walter, Archangel Architects, Cambridge, UK

16.45 - 17.15

**Collaboration between communities
and conservation professionals**

Dr Kate Giles, Department of Archaeology,
University of York, UK

17.15 - 17.45

CASE STUDIES Chair: Steve Hartley

**The language changes but the practice stays the same:
can community conservation be different?**

Dr Keith Emerick, Research Associate,
University of York, UK

and

The Queen's Mill project, Castleford, West Yorkshire
Alison Drake, Castleford Heritage Trust, UK

The devil is in the detail:

building conservation skills at the Borrowbeck Store
Sophie Norton, Regional Heritage Skills Coordinator,
Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK

York Castle area:**a study in community involvement**

Peter Brown, Chief Executive, York Civic Trust, UK

**Heritage conservation: the forgotten agenda
in Victorian terraced communities**

Joanne Harrison, Department of Archaeology,
University of York, UK

17.45 - 18.30

Questions and discussion



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APPROACHES Chair: Nigel Walter		CASE STUDIES Chair: Keith Emerick
Maintaining treasures on earth: supporting volunteers to care for places of worship Henry Russell & Phillip Leverton, College of Estate Management, Reading, UK	09.30 – 10.00	Conserving community housing: case study of Garib Zarthostiiona Rehethan Fund properties Vikas Dilawari, Architect, India
Berlin historic gas lighting: contemporary relevance and community involvement in advocating its survival Dr Peter Burman, Arts & Heritage Consultant, UK	10.00 – 10.30	Community empowerment as the basis of heritage conservation: the experience of Beitou borough in Taipei City, Taiwan Wentsung Den, Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK
Tea/coffee break	10.30 – 11.15	
Linking people and heritage: lessons from community engagement initiatives Krupa Rajangam, Saythu Conservation Practice and Vishweshwaraiah Technological University, India	11.15 – 11.45	Reconnecting the Dunston Staithes to its community Craig Wilson, University of Northumbria; and Martin Hulse, Director, Tyne and Wear Building Preservation Trust, UK
Community involvement matters in conserving World Heritage Sites: urban and remote cases of Japan Aya Miyazaki, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, The University of Tokyo, Japan	11.45 – 12.15	Community restoration of a Nyingma-pa Buddhist monastery in the village of Langtang in the Nepalese Himalayas: a window on local attitudes to conservation, heritage, and their management Dr Hayley Saul, Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK
	12.15 – 12.45	Questions and discussion
Lunch break	12.45 – 14.00	

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		KEYNOTE Chair: Jane Grenville
	14.00 – 14.45	A people-centred approach: improving engagement and conservation and management capacities for cultural heritage Sarah Court, Jane Thompson and Gamini Wijesuriya, ICCROM, Rome
	14.45 – 15.15	A perfect partnership: building capacity for planning and local participation Sean O'Reilly, Institute for Historic Building Conservation, UK
	15.15 – 15.45	
Tea/coffee break		
SKILLS Chair: Rob Lennox		VOLUNTEERING Chair: Jane Grenville
The heritage agenda and healthy societies Dr Cath Neal, Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK	15.45 – 16.15	Developing evaluation strategies for engagement projects in conservation Danai Koutromanou, Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK
York: living with history – how should decisions about heritage be made? Dr Helen Graham, School of Fine Art, History of Art and Cultural Studies, University of Leeds, UK; Paul Furness, York's Alternative History Group; Richard Brigham and Lianne Brigham, York Past and Present Facebook Group	16.15 – 16.45	Knole unwrapped: exploring group volunteer participation in preventative conservation Emily Watts, National Trust, UK
Drystone Walls: a landscape for the future Linda Clarkson, Drystone Walling Association, UK	16.45 – 17.15	SPAB Maintenance Co-operatives: a move towards meaningful community participation? Stella Jackson, SPAB Maintenance Co-operatives Coordinator, UK
	17.30 – 18.30	York Conservation Alumni Association AGM
Wine reception hosted by YCAA	18.30	
YCAA dinner (<i>in the King's Manor Refectory</i>)	19.30	

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SKILLS Chair: Dav Smith		VOLUNTEERING Chair: Henry Russell
Researching with the public, conserving with the community Laura-Melpomeni Tapini, Diadrasis, Greece	09.30 – 10.00	Benefits and impacts of engagement in heritage Jon Humble, English Heritage, UK
Engaging conservation: how CCT helps communities save historic buildings Crispin Truman, Chief Executive, Churches Conservation Trust, UK	10.00 – 10.30	To be confirmed
Tea/coffee break	10.30 – 11.00	
Conservation live at Holy Trinity Goodramgate: valuing engagement with practice Dr Gill Chitty, Department of Archaeology, University of York, UK	11.00 – 11.30	Engaging and conserving industrial heritage in the 21st century: the work of the Industrial Heritage Support Officer Dr Ian Bapty, Industrial Heritage Support Officer, Ironbridge Gorge Museum Trust, UK
Where practitioners meet the public: an investigation of Savannah Technical College's outreach programs Steve Hartley, Savannah Technical College, USA	11.30 – 12.00	Till death us do part: routes to community engagement at the Coffin Works, Birmingham Simon Buteux, Director, Birmingham Conservation Trust, UK
		CLOSING ADDRESS Chair: Gill Chitty
	12.00 – 12.30	Rosia Montana in peril Stefan Balici, Romania
	12.30 – 13.00	Plenary – closing comments

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