

Levelling Up our World Heritage:

Policy and practice for management of the historic environment

IHBC South East Branch Day School and AGM

Augustine House Library, Rhodaus Town, Canterbury, CT1 2YA

Friday 26th April 2024, 9.20am - 4.30pm

This year's annual school will provide a unique insight into the local management of a World Heritage Site (WHS) in the South-East. With a focus on the legislative and policy background including bidding for funding for heritage projects.

As part of the Day School IHBC members will be able to develop their legislation, policy, management, finance and economics skills to understand more about opportunities to preserve and enhance the historic built environment through the lens of the management of a WHS.

The day will comprise a series of talks in the morning followed by the SE Branch AGM and a buffet lunch. In the afternoon there will be an optional walk around the WHS, including a visit to the Poor Priests Hospital* – see over for full programme.

Cost, including lunch: £35 IHBC members, £40 non-members.

Bookings can be made via TicketSource ([Booking](#))

* Delegates are advised that the venue is 20 mins walk from the WHS so comfortable footwear is recommended.

CPD Certificates will be available on request

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PROGRAMME

- 09.20 - 09.40** **Registration, tea/coffee**
- 09.40 - 09.50** **Chair's welcome**
- 09.50 - 10.15** **Levelling Up and World Heritage Sites Update from
Historic England:** *Katie Parsons, Historic England*
- 10.15 - 10.30** **Canterbury City Council's levelling up bid:** *Lizzy Johnson,
Heritage and Design Manager, Canterbury City Council*
- 10.30 - 10.50** **A brief history of Poor Priests Hospital (part of bid):** *Dr Paul
Bennett, Director of Canterbury Archaeological Trust*
- 10.50 - 11.05** **Tea/coffee**
- 11.05 - 11.25** **The Story of Canterbury's Heritage:** *Dr Jane Lovell, Canterbury
Christ Church University*
- 11.25 - 11.45** **The Management of Canterbury's World Heritage:** *Neil
McCollum, English Heritage and Chair of the Canterbury World
Heritage Site Management Committee*
- 11.45 - 12.10** **Managing Canterbury Cathedral in the 21st Century:** *Lian
Harter, Senior Project Lead, Purcell Canterbury Office*
- 12.10 - 12.25** **Questions and Discussion**
- 12.25 - 12.55** **IHBC SE Branch AGM (all welcome).**
- 12.55 - 13.45** **Light lunch and networking**
- 13.45 - 16.30** **Site Visit and Walking Tour:** *Visit to Poor Priests Hospital
followed by a guided tour around the World Heritage Site - Neil
McCollum*
- 16.30** **Finish**

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