



SHP Secondary Day Conference

Saturday 5 March 2016
10.00am-5.00pm

M Shed, Bristol

Princes Wharf, Wapping Road, Bristol, BS1 4RN

Course Fee: £120.00

(including lunch and refreshments)

The day will include:

- **Plenary presentations** from Alison Kitson on *Enriching students' understanding of history through personal stories* and Sally Thorne on *Boosting knowledge for the new GCSE*
- **Inspiring workshops** led some of the country's most creative history educators focussing on a range of strategies to enrich your students' learning in history
- An opportunity to visit the exhibitions at M Shed



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Programme

9:30 - 10:00	Coffee and registration
10:00 - 10:10	Welcome
10:10 - 11:10	Ordinary lives in extraordinary times: enriching students' views of the past through personal stories <i>Alison Kitson, Senior Lecturer in History Education, UCL Institute of Education</i>
11:10 - 11:30	Refreshments
11:30 - 12:45 Workshop A	"I want to tell you the story of ... ": What makes a great story and how should we tell them? <i>Richard Kennet</i>
Workshop B	History in particular: making the most of particular people, places and events in the new SHP GCSE (OCR B) <i>Jamie Byrom and Michael Riley</i>
Workshop C	Using games and lively activities to help pupils to understand the value of precise factual knowledge <i>Paula Worth</i>
Workshop D	Local learning - building local people, places, events and objects into your history curriculum. <i>Jane Hack</i>
12:45 - 13:30	Lunch and explore M Shed
13:30 - 14:45 Workshop A	"I want to tell you the story of ... ": What makes a great story and how should we tell them? <i>Richard Kennet</i>
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14:45 - 15:00	Refreshments
15:00 - 16:00	Stickability - Boosting Knowledge for the new GCSE <i>Sally Thorne. Head of History, Matravers School and SHP Regional Adviser South West</i>

PLENARIES

Ordinary lives in extraordinary times: enriching students' views of the past through personal stories

In this plenary, Alison explores how personal life stories challenge and enrich students' conceptions of the past. Through real examples, she makes a case for the inclusion of these stories in order to challenge students' preconceptions and broaden the scope of their thinking.

Alison Kitson, Senior Lecturer in History Education, UCL Institute of Education

Stickability - Boosting knowledge for the new GCSE

Whichever way you jump, and however you choose to look at it, students will need to learn and retain more knowledge to be successful in the new GCSE. Setting the bar higher does not automatically increase students' ability to memorize more knowledge, and this presents new challenges for history teachers. Sally will share practical strategies for building knowledge and helping it to stick for the exam and beyond.

Sally Thorne, Head of History, Matravers School and SHP Regional Adviser South West

WORKSHOPS

Workshop A: "I want to tell you the story of ... ": What makes a great story and how should we tell them?

The power of narrative in the history classroom is irrefutable but what does it mean to tell a good story and how do you do this effectively? In this workshop for all teachers, from the beginner to the experienced, Richard will analyse what makes a great story and how the best historians weave fascinating narratives of the past. He will share practical examples of how to do this in your classroom.

Richard Kennett, Specialist Leader of Education for History, Redland Green School and Hodder author.

Workshop B: History on particular: making the most of particular people, places and events in the new SHP GCSE (OCR B)

A focus on particular people, places and events bring history alive for students, but how can we combine the study of the particular with the 'big pictures' which students need to develop their understanding of history? Jamie and Michael's workshop will share some creative combinations of outline and depth history which can be used to build students' knowledge of the past. Examples will focus on the new SHP GCSE (OCR B), but the principles will be transferrable to all contexts.

Jamie Byrom, history education consultant, author and SHP Fellow; Michael Riley, Director SHP

Workshop C: Using games and lively activities to help pupils to understand the value of precise factual knowledge

How can we help pupils to understand the value of precise factual knowledge in the Google Age? In this workshop, Paula will outline several practical strategies, applicable across key stages and topics, that help pupils to build up contextual information in an accessible fashion, and gain confidence in their historical knowledge. She demonstrates how supermarket sweep, hopscotch, treasure maps, monopoly, decision-making games and boxing matches can help pupils to gain the precise knowledge that they need to support progress in their understanding of different historical concepts.

Paula Worth, Innovator of Learning (History), Bristol Grammar School, and Associate Editor for Teaching History

Workshop D: Local learning - building local people, places, events and objects into your history curriculum.

Discover how you can 'localise' your curriculum by introducing your students to the stories of people, objects, places and events linked with their own town or city. Using Bristol as an example, Jane's workshop will showcase the *Bristol 50* - the history of the city using fifty local examples. The workshop will explore how this approach informs the learning programme at M Shed and will suggest ways in which the model can be adapted and used in your school.

Jane Hack, Senior Officer – Formal Learning, Bristol Culture

HOW TO BOOK A PLACE

All applications and payments for this event will be made online. Booking opens week beginning 23 November 2015.

Just go to <http://www.schoolhistoryproject.org.uk/conference/index.htm> and click on the **SHP British Library Conference** link to make an on-line application and payment. Please follow all steps for a successful application. **You will receive an acknowledgement by return email confirming your payment.**

Further details will be sent to you by email after the closing date of **Tuesday 23 February 2016.**

If you experience any difficulties in booking online please contact Liz on **0113 2837100 ext 556** or email shp@leedstrinity.ac.uk

PRICES

- **Full day Rate** **£120.00**
- **Special Rate Conference Fee for trainees:** **£20.00**
(Please note that trainee places are limited)

