CALL FOR PAPERS & IMPORTANT DATES

International conference on historic metals conservation
Interim meeting of the ICOM-CC Metal WG
Surgeon’s Hall, Edinburgh
16-20 September 2013

Case Studies
› Challenges of conserving industrial heritage
› Assessment methodologies such as the application of scientific techniques to further understanding of metal objects or assist in their conservation
› Archaeological and historical metal conservation (from both terrestrial and marine contexts)
› Conservation of outdoor sculpture and architectural metalwork
› In situ conservation of large or complex objects
› Composite objects
› Conservation of architectural and military objects

Research and Development
› Progress in conservation treatments such as stabilization techniques, cleaning, corrosion inhibitors, preventative conservation, risk management analysis
› New approaches in metal protection
› Conservation of wrought and cast iron
› Ethical considerations in conserving metals
› Documentation of metal objects and structures such as 3D reality capture, finite element analysis

Call for Papers
Authors interested in presenting a paper should submit an extended abstract (400 – 600 words) by 1st August 2012. The work must be original and not previously published. Contributions should be in English and include the contact information for the author(s) (affiliation, address, telephone, fax and e-mail).

All abstracts will be reviewed by the Programme Committee based on three criteria: originality, quality and contribution to the field of conservation. After abstracts are reviewed and approved, all presenters will be required to submit a complete paper for peer review publication in the conference proceedings.

Posters for this event are also being accepted, see website for more details.

The closing date for poster abstracts is 1st November 2012.

Please submit abstracts via e-mail to hs.cgoutreach@scotland.gsi.gov.uk. Any questions should also be sent to this e-mail address.

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