



World Heritage UK

## **WH:UK and the Research Agenda**

### **Position paper v1. Sept 2017**

#### **Why research matters to WHUK and its partners**

Research has been on the WHUK agenda ever since the organisation's earliest inception. The Board took the view that well founded research would help to increase understanding of the UK's sites and help achieve educational objectives related to WHUK's charitable objectives. Moreover encouraging the publication and sharing of research increases the status and standing of WHUK as an authoritative and knowledgeable expert body, well fitted to speak of the Sites and to represent their interests. Knowledge is power!

In 2016 WHUK Professor Ian Wray and Dr. Carol Ludwig at Liverpool University in the Department of Civic Design undertook an extensive survey of partners to identify their research interests and needs (Ian Wray is Vice Chair of WHUK with a special interest in research issues). This was an open ended survey and was written up in the report 'Towards an Outline Research Strategy' available on the WHUK web site here: <https://worldheritageuk.org/2016/10/11/towards-an-outline-research-strategy-for-world-heritage-uk/>

The survey asked partners what sort of research WHUK should encourage and possibly commission. Based on the responses ten key research themes were identified: planning, tourism, visitor management, financial support, culture and identity, economic benefits and brand value, education and learning, environmental pressures, evaluation, and sharing research and data.

#### **Sharing our research knowledge and contacts**

Following discussion at the last annual WHUK conference in Caernarfon, Jamie Davies volunteered to take the research agenda forward with Ian Wray and was appointed by the Board as Honorary Head of Research for World Heritage UK.

Jamie Davies is a teaching fellow in cultural heritage at the Ironbridge International Institute for cultural heritage, University of Birmingham delivering modules for the World Heritage Studies MA and International Heritage Management MA. He is in the final stages of a PhD researching on Education at World Heritage Sites- How are World Heritage Values communicated within the formal learning process. Jamie is a Heritage Lottery Fund Committee member for Wales (2016-2019).

One key early task will be sharing, collating and promoting past research from UK World Heritage Sites, being aware of current research and identify opportunities for university/site collaborative research. We are taking this forward by creating a **World Heritage Research Directory** and a

**Researcher Directory**, helping to take forward the UK Government Culture White Paper, which stated:

We want to set a global standard in the stewardship of World Heritage Sites. By working with the World Heritage Centre, the governing bodies for World Heritage Sites, Historic England and others, we will promote sustainable development while ensuring our sites are protected.

Department for Culture, Media & Sport 2016

Department for Culture, Media & Sport. 2016. The Culture White Paper. Available from: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/culture-white-paper>

### **Three Year Action Plan**

In consultation with WHUK Vice Chair, the Head of Research has drawn up a three-year research action plan, which was approved by the Board earlier this year, and includes the following objectives:

- To Create and update a UK World Heritage Bibliography.
- To create and update a UK World Heritage Researchers Directory.
- To survey UK Universities about their relationship with the UNESCO World Heritage Programme and identify past, current or future research. This would complement the survey of UK World Heritage Sites about their research agendas.
- To strengthen the relationship between the UNESCO Chairs network and UK World Heritage sites.
- To develop a closer research relationship between heritage and research organisations and the UK World Heritage Site network for example the knowledge sharing about past, present or planned research.

On the following pages, you will find the **UK World Heritage Bibliography** and **UK World Heritage Researcher Directory**. Both are living documents and will require constant updating and additions.

Please contact Jamie Davies, if you can add to the bibliography, want to be added to the directory, suggest corrections or want to discuss research opportunities.

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### **UK World Heritage Bibliography**

This is a bibliography relating to publications about World Heritage Sites in the UK. The relate to the inscription, its management or the World Heritage programme. This list includes BA, MA and PhD research as well as those published as articles or in books. It is important that Universities work with WH:UK to include unpublished student research from all levels of academic. Policy research is also included in this bibliography.

## UK World Heritage Site Research Strategies

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## **UK World Heritage Researcher Directory**

This list of academics at UK Universities comprises of those who have or are currently working on research projects relating to World Heritage and UK World Heritage Sites. The full list of publications can be found in the UK World Heritage Bibliography.

Please email Jamie Davies, if you wish to be added or removed from this list or wish to correct some details. Email: [j.g.davies@bham.ac.uk](mailto:j.g.davies@bham.ac.uk)

### Ironbridge International Institute for Cultural Heritage, University of Birmingham

- Prof Mike Robinson- World Heritage Tourism

AHRC CDA research project- 2014-2017- Communicating World Heritage Values including 4 PhDs

- Jamie Davies- World Heritage Education
- Malgorzata Trelka- World Heritage and Communities
- Coralie Acheson- World Heritage Tourism
- Joe Raine- Industrial World Heritage
- Dr Roger White- Ironbridge Gorge World Heritage Site

### Durham University

- Prof Robin Conningham - UNESCO Archaeology Chair 2014-
- Anouk Lafortune-Bernard- Ongoing PhD- Mastering the Master Plan at the World Heritage Site of Lumbini (Nepal): An evaluation of the economic and social impacts of the site development on local communities.
- Dr Andreas Panatazos – Durham World Heritage Site, World Heritage Ethics
- Prof Kiran Fernandes- Economic Value of UNESCO

### Newcastle University

- Professor Peter Stone- UNESCO Chair in Cultural Property Protection and Peace 2015-
- Dr Loes Veldpaus-2011 PhD Thesis - Heritage-led sustainable urban regeneration : the development of an assessment model for World Heritage Sites cities.
- Alumni- Jane Brampton- MA Dissertation- World Heritage Sites and Tourism
- Alumni- David Brough- MA Dissertation- Factors influencing progress towards the functional establishment of the Frontiers of the Roman Empire World Heritage Site.

### University of Liverpool

- Professor Ian Wray- Liverpool World Heritage Site
- Dr Ataa Alsalloum- World Heritage urban regeneration

### University of Kent

- Dr Sophia Labadi- UNESCO World Heritage Convention



## AHRC network on the protection of Cultural World Heritage Sites-2012-2015

### Sheffield University Management School

- Dr Elizabeth Carnegie- UNESCO World Heritage programme

### Leeds Beckett University

- Dr Simon Woodward- How Students Experience World Heritage Sites - a case study of Durham City project.

### University of Northumbria

- Joan Buchanan- Ongoing PhD- Valorising Cornish minority heritage: UNESCO and Cornwall Man-Engine pilgrimage

### University of Leeds

- Dr Peter Maw- Manchester's bid for World Heritage Site inscription

### Teeside University

- Dr Victoria Bell- Hadrian's Wall WHS

### University of Brighton

- Dr Tijana Rakic – World Heritage Tourism

### Southampton Solent University

- Bryn Parry- Liverpool WHS

### University of South Wales

- Dr Nathan Matthews-2016 PHD- Spatio-Temporality and Digital Tourism in Industrial UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

### Liverpool John Moores University

- Dr Takamitsu Jimura- World Heritage and local communities

### Bournemouth University

- Dr Phillip Ryland- Jurassic Coast WHS

### University of the Highlands and Islands, Orkney

- Dr Julie Gibson- The Heart of Neolithic Orkney World Heritage Site

### University of Northampton

- Dr. Spiros Batas- Economic Value of Edinburgh World Heritage Site

### Edinburgh Napier University

- Dr. Anna Leask- World Heritage Site Management

### University of Central Lancashire

- Dr. Ehab Kamel Ahmed- World Heritage management

### Canterbury Christ church University

- Dr Jane Lovell- Canterbury WHS

#### Bath Spa University

- Dr Kristin Doern- Bath WHS

#### UCL

- Professor Rodney Harrison- UNESCO World Heritage programme
- Dr Hilary Orange- Industrial World Heritage- Cornish Mining Landscape WHS (2012 PhD thesis)
- Dr Elisabete Cidre- Planning in World Heritage Cities

#### University of Exeter

2010-2015 AHRC Extended Programme- The Jurassic Coast and the arts of community engagement: heritage, science, policy and practice on a dynamic coastline including 3 CDA PhD studentships

- Dr Cheryl Ann Willis- Jurassic Coast WHS

#### University of Leicester

- Samantha Fabry – PhD Ongoing- World Heritage Convention

#### University of Nottingham

- Assistant Professor Edward Goodwin- Goodwin, E.J., 2010. The consequences of deleting World Heritage sites. King's Law Journal. 21(2), 283-309

#### Herriot-Watt University

- Dr Sean Lochrie- World Heritage Site Management

#### Oxford Brookes University

- Deniz Ikiz Kaya- PhD Ongoing- World Heritage Historic Urban Landscapes
- Dr Helen Francine Phillips- World Heritage and Climate Change

#### University of Ulster

- Emily Boyle- World Heritage Management

#### University of Edinburgh

- Letícia M. Pereira Leitão-2012- Protection of World Heritage Settlements and their surroundings : factors affecting management policy and practice

#### University of Glasgow

- Daisy Kate Sutcliffe- Jurassic Coast WHS
- The Glasgow School of Art's School of Simulation and Visualisation- Scottish Ten project

#### Lancaster University

- Dr Kevin Williams- 2003 PhD Thesis- World heritage meanings, policies and effects : scales and cultures