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WHUK's Spring 2025 Workshop - digital tickets still available

If you were thinking of joining the spring workshop, there are still digital tickets available and will be available up to 12 noon on Monday 28 April. YouTube links will be sent out to all digital delegates that afternoon.

Workshop dates - **Wed 30 Apr** (from 12.30pm) & **Thu 01 May** (all day)
Theme - **Climate Change & WHS Management**

Programme - Hear speakers from ICOMOS International, the National Trust,

Tickets details are:

- WHUK members digital £120 (via YouTube) each
- Non-WHUK members digital £150 (via YouTube) each

And are available from WHUK 2025 Spring Workshop | World Heritage UK

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World Heritage Webinars - Observatories

WHUK's next series of webinars will focus on observatories within WHSs and Tentative List Sites.

The series includes:

- Tuesday 20th May 2025 Stonehenge & Avebury with Dr Amanda Chadburn and Prof Clive Ruggles
- Tuesday 17th June 2025 Prof Teresa Anderson from Jodrell Bank
 Observatory WHS
- Tuesday 01 July 2025 Astronomical Observatories of Ireland
 Tentative List Sites, with Prof Michael Burton, Armagh Observatory and Planetarium
- Tuesday 22nd July 2025 Maritime Greenwich WHS with Paddy Rodgers and Ann Carter from Royal Museums Greenwich, with Jamie Fobert and Liz Smith from Jamie Fobert Architects

Single webinar tickets are £5 each. A series ticket for all 4 webinars is £15. Tickets are available up to 4pm the day before.

Each webinar is recorded and uploaded to WHUK's private YouTube channel. All ticket holders will be sent a link to the video, to revisit or catch up if the live talk was missed.

To book, please click **here**.



7th World Heritage Site Managers' Forum

Dates: Monday 7th - Wednesday 9th July 2025

Theme: Enhancing engagement in the World Heritage Reactive Monitoring process

UNESCO World Heritage Centre, ICCROM and IUCN, under the World Heritage Leadership Programme, are pleased to announce that the 7th edition of the World Heritage Site Managers' Forum (WHSM25) will be organised in conjunction with the session of the World Heritage Committee.

The Forum is supported by the Republic of Bulgaria. In addition, a limited number of travel grants will be provided by the Republic of Ireland and ICCROM to support the participation of some selected Site managers.

World Heritage Site managers/coordinators, as well as members of World Heritage Site management teams from across the globe are eligible to

exchanging knowledge and experiences at an international level.

Organisers: UNESCO World Heritage Centre, ICCROM and IUCN

Language: English (interpretation in French is foreseen)

Application closing date: Sunday 4th May 2025

For more details please click <u>here</u> or to read the Call for Applications, click <u>here</u>.



WHUK 2025 Annual Conference - save the date!

This year's WHUK Annual Conference will be held in Saltaire WHS, on Thursday 9th & Friday 10th October.

The theme will be "Engagement with WH", exploring how communities, tourists, politicians, media, funders etc, do or don't engage with WH and WHSs. Details of the programme will be announced early summer.

We hope to see you there!

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If you aren't a member, or know someone who would like to be a member, please go to our <u>Membership page</u> to join.

If you or a friend or colleague would like to make a donation to WHUK, please go to our **Donation page**, to help us support the UK's WH community.

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