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INTRODUCTION TO THE CONFERENCE

From 27th June to 1st July 2005 the Society for Post-Medieval Archaeology's Annual Conference will be held on the island of Nevis in the Eastern Caribbean -- and will focus on the historical archaeology of the colonial or shared landscapes of the Caribbean. This is the first time that the Society's Annual Conference has been held outside the British Isles. The conference will provide a unique opportunity to combine a visit to the Eastern Caribbean with learning about recent archaeological research in the region. The conference is open to all. The conference programme will include two days of field visits to sites on Nevis and the nearby island of St Kitts (St Christopher), and the option of participating in a field visit to the island of St Eustatius (Statia).

PAPERS

COLONIAL LANDSCAPES OF THE CARIBBEAN

The early 16th Century Spanish Sugar Industry in the Caribbean
Robyn Woodward, Simon Fraser University, BC, Canada

Cartography of the 17-18th century Caribbean
Gillian Hutchinson, National Maritime Museum, United Kingdom

850 acres, 25 archaeological sites, 4 archaeologists, 1 island: The Guana Island Archaeological Project
Mark Kostro and others, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, United States

Searching for Governor Daniel Tuckers Mansion: The First Season of Excavation
John Triggs & Clifford E. Smith, Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

Archaeological landscape survey and community/educational programme on New Providence in the Bahamas
Andrea Bradley, ATKINS Heritage, United Kingdom

'Pausing for a smoke': the use of pipes in mapping the colonial landscape of the Caribbean

David Higgins, University of Liverpool, United Kingdom

AFRICAN-CARIBBEAN ARCHAEOLOGIES

Enslaved African Landscapes in the Caribbean: Architecture and Provision Grounds in Comparative Perspective

R. Grant Gilmore, St. Eustatius Center for Archaeological Research, St Eustatius, West Indies

Guadeloupe -- Ceramics and present day identity

Kenneth Kelly, University of South Carolina, United States

Poster Session: Afro-Caribbean pottery on Nevis

Elaine Morris, Nevis Heritage Project, University of Southampton, United Kingdom

The strategic use of consumer goods by enslaved people in the 18th-century Chesapeake: a trial synthesis

Fraser D. Neiman & Jillian Galle, University of Virginia, United States

Moving in Two Directions on St. John, Danish West Indies: The Emergence of Free Holdings in an era of Estate Consolidation

Douglas V. Armstrong and Mark M. Hauser, Syracuse University and DePaul University, United States

Memory, Archaeology, and a Diasporic Past

Kenneth G. Kelly and Mark M. Hauser, University of South Carolina and DePaul University, United States

'Little tubes of mighty power': how clay tobacco pipes from Port Royal, Jamaica, reflect socioeconomic change in seventeenth-century English culture and society
Georgia Fox, California State University, Chico, United States

COLONIAL ARCHAEOLOGY IN THE GREATER CARIBBEAN

The Capabilities and Limits of Georgianization in the Greater Caribbean

Christa Dierksheide, University of Virginia, United States

Tropical Similarities Found in Military Barracks, Hospitals and Other Structures from the Caribbean to the British Florida Parishes

Philippe Oszuscik, University of South Alabama, United States

Architecture and climate - using Anglican churches to gauge the English response to heat, hurricanes, and earthquakes in the Caribbean

Louis Nelson, University of Virginia, United States

London, capital of empire - some archaeological reflections
Geoff Egan, Museum of London, United Kingdom

THE COLONIAL LANDSCAPE OF ST KITTS

Changing Technology: A Visual Introduction to the Sugar Industry on St. Kitts and Nevis
Phil Dunning, Parks Canada

Enslaved Africans at the Brimstone Hill Fortress, St. Kitts, West Indies
Gerald F. Schroedl, University of Tennessee, United States

Glassware from Brimstone Hill Fortress National Park, St. Kitts, West Indies
Greta J. Gomez & Todd Ahlman, University of Tennessee, United States

Human Skeletal Remains from Brimstone Hill Fortress National Park, St. Kitts, West Indies
Elizabeth A. DiGangi, University of Tennessee, United States

Assessing Enslaved African Diet at Brimstone Hill, St. Kitts
Walter E. Klippel, Sarena Cleeton, & Alex Bentley, University of Tennessee & University College, London

Afro-Caribbean Ware and the Study of Cultural Identity at the Brimstone Hill Fortress, St. Kitts, West Indies
Todd Ahlman, University of Montana, United States

A survey of St Mary Cayon, St Kitts
Rob Philpott, National Museums Liverpool, United Kingdom

St. Kitts Scenic Train: Journey into an Island's Heritage
William C. Found, York University, Canada

THE COLONIAL LANDSCAPE OF NEVIS

Facts, Fiction, and Fable: The fate of Jamestown on Nevis
Eric Klingelhofer, Mercer University & Carter Hudgins, Mary Washington College, United States

Coconut Walk and New River
Jim Chiarelli, Earthwatch, United States

Fueling the Fire: An Examination of Colonial Caribbean Fuel Sources
Sean Britt, Boston University, United States

Poster Session: A feasibility study for the vegetation history of Nevis
Gemma Swindle and Nick Branch, Royal Holloway University of London, United

Kingdom

Ceramics and Ceramic Use on a Caribbean Island
David Barker, Stoke-on-Trent Archaeology Service, United Kingdom

A Caribbean Context for the World-System: A Case Study in Seventeenth and Eighteenth Century Economic and Social Interdependency
Marco Meniketti, Michigan Technological University, United States

Nevis -- the 17th- and 18th-century architecture
Daphne Degazon Hobson, Georgia Institute of Technology, United States

Understanding Nevis: Archaeological Field Survey in a Post-Colonial landscape
Roger Leech, Nevis Heritage Project, University of Southampton, United Kingdom

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