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APT AUSTRALASIA CHAPTER – LONGFORD ACADEMY LA2 5-Day Course in Advanced Conservation Techniques at Woolmers Estate and Brickendon, Tasmania

**A short course in the conservation buildings and collections:
structural, physical, chemical and biological factors in conservation
to be held at Woolmers Estate and Brickendon (World Heritage inscribed)**

16-20 MAY 2010



- Learn about traditional and advanced conservation treatments
- Get intimate with highly significant buildings with collections
- Exchange ideas with leading practitioners and educators

Presenters

Association for Preservation Technology International, Australasia Chapter is pleased to confirm the involvement of: Linda Clark (National Trust of Australia, Tasmania), Anne Cummins (Sydney Artefacts Conservation, Sydney), Dr Donald Ellsmore (APT Australasia Chapter Convenor), Chris How (Structural engineer, Warrnambool, retired) and David Young OAM (materials conservation and training, Melbourne), with input from Louise and Richard Archer, (Brickendon) and Damian Saunders (Woolmers Estate).

Course Fee

Tuition fee \$900 (\$750 full-time students and APT members) covers teaching, activities and lunches.

Accommodation

B&B accommodation at Woolmers Estate (www.woolmers.com.au/) and Brickendon Historic Farming Village (www.brickendon.com.au/) at own expense.

Bookings

Marquita Gard, Woolmers Estate on 03 6391 2230 Email: enquiries@woolmers.com.au.

Closing date for applications: 30 April 2011.

Program outline (as at 7 February 2011)

DAY 1 – 16 MAY	THEME	TOPICS	PRESENTERS
10.30 am–11.30 am	INTRODUCTION	Introductions and formalities Planning and decision making	Donald Ellsmore David Young
11.30 am–1.00 pm	ORIENTATION WOOLMERS	Site induction and Inspection External works and challenges	Damian Saunders
Lunch			
2.00 pm–4.00 pm	ORIENTATION BRICKENDON	Farm and Homestead group	Louise and Richard Archer
Afternoon Tea			
4.30 pm–6.00 pm	DIAGNOSTICS	Diagnosis and approach to caring for buildings & contents	David Young Donald Ellsmore
DAY 2 – 17 MAY	THEME	TOPICS	PRESENTERS
9.00 am– 11.00 am	MATERIALS	Masonry, wood, iron and steel	David Young
Coffee break			
11.30 am–1.00 pm	STRUCTURES	Structural behaviour masonry, wood, iron and steel	Chris How
Lunch			
2.00 pm–6.00 pm	FIELD WORKSHOP	Stabilisation and repair of old stables building at Brickendon	How, Young and Ellsmore
DAY 3 – 18 MAY	THEME	TOPICS	PRESENTERS
9.00 am–11.00 am	MOISTURE AND TEMPERATURE	Relative humidity, microclimate and monitoring	Anne Cummins
10.00 am–11.00 am	LIGHT	UV and lighting	Linda Clark
Coffee break			
11.30 am–1.00 pm	BIOLOGICAL DETERIORATION	Insects and Fungi	David Young Linda Clark
Lunch			
2.00 pm–4.00 pm	WOOLMERS INTERIORS	Inspection of homestead Interiors	Damian Saunders
Afternoon Tea			
4.30 pm–6.00 pm	CHEMICAL MECHANISMS	Chemical mechanisms outdoors and indoors	Anne Cummins David Young
DAY 4 – 19 MAY	THEME	TOPICS	PRESENTERS
9.00 am– 11.00 am	CONSERVATION 1	Soiling, damage and repair	Anne Cummins
Coffee break			
11.30 am–1.00 pm	CONSERVATION 2	Surface protection - porous	David Young
Lunch			
2.00 pm–6.00 pm	FIELD WORKSHOP	Conservation of Drawing Room at Woolmers	Clark, Cummins, Young & Ellsmore
DAY 5 – 20 MAY	THEME	TOPICS	PRESENTERS
9.00 am–10.30 am	CONSERVATION 3	Surface protection, non porous	Donald Ellsmore
Coffee break			
11.00 am–2.00 pm	FIELD EXCURSION	Inspection of Clarendon	Linda Clark
3.00 pm	REVIEW AND CLOSE		