

Historical Metallurgy Society Research in Progress Meeting

Friday the 13th November, 2015 Newton Room, Hamilton Centre, Brunel University

Programme:

- 9.30 – 10.00 Registration and coffee
- 10.00 – 10.20 William Hawkes **Polishing our performance and winning silver**
- 10.20 – 10.40 Samantha Rowe **Metal artefact decay in UK topsoils**
- 10.40 – 11.00 Alan Williams & David Edge **Non-invasive techniques for the analysis of swords**
- 11.00 – 11.20 Marta Matosz & Julio M. del Hoyo-Meléndez **Medieval Polish coinage: Analysis of silver denarii minted by the early Piasts**
- 11.20 – 11.40 Michael F Charlton **Mapping the chemical diversity of iron smelting slag in Britain—new data from the IRONWORKS project**
- 11.40 – 12.00 Sayed Wahid Alam & Lorna Anguilano **Where are the mines? Evidences of iron sources in Apulia, Italy**
- 12.00 – 12.40 Peter King **The zenith of puddled iron and the transition steel: new estimates**
- 12.40 – 13.20 LUNCH
- 13.2 – 13.40 David Cranstone **Finery Steelmaking in Britain, 1560s-c1700**
- 13.40 – 14.00 Yvette A. Marks **The Itinerant smith's role within the early transmission of Metallurgy**
- 14.00 – 14.20 Patrick Cropper **Home is where the hearth is? Defining metallurgical contexts in Prehistoric Britain**
- 14.20 – 14.40 John Boothroyd **Heavy Industries; Excavations of a Roman Iron Working Site Along the Bexhill to Hastings Link Road**
- 14.40 – 15.00 Costanza Cucini Tizzoni & Maria Pia Riccardi **A bronze smelting laboratory and brass and mirror production in the 1st and 2nd century Mediolanum – Milan (Italy)**
- 15.00 – 15.20 COFFEE BREAK
- 15.20 – 15.40 Elisa Grassi **A smithy for the gods**
- 15.40 – 16.00 Giulia Bison **Metallurgical evidence from the Forum of Grumentum (Basilicata, Southern Italy)**
- 16.00 – 16.20 Vasco La Salvia **Medieval Metallurgical activities in the Centre and South of Italy**
- 16.20 – 16.40 David Sables **The monks who mined**
- 16.40 – 17.00 **Visit to the Experimental Techniques Centre Facilities**
- 17.15 HMS PRIZE FOR BEST PRESENTATION BY A STUDENT IS ANNOUNCED

Historical Metallurgy Society Research in Progress Meeting useful info:

The registration form is available at <http://hist-met.org/meetings/25-new-articles/73-hms-research-in-progress-2015.html>

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