

CONFERENCE:

PERSPECTIVES ON THE PAST: A NEW LOOK AT HISTORICAL SOURCES

Economic and Social History
Room 108 William Robertson Building
Edinburgh University

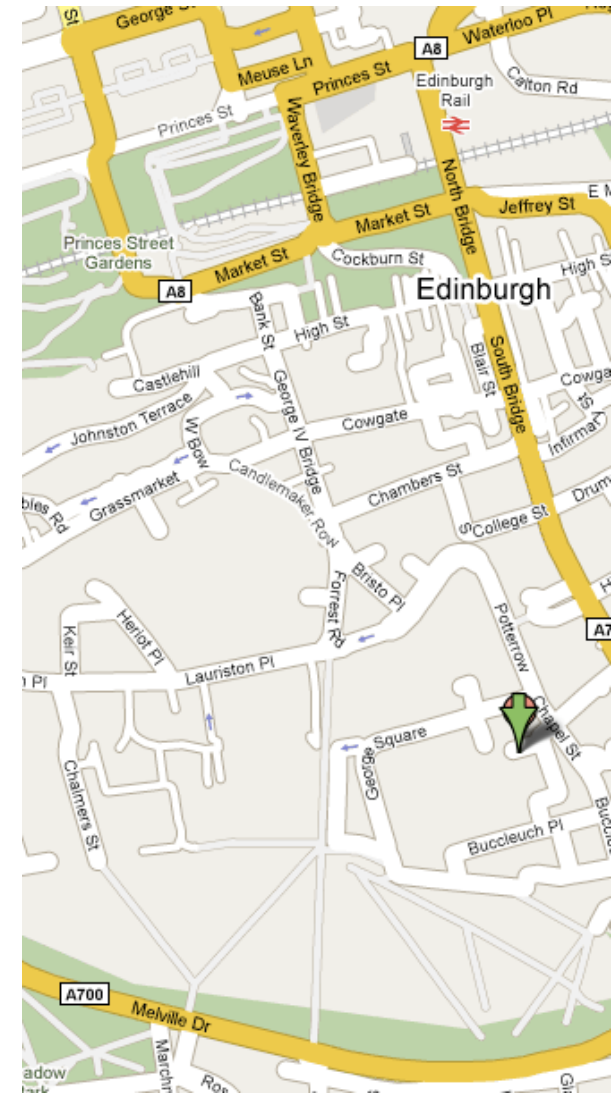
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How should we respond to new technologies, a new history curriculum, more Scottish history in the classroom, and the need for continuing professional development in history teaching? This conference will address some of these issues with educators, academic staff, and local historians offering some ways forward.



PROGRAMME

- 1.00-1.45 Sandwich lunch
- 1.45 **Welcome**
Professor Richard Rodger
- 1.50 **The New History Curriculum: Questions and Answers**
Richard Dargie (School of Education, Univ of Edinburgh)
- 2.20 **Priorities for Scottish Local History**
Dr M.C. Garden and Dr. C Macdonald (Glasgow Caledonia University)
- 2.40 **New Technology, Old Technology – Should historians take photographs seriously**
Professor R J Morris (Edinburgh)
- 3.00 **The Government of Scotland – sources, methods and approaches**
Dr Ewen Cameron (Edinburgh)
- 3.20 **Scottish History on Screen: selections from the Scottish Screen Archive**
Dr. Trevor Griffiths (Edinburgh)
- 3.40 **Discussion and Concluding Remarks**



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