



**Bristol Threatened History Society**  
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## Sharing the Past: Archaeology in Bristol

Saturday 18 February 2012 at M Shed, Wapping Wharf, Bristol  
10am – 4.30pm

Bristol Threatened History Society and Bristol Museums, Galleries & Archives are hosting a joint symposium to celebrate the opening of M Shed, Bristol's new flagship city history museum.

Please join us for a series of presentations that highlight some of the most exciting archaeological discoveries and projects of the past year. Meet community archaeology groups active in Bristol and beyond and explore the historic maps and images on the award-winning *Know Your Place* website.

*For a full programme please see overleaf or below.*

To book, please return the form below to Mike Ponsford at **12 Seymour Road, Bishopston, Bristol BS7 9HR.**

If you have any queries please contact Mike at [m.ponsford@ipresent.co.uk](mailto:m.ponsford@ipresent.co.uk) or on 0117-9858109.

I would like ..... tickets for the BTHS symposium on 18 February 2012 @ £12 and enclose a cheque for £..... payable to BTHS.

Name:.....Email.....

Address:..... tel.....

Signed:.....



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- 10.00 -10.30 **Registration**
- 10.30 -10.40 **Welcome and introduction**  
Kate Iles, Collections Officer (Archaeology)  
Bristol Museums, Galleries & Archives
- 10.40 – 11.10 ***Thinking outside the box: M Shed's approach to archaeology***  
Gail Boyle, Senior Collections Officer (Archaeology)  
Bristol Museums, Galleries & Archives
- 11.10 - 11.30 **Coffee** (provided)
- 11.30 - 12.00 ***Conserving M Shed's objects***  
Jenny Gosling, Antiquities Conservator  
Bristol Museums, Galleries & Archives
- 12.00 -12.30 ***Treasure and other recent PAS discoveries***  
Kurt Adams, Finds Liaison Officer  
Portable Antiquities Scheme
- 12.30 – 2.00 Lunch (not provided). During the break, explore objects from the collections, investigate the *Know Your Place* website and visit local history society stands to learn about their work or buy publications.
- 2.00 – 2.30 ***SCARP: Community Archaeology in South Gloucestershire and Bristol***  
Paul Driscoll, South Gloucestershire Council
- 2.30 – 3.00 ***New light on an old site: using Ashton Court's landscapes***  
Mike Ponsford, Chair of Bristol's Threatened History Society
- 3.00 – 3.30 **Tea and biscuits** (provided)
- 3.30 – 4.00 ***Local Lists - protecting our local heritage***  
Bob Jones, City Archaeologist, Bristol County Council
- 4.00 - 4.30 **Summary and close**