

MARC FITCH FUND

RESEARCH AND SPECIAL PROJECTS WHICH HAVE RECEIVED FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM THE MARC FITCH FUND 2003-2008

ARCHAEOLOGY

Research supported

2004

Alchester, earliest Roman fort in the Midlands

Archaeological and iconographic evidence for N.W. European medieval shipping, c.900-1600

Interactive atlas of hill forts of Wales and the Marches

2005

Whitehall Villa project

2007

The Parisi - Britons and Romans in an East Yorkshire landscape

2008

Standards in excavation and curation of Scottish medieval and later ceramics

Special Projects supported

2004

Wallingford burh to borough - research project

2008

Hampshire & Wight Trust for Maritime Archaeology – archive work and research for Alum Bay marine archaeological investigations

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORY, GARDEN HISTORY

Research supported

2003

Georgian church architecture

2005

English building craftsmen, c. 1200-1600

2006

Dictionary of Scottish Architects, 1840-1940: consolidation of database

2007

Canons' stalls at collegiate church of St Mary, Astley, Worcestershire

The English parsonage in the early 19th century

2008

Monograph on William White, FSA (1825-1900)

Special Projects supported

2005

Mausolea and Monuments Trust – web publication of Gazetteer of English mausolea

2007

Henley Archaeological & Historical Group – dendrochronological dating of houses in Henley

ARCHIVES, MANUSCRIPTS

Research supported

2004

Catalogue of works of medieval historians in Cottonian collection

Scientific letters of Sir Joseph Banks

2005

Edition of Journal of Lord Macaulay

2006

Description and index of Cotton charters

2008

Edition of Catalogue of Printed Books in Old Royal Library

Special Projects supported

2003

Bethlem Royal Hospital – cataloguing and digitisation of archives

Chatham Historic Dockyard Trust – photographic storage

Holburne Museum, Bath – cataloguing Holburne family archive

Jersey Heritage Trust – storage of collection from La Cotte de St Brelade

Nottingham, University of – conservation and cataloguing of Presentment Bills series (1580s-1750s) in Archdeaconry of Nottingham

2005

Lambeth Palace Library – catalogue conversion

Staffordshire & Stoke on Trent Archives Service – catalogue of additional Sutherland papers

Thomas Plume's Library – revision and computerisation of catalogue

2007

Berkshire Record Society - index of the Berkshire Archdeaconry probate records, 1508-1652

Bodleian Library – catalogue of part of Harcourt Papers

Calendar of Papal Registers relating to Great Britain and Ireland - research costs i/c with vol. XXII: The Vatican and Lateran Registers of Pope Hadrian VI (1522-23)

Newcastle University – catalogue and classification of Cowen Library, Society of Antiquaries Library and Library of Natural History Society of Northumbria

2008

British Deaf History Society – conservation, cataloguing and publication of BDHS archives

Dorset Natural History & Archaeological Society – catalogue and digitisation of William Barnes collection

Peterborough Cathedral Trust – examination of unpublished archives of the medieval abbey and post-Reformation cathedral

Quakers: Religious Society of Friends – conservation of Swarthmore MSS

Surrey Archaeological Society – digitisation of *Surrey Archaeological Collections* (1858-2003)

HISTORICAL GEOGRAPHY, CARTOGRAPHY

Research supported

2004

Atlas of forests and chases in England and Wales, c.1500-c.1850

2006

Landscape study of Upper Bannock Burn

2007

Atlas of forests and chases in England and Wales

2008

Living with the Edge: Alderley's story

Special Projects supported

2006

Historic Towns Atlas Project – Windsor

HISTORY, LOCAL AND REGIONAL HISTORY

Research supported

2003

Whitby & its merchant fleet, 1600-1820

The Visitation of London, 1687

2005

Correction business of Yorkshire church courts

Documents relating to the performance of the liturgy at York Minster

Fire Court decrees

Material culture and cultural history of food & food practices in early modern England, c. 1660-1750

Somerset singing families contacted by Cecil Sharpe, 1903-1909

VCH Northamptonshire, vol. 6

2006

Biography of Blanche Henry

Critical edition of Bishop Bickersteth's visitation returns for the Archdeaconry of Craven, 1858

Indexing the *Entring Book of Roger Morrice*

2007

History of Marrick Priory, Swaledale, N. Yorks

2008

Literary and iconographic translations of the legend of St Margaret of Antioch

Medieval deer parks

Humphrey Newton, early Tudor gentleman

Scotland's smaller Jewish communities

Scots and Ulster-Scots in northern Irish Sea region: Ulster, Scotland & N. England, 1850-1914

Survey of graveyards in Badenoch & Strathspey area of Highlands

Transcription of wills and inventories for Birmingham to 1640

Transcription and indexing of 800 medieval wills from Suffolk

Tutbury Castle – illustrations for monograph on its history and archaeology

Special Projects supported

2003

Records of early English Drama - W. Riding and Derbyshire: research and editorial work

VCH Durham - Sunderland volume

2004

University College London - database of English monastic estates: conversion to book form

Sunderland, University of - on-line bibliography of North-East history

VCH Middlesex - City of Westminster vol., part II: *Landownership in Westminster, and the Royal Court and National Government*

2005

Manorial Documents Register - Buckinghamshire and Berkshire

Portsmouth, University of – database of Ecclesiastical units of Southern England

VCH – Marc Fitch Lecture, 2005-2008

2006

British Academy Hearth Tax Project – Westmorland, Northamptonshire, three Ridings of Yorkshire and Essex

VCH – Essex vol. XI: *The seaside resorts of North-East Essex*

2007

VCH – Shropshire vol. V: *Shrewsbury*

2008

Hampshire Archives Trust – revision of five Hampshire VCH volumes

London, University of – towards cost of establishing Chair of Local History

Reading, University of – farming accounts of Brown family of Aldbourne, Wilts (1836-1944)

Wales, University of: Lampeter – research and website materials for project on Monastic Wales

Winchester, University of – on-line publication of 2 volumes of Inquisitions post-mortem

Wolverhampton, University of – on-line publication of Dictionary of Traded Good & Commodities, c. 1550-1820, vol. II.

HISTORY OF ART

Research supported

2004

George Frederic Watts

2005

Website on history and visual culture in medieval England

Medieval stained glass of Lancashire and Cheshire

2006

Index of images in MSS (c.1380-1509) in Cambridge collections

Special Projects supported

2005

British School at Rome - retrospective catalogue conversion

2006

Antiquaries, Society of – catalogue and infra-red photography of panel paintings

2007

Public Catalogue Foundation – towards cost of county co-ordinators

Wallace Collection – catalogue and on-line publication of archive of Herbert Bier (1905-81)

2008

Whitechapel Art Gallery – to put Gallery archive online