

## THE TYNE-FORTH FORUM TRAVEL BURSARY

Funding of the activities of our Forum by the Arts and Humanities Research Council has allowed us to offer travel bursaries. These are intended to allow colleagues who may be financially disadvantaged, for various reasons, to attend our meetings. This is of particular value because meetings of the Forum will be in different locations, and in two countries.

In requesting funding for these bursaries from the AHRC we identified colleagues with the greatest need as being: senior undergraduates and postgraduates researching aspects of prehistoric archaeology but with limited financial support, colleagues in the voluntary sector, retired persons, and colleagues in commercial archaeology who, at this time, may not find support for our activities supported by their organisations. Our experience to date has been that financial support for most colleagues has come from their organisations, and we hope this will continue.

If you feel you would benefit from a travel bursary, you will find an application form on this page. You can either download and complete the application form on-line, or print out the form and complete by hand. Please provide the details the Management Committee (see the web-page for members of this) we request on the form, in particular defining the meeting you would like to attend and its location. We will need you to provide the cost of travel to that meeting from your home, preferably by public transport to promote best 'green' practice. We ask you to explain why this meeting is of particular interest to you, and why there may be difficulties in you attending this meeting from your own funds.

Please return your completed application form, by e-mail to

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Or by post to Rachel Crellin, School of Historical Studies, Armstrong Building,  
Newcastle University, Newcastle upon Tyne NE1 7RU.

Please request funding around 6 weeks before the meeting you would like to attend.

We will treat all applications with discretion. The travel bursaries are limited in number and in the funding available. To avoid the awkwardness of 'means-testing' we will treat applications for each meeting on a first come – first served basis. Because of this we will consider applications for single meetings: we cannot consider applications that cover several or all meetings. The value of each award will be no more than £30.

Thank you