

# Exploring New World Transitions: from Seasonal Presence to Permanent Settlement

Society for Post-Medieval Archaeology  
Conference, in St John's, Newfoundland, June 2010

## PROGRAM

### Wednesday 16 June, 2009

- 2 - 4 pm Pottery Handling & Clay Tobacco Pipe Workshop,  
Department of Archaeology, Queen's College, Memorial
- 6pm Welcome Reception (Cash Bar), Battery Hotel, Riverhead/Pegasus Room
- 8 pm Public Lecture, with Newfoundland Historical Society  
Battery Hotel, Riverhead/Pegasus Room

### Thursday 17 June

- 8:10 Bus from Battery Hotel to Memorial University
- 8:30 Complimentary Continental Breakfast, Arts Atrium
- 8:45-8:55 Morning presenters load digital presentations.
- 9:00-11:00 *Opening Plenary Session*
- 11:00-11:30 Coffee Break
- 11:00-5:00 Bookroom & Posters, AA 1045.
- 11:30-12:45 Concurrent Sessions:  
*Old World Context*  
*Setting Foot in Newfoundland*
- 12:45- 2:45 Lunch hour
- 2:30-2:40 Afternoon presenters load digital presentations.
- 2:45-4:30 Concurrent Sessions:  
*Transatlantic Settlement Patterns*  
*Roanoke and Jamestown*
- 4:30 Coffee break
- 4:30-5:00 Poster presenters present their posters, AA 1045
- 5:00 Buses to Battery Hotel
- 6:45 Buses from Memorial Paton Residence and Battery Hotel to The Rooms
- 7:00 Reception, Department of Tourism, Culture and Recreation, Government  
of Newfoundland and Labrador, at The Rooms
- 9:00 St John's Haunted Hike. Meet at Anglican Cathedral (\$10, at venue)

## Friday 18 June

- 8:10 Bus from Battery Hotel to Memorial University  
8:30 Complimentary Continental Breakfast, Arts Atrium  
8:45-8:55 Presenters load digital presentations  
9:00-10:45 Concurrent Sessions:  
*Atlantic Expansion*  
*Ferryland & Maryland*
- 10:00-1:00 Bookroom and Posters, AA 1045  
10:45-11:15 Coffee Break  
11:15-12:30 Concurrent Sessions:  
*The Archaeometry of Early Settlement*  
*The French in Newfoundland*
- 1:00 Buses to Cupids or Ferryland, with box lunch  
(Conference participants pre-book one trip each day... to ensure that we limit visitors to each site each day to a manageable number.  
*Guide francophone vendredi 18 juin, à Cupids.*)
- 2:00-4:00 Tours of Cupids and Ferryland  
4:00 Coffee break  
4:30 Buses to Memorial Paton Residence and Battery Hotel  
6:45 Buses from Memorial Paton Residence and Battery Hotel to Queen's College, Memorial University  
7:00 Reception, Department of Archaeology and Faculty of Arts, Memorial University of Newfoundland, at Queen's College, Great Hall

## Saturday 19 June

- 8:10 Bus from Battery Hotel to Memorial University  
8:30 Complimentary Continental Breakfast, Arts Atrium  
8:45-8:55 Presenters load digital presentations  
9:00-10:45 Concurrent Sessions:  
*Inuit and Europeans in Labrador I*  
*Pots and Places*
- 10:00-1:00 Bookroom and Posters  
10:45-11:15 Coffee Break  
11:15-12:30 Concurrent Sessions:  
*Inuit and Europeans in Labrador II*  
*Comparative Perspectives*
- 1:00 pm Buses to Cupids or Ferryland, with box lunch  
(Conference participants pre-book one trip each day... to ensure that we limit visitors to each site each day to a manageable number.  
*Guide francophone samedi 19 juin, à Ferryland*)
- 2:00-4:00 Tours of Cupids and Ferryland  
4:00 Coffee break  
4:30 Buses to Memorial Paton Residence and Battery Hotel  
6:45 Bus from Battery Hotel to Gushue Hall, Memorial University  
7:00 Banquet at Gushue Hall, Memorial University.  
Grad Students Unbanquet BBQ

**Sunday 20 June**

**9 am            Bus Tour of Signal Hill, St John's and Cape Spear, pickup at Memorial**

**We have had to cancel this booking, due to low registration. People who booked will be entitled to refunds from our Registration Desk. We will attempt to organize an informal version of this tour...**

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**PUBLIC LECTURE -- Wednesday 16 June, 8 pm**  
(with Newfoundland Historical Society) Battery Hotel, Riverhead/Pegasus Room  
Dr Evan Jones ( University of Bristol)  
“Bristol, Cabot and the New Found Land, 1496-1500”

**SESSIONS -- Thursday Morning, 17 June**

**Opening Plenary Session - Thursday 17 June, 9:00-11:00**

**Chair: Peter Pope**

**Welcome & Announcement of Student Paper Prize**

**Peter E. Pope (Professor of Archaeology, Memorial)**

“Women would be necessarie here...” Material implications of the establishment of European homes in early 17th-century colonies

**David Gaimster (Society of Antiquaries of London)**

“Taking the kitchen sink”: Archaeological and scientific evidence for the migration of pottery workshops in northern Europe during the late medieval to early modern period.

**William Gilbert (Chief Archaeologist, Baccalieu Trail Heritage Corporation)**

“To dwell in this Country and live here”: Archaeological excavations at Cupids, Newfoundland

**Greg Mitchell (NunatuKavut Community Council)**

The Inuit of southern Labrador and their conflicts up to 1765

**Old World Context - Thursday, 17 June, 11:30 am - 12:45**

**Chair: TBA**

**Mark Brisbane (Professor of Archaeology, Bournemouth University)**

Baltic beads and beaver: Motivations for settlement expansion in medieval northwestern Russia

**Tânia Manuel Casimiro (Doctoral candidate, Universidade Nova de Lisboa)**

From Portugal to Newfoundland in the 17th century: supplying European colonies or provisioning a fishery?

**John Allan (Project Manager, Exeter Archaeology)**

The archaeology of immigrants in south-west England, 1500-1550

**Setting Foot in Newfoundland - Thursday, 17 June, 11:30 am - 12:45**

**Chair: Joan Ritcey (Director, Centre for Newfoundland Studies, Memorial University)**

**Bert Riggs (Head of Archives & Special Collections, Queen Elizabeth II Library, Memorial) John Guy's News sheet: public promotion of early 17th-century Newfoundland sedentismP**

**Sean Street (Director, Centre for Broadcasting History Research, Bournemouth Univ.)**

Quodlibets - Robert Hayman and the poetry of arrival

**Shannon Lewis-Simpson (Lecturer in Archaeology, Memorial)**

Memories of sea and land: a case study of 18th-century Irish Settlement in Newfoundland

**SESSIONS -- Thursday Afternoon 17 June**

**Transatlantic Settlement Patterns - Thursday 17 June, 2:45-4:30 pm**

**Chair: Audrey Horning (Reader in Historical Archaeology, University of Leicester)**

**Neil Kennedy (Assistant Professor of History, Memorial University)**

**Impermanence and empire: salt raking in the Turks and Caicos Islands**

**Brad Loewen (Professeur agrégé, Anthropology, Université de Montréal)**

**Maritimité and French Settlement patterns in the St. Lawrence Estuary, 1670-1740**

**Giovanna Vitelli (Post-doctoral fellow, CELAT, Université Laval)**

**Romantic destiny: Modern constructions of French and English settlement of Mount Desert Island, Maine**

**Jeff Oliver (Lecture in Archaeology, University of Aberdeen)**

**Settling the Fraser Valley: histories from the ground up**

**Roanoke & Jamestown - Thursday, 17 June, 2:45 - 4:30 pm**

**Chair: Barry Gaulton (Assistant Professor of Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Eric Klingelhofer and Nicholas Lucchetti (First Colony Foundation) Archaeological evidence of Elizabethan activities at Roanoke**

**Carter L. Hudgins and William Kelso (Jamestown Rediscovery, Virginia Preservation)**

**The earliest James Fort period, 1607-1610, at Jamestown**

**Beverly A. (Bly) Straube (Jamestown Rediscovery, Virginia Preservation)**

**From the Newe Forte in Verginia: the material culture of England's colonial ventures at Roanoke and Jamestown**

**Carter C. Hudgins ( Drayton Hall, National Trust for Historic Preservation)**

**Copper, chemistry, and colonization: the roles of non-ferrous metals at Jamestown (c. 1607-1610) and Roanoke (1585-c. 1590)**

## **SESSIONS -- Friday Morning 18 June**

### **Atlantic Expansion - Friday, 18 June, 9:00 - 10:45**

**Chair: Brad Loewen (Professeur agrégé, Anthropologie, Université de Montréal)**

**Natascha Mehler (U. of Vienna) and Mark Gardiner (Queen's University, Belfast)**

**Coasts cold: northern European trading sites in the North Atlantic islands**

**Gilles Samson and Richard Fiset (Commission de la Capitale Nationale du Québec)**

**The Cartier Roberval Site at Quebec, 1541-1543: Transitional adaptations at the roots of European settlement in North America**

**Steven Pendery (Senior Archaeologist, Northeast Region, National Park Service, U.S.A.)**

**and Hannah Koon (Research Fellow, Bioarchaeology, Univ. of York) Nutritional deficiencies and early European settlement in North America**

**Audrey Horning (Reader in Historical Archaeology, University of Leicester)**

***Leim an Mhadaigh*: Exploring 'unwanted' histories of the Atlantic World**

### **Ferryland & Maryland - Friday, 18 June, 9:00 - 10:45**

**Chair: Neil Kennedy (Assistant Professor of History, Memorial University)**

**James A. Tuck (Professor Emeritus of Archaeology, Memorial)**

**From transience to colonization: the archaeology of Ferryland until 1638**

**Barry Gaulton (Assistant Professor of Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Consolidating settlement: life after the Calverts, the Kirke family at Ferryland (1638-1696)**

**Silas Hurry (Historic St. Mary's City)**

**Maryland: "...where the winters be shorter and less rigorous"**

**Aaron Miller (Doctoral candidate in Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Protecting the New World holdings of the Lords Baltimore: the defensive structures of Ferryland, Newfoundland and St. Mary's City, Maryland**

**SESSIONS -- Friday Morning 18 June cont'd**

**The Archaeometry of Early Settlement - Friday, 18 June, 11:15 - 12:15**

**Chair: Eric Klingelhofer (First Colony Foundation)**

**Stéphane Noël and Eric Tourigny (MAs in Archaeology, Memorial University)**

**A comparison of elite diet at permanent and seasonal Newfoundland cod fishing stations in the 17th and 18th centuries.**

**J.-F. Moreau (Laboratoire d'archéologie and Département des Sciences Humaines, Université du Québec à Chicoutimi) and R.G.V. Hancock (Department of Medical Physics and Applied Radiation Sciences and Department of Anthropology, McMaster University),  
Glass fragments from the 1541-1543 Cartier-Roberval occupation site in Cap-Rouge (Québec, Canada)**

**The French in Newfoundland - Friday 18 June, 11:15 - 12:30**

**Chair: Geneviève Duguay (Parks Canada, Québec)**

**Amanda Crompton (Doctoral candidate, in Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Of obligation and necessity: the social contexts of trade and exchange at the Vieux Fort Site, Placentia, Newfoundland (1662-1690).**

**Matt Simmonds (MA Archaeology, University of Bristol)**

**Plaisance, 1540s-1713: The archaeology of France's earliest settlement in Newfoundland**

**Mélissa Burns (Doctoral candidate in Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Seasonal taskscapes of the French migratory fishery in Newfoundland**

## **SESSIONS -- Saturday Morning 19 June**

### **Inuit and Europeans in Labrador I - Saturday 19 June, 9:00 - 10:45**

**Chair: John C. Kennedy (Professor of Anthropology, Memorial, retired)**

**Lisa Rankin (Associate Professor of Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Exploring the role of the Inuit in the European settlement of Sandwich Bay, Labrador**

**Peter Ramsden (Community-University Research Alliance Coordinator, Archaeology, Memorial) and Lisa Rankin (Associate Professor of Archaeology, Memorial)**  
**Thule radiocarbon chronology and its implications for early Inuit-European interaction in Labrador.**

**Brian Pritchard (Doctoral candidate in Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Colonial experiences of the Snook's Cove Inuit**

**Eliza Brandy (M.A. candidate, Memorial University)**

**Inuit animal use and the impact of European settlement and trade in Snooks Cove, Labrador**

### **Pots and Place - Saturday 19 June, 9:00 - 10:45**

**Chair: John Allan (Project Manager, Exeter Archaeology)**

**Michael Batt (associate of the Centre Michel de Boüard, CNRS/Université de Caen)**

**Post-medieval potters' villages in Brittany : the long history of a vernacular industry, its place in the rural economy and the agricultural landscape.  
(M. Batt will be unable to attend; his paper will be read by P.E. Pope.)**

**Bruno Fajal (Centre Michel de Boüard, CNRS/Université de Caen)**

**The production of stoneware in southern Normandy : the example of Ger (16th – 18th Century).**

**Sarah Newstead (M.A. Archaeology, Memorial University)**

**Merida No More: Portuguese Redware in Newfoundland.**

**Amy St. John (MA candidate, Archaeology, Memorial University)**

**Ceramics at Cap Rouge: A migratory French fishery site on Newfoundland's Petit Nord.**

## **SESSIONS -- Saturday Morning 19 June cont'd**

### **Inuit and Europeans in Labrador II - Saturday 19 June, 11:15 - 12:30**

**Chair: Lisa Rankin (Associate Professor of Archaeology, Memorial)**

**John C. Kennedy (Professor of Anthropology, Memorial, retired)**

**Finding home: theories of early permanent settlement in southeastern Labrador**

**Amelia Fay (Doctoral candidate in Archaeology, Memorial)**

**Finding Mikak: the search for a late 18th-century Inuit trader in the archaeological record**

**Matt Beaudoin (Ph.D candidate, Anthropology, University of Western Ontario)**

**A hybrid European-Inuit (Métis) household in 19th-century Labrador**

### **Comparative Perspectives - Saturday 19 June, 11:15 - 12:30**

**Chair: Giovanna Vitelli (Post-doctoral fellow, CELAT, Université Laval)**

**James Lyttleton (Post-doctoral Fellow, Department of Archaeology, Memorial)**

**The Lords Baltimore in Ireland: a transatlantic archaeology**

**Paula Marcoux (writer and baker, Plymouth, MA)**

**Bread and permanence**

**Mathieu Beaudry (MA candidate, Université Laval)**

**Algonquian appropriation of European copper alloys, 16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> centuries, in the Nitakina Apitipik, land of the Mami8inik, a subarctic region of Quebec**

### **Poster Sessions - Thursday 17 June - Saturday 19 June, AA 1045**

***Presenters are asked to be available for discussion, Thursday June 17, 4:30-5:00***

**Robert J. Anstey and M.A.P. Renouf (Archaeology, Memorial University), Ramah Chert Use at Phillip's Garden (EeBi-1), Port au Choix, Northwestern Newfoundland**

**Anne Desgagné (Parks Canada, Quebec Region) Everyday Life on Champlain's Farm - 1626-1628: Archaeological Artifacts Found at Cap Tourmente, Québec**

**Eric J. Guiry et. al. (Archaeology, Memorial University) Salted vs. Fresh Pork: Developing A Stable Isotope Method for Identifying Transatlantic Origin of Pig Remains at a Seasonal French Fishing Station (EfAx-09), Newfoundland**

**Dominique Lavers and M.A.P Renouf (Archaeology, Memorial University), A Geochemical Approach to Understanding the Distribution of Cow Head Chert amongst Recent Indian Cow Head Complex Sites on the Northern Peninsula, Newfoundland.**

**Sergio Escribano Ruiz (Phd candidate, Univ. of the Basque Country) et al., Tracing the Basque presence in eastern Canada during the 16th and 17th centuries, through ceramic remains: the example of glazed pottery produced in Bilbao**

**Geneviève Treyvaud (Doctoral candidate in Archaeology, Université Laval)**

**Metal technologies in New France in the 17th and 18th centuries**