

**IHBC South Branch Summer Seminar**

# **The Only Way is Ethics!**

**Walking the line: Conservation Principles,  
Policy and Practice in 21<sup>st</sup> Century**

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2017  
Examination Schools  
75-81 High Street  
Oxford  
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This IHBC South Branch Summer Seminar seeks to cover a range of topics directly relating to the IHBC's Membership Competencies and Code of Conduct. The sessions will consider philosophical aspects of conservation, and their application to real life situations. Good professional conduct relies upon the individual to give accurate, consistent advice, and to understand the wider context within which we operate. Through consideration of applicable law and policy, professional conduct and the balance of conservation values against the needs of building owners and occupiers, this seminar will provide a comprehensive philosophical update and plenty of examples of the application of conservation principles in practice.

9:30am Registration and Coffee

10am Welcome

10:15am The role of the Conservation Officer in Law: Legislation and Policy Update  
Dr Charles Mynors, FRTPI, FRICS, IHBC, Barrister

11:15am The Golden Thread : Philosophy of Conservation vs Restoration  
*Richard Oxley, Oxley Conservation*

12:15pm Ethical Dilemmas: Maintaining Professional Standards of Practice in the face of client expectations  
*Interactive session on what to accept*

12:30pm Sandwich Lunch

1:45pm Contracts and Risk Management: Managing contractors and reducing insurance risk in listed buildings  
*James Natrass- Chartered Insurance Broker and Representative from Ecclesiatical Insurance*

2:30pm Finding the Balance: Assessing Significance, Harm and Benefits  
*David Brock, Principal Inspector of Historic Buildings and Areas, Historic England, South East Region*

3:15pm Avoiding Unprofessional Conduct : Clarity, Consistency and Care  
*Interactive session on good practice in decision making*

3:30pm Close



Counts for up to 4.5 hours towards the IHBC's Annual CPD requirement for members.