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## Technical Lecture

# Somerset and Bristol, Mapped and Charted

From Medieval Times to the Present

Dr Adrian Webb, UKHO



**Date:** Monday 15/04/2019

**Time:** Refreshments at 19:00, start at 19:25

**Venue:** Lecture Theatre 2.3, Building 5 West, University of Bath, BA2 7AY

**Organiser:** Neil Salter

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### Summary:

This lecture will be on the development of maps and charts and how this relates to the ancient county of Somerset – including the River Avon and, of course, our wonderful and diverse coastline. The lecture will be presented by the UKHO's Head of Archive, Dr Adrian Webb. Adrian's responsibilities involve managing the UKHO's priceless collection of records stretching back to 1620. Some of the star items in the collection include hand drawn surveys from the first hydrographic survey of Great Britain, numerous surveys from the voyages of Captain James Cook including the first depiction of the east coast of Australia, and charts printed in Taunton for the D-Day landings.

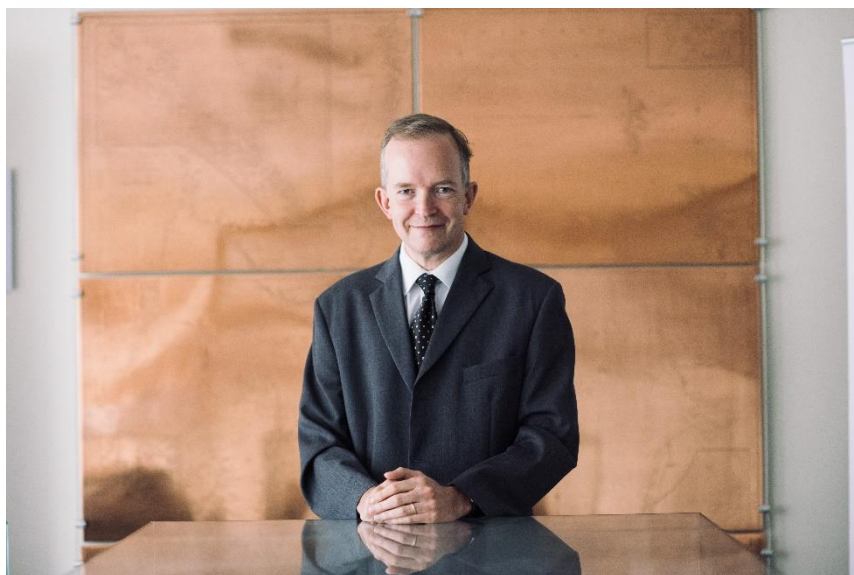


Image: Dr Adrian Webb

### Speaker:

Adrian joined the UKHO in 1988 and had roles in charting, digital projects, Admiralty Raster Chart Service, Research and Archive. He holds a Masters in Naval History and a PhD in Hydrographic Administration.



**Continuing Professional Development:** Certificate of attendance

#### Attendee

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Committee endorsement

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Position: \_\_\_\_\_

**Next event:** Design Challenge Launch Night

**Date:** Mon 16/09/2019, **Time:** Refreshments at 19:00, start at 19:25

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