

Edinburgh's Festival of Libraries 2008

Heriot-Watt University Library, Archive, Records Management and Museum Service and Centre for Sport and Exercise, proudly present...

Take your place in history...

Discover two centuries of learning and the hidden history of Heriot-Watt University's Edinburgh Campus

Hidden Histories: Heriot-Watt University and its Edinburgh Campus.
The Autumn Exhibition at the University Museum and Archive will explore the remarkable history of two centuries of learning at Heriot-Watt University and the hidden history of its Edinburgh campus. The exhibition marks the launch of a new guide to the history of the University.

Monday 10 November - Friday 14 November 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Heriot-Watt University Museum and Archive
Mary Burton Centre
Level 1 Cameron Smail Library
Edinburgh Campus

This event also ties in to "Archive Awareness Campaign 2008 - 'Take Your Place in History'". The theme for the 2008 Archive Awareness Campaign is Community Participation: 'Take Your Place in History'

Get active and explore our historic campus...

Campus history walk Monday 10 November 12.30 p.m.

- Focussing on the historic landscape of the campus, this lunchtime walk will discover some highlights of trails featured in the University publication: **A place to discover: your guide to the campus** ending at the thematically linked exhibition in the University Archive.

Art walk Wednesday Tuesday 11 November 12.30 p.m.

- Highlighting art works around the campus featured in the University publication: **Art and Academia: your guide to the Art Collection**, this lunchtime walk will follow the Art Trail, beginning and ending in the University Library where further artworks are on display.

2 centuries of learning walk Thursday 13 November 12.30 p.m.

- This walk will explore the remarkable history of two centuries of learning at Heriot-Watt University and celebrate the launch of a new guide to the history of the University.

Rain or shine, all our walks will leave from the James Watt statue in front of the University main reception and will last approximately one hour. Please note: certain parts of the trails may not be suitable for those with mobility problems.

More information about Edinburgh's Festival of Libraries can be found on:
<http://sites.google.com/site/festivaloflibraries/>