

International Society for Cultural History

In research and teaching, the vitality of cultural history is burgeoning, with a broad variety of interpretations of culture cross-fertilising between disciplines (history, human sciences, cultural studies, literature and media, and many more) and between different countries. In July 2007, a conference discussing *Varieties of Cultural History* was held in Aberdeen, Scotland. A large number of its participants agreed to form an international society to promote the further development of cultural history. The official founding conference, with the title *Orientations*, took place in Ghent (Belgium) at the end of August 2008. The second conference, *Cultures of Violence and Conflict*, was in Brisbane, Australia in July 2009, while the third, *Close Readings, Critical Syntheses*, took place in Turku Finland, in May 2010. The 2011 conference, *History – memory – myth: Re-presenting the past*, was held in Oslo, Norway. The ISCH 2012 annual conference (2-5 July 2012) *The Cultural History of Work* took place at Lunéville Castle, France. The 7TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE (11-14 September 2013) will take place in Istanbul, Turkey.

The Committee has established an annual Cultural History prize competition, worth 250 GBP for new scholars, and is planning to support the development of postgraduate networks. A publication series with Pickering and Chatto has been established, and the first number of our new journal, *Cultural History*, published by Edinburgh University Press, will appear in March/April 2012. Full details of all these activities, and how to join the Society, are on the Society's website.

HOW TO JOIN: For 2012 the membership fee will be £37 / 48 Euro (waged) or £27 / 33 Euro (unwaged).

Applicants from outside the Euro area should pay their membership fees via the University of Aberdeen online store. <http://www.store.abdn.ac.uk/>

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Translations of 'International Society for Cultural History'
Kansainvälinen kulttuurihistorian seura (Finnish)
Internasjonalt selskap for kulturhistorie (Norwegian)
Internationale Gesellschaft für Kulturgeschichte (German)
Société internationale d'histoire culturelle (French)
Sociedad internacional de historia cultural (Spanish)
Società internazionale di storia culturale (Italian)
Internationella samfundet för kulturhistoria (Swedish)
مجمع التاريخ الثقافي الدولي (Arabic)
Uluslararası kültür tarihi derneği (Turkish)
国际文化史学会 (simplified Chinese)
國際文化史學會 (traditional Chinese)
国際文化史学会 (Japanese)
Mezinárodní společnost pro kulturní dějiny (Czech)
.Sociedade Internacional de História Cultural (Portuguese)
societatea Internațională de Istorie Culturală (Romanian)
Διεθνής Εταιρία Πολιτιστικής Ιστορίας (Greek)
Cymdeithas Ryngwladol Hanes Diwylliannol (Welsh)
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Asociația internațională pentru istoria culturală (Romanian)

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