

# IPC 5th International Conference

Icon Book & Paper Group will be holding the fifth IPC international conference at the Edinburgh International Conference Centre from 26 to 29 July 2006. The conference will celebrate 30 years of achievement in conservation and focus on the relationship of practical conservation and preservation of paper and book in the 21st century.

This is the IPC's 5th International Conference and the first under the banner of the Book and Paper Group of Icon.

It marks and celebrates 30 years of conservation achievement as we look forward to the challenges of the 21st century.

The conference programme focuses on preservation, current practice and procedures. A selection of noteworthy research papers from key institutions and individuals worldwide are represented, addressing challenging issues on not only a practical level but also the aesthetic and ethical, and the future of conservation is addressed by papers looking at new processes and the challenges related to our digital age.

The Programme (latest version) 66.64 Kb

## Day Rates

Day rates are now available, including special rates for students: Day Rates 28.50 Kb

## The venue

Edinburgh International Conference Centre offers state of the art facilities for all delegates, a visually inspiring auditorium with the opportunity of using the break out facilities for further discussion.

## Posters

Poster presentations will be on exhibition for the duration of the conference covering research and studies in many aspects of conservation and preservation.

## Exhibition

A trade exhibition will be held over the course of the conference at which leading conservation related suppliers will be demonstrating and discussing their range of products.

## Visits

There are pre-conference visits available on Wednesday 26 July (although these are fast becoming fully booked) that will give delegates the opportunity to see the conservation facilities at a number of Scotland's leading museums, libraries and archives. These tours are highly recommended but space is limited, therefore early booking is essential.

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National Library of Scotland: Preservation and Conservation Division

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The National Museums of Scotland Department of Conservation and Analytical Research:

Paper and Textiles Conservation lab based at the Museum of Scotland

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The Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art: Dean  
Gallery and Keiller Library (morning session already  
fully booked, a few spaces remain for the afternoon  
slot)

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National Archives of Scotland: Conservation Unit

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Hopetoun House: The Scottish Conservation Studio

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The Glasgow Museums Resource Centre and The Burrell Collection

#### Reception

A welcome drinks reception will be hosted by The  
National Gallery of Scotland following registration.

Our evening event is a two course buffet dinner, to be  
held at the National Museums of Scotland and is devoted  
to the memory of Clare Hampson, who has bequeathed  
us a wonderful legacy in the Clare Hampson Scholarship  
Fund for the future of paper conservation education and  
training.

Registration Form 215.77 Kb

[Accommodation link here](#)

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