

Fifth International Research Conference

University of Huddersfield

10-12 July 2013

Keynote speakers: Professor Ellen Ross and Professor Barry Doyle



Call for Papers

The Voluntary Action History Society's fifth international research conference will be held in collaboration with the Centre for the History of Public Health and Medicine at the University of Huddersfield. We invite proposals for individual papers or panel sessions of three papers on any of the six conference themes, with reference to any historical period or international setting:

Activism and campaigning
Humanitarianism and relief
State and voluntary action

Co-operation and mutualism
Leisure and voluntary action
Wars and voluntarism

Papers might address these themes at any level from the local to the global, and we would be especially interested in papers that take a transnational approach to their subject. In particular we welcome papers covering earlier time periods, as well as papers by PhD students or new researchers. Please send a 250 word abstract, indicating which theme(s) your paper fits, to Dr Peter Grant at City University on p.grant@city.ac.uk by **31 December 2012**.

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