

**Arches™ 2-Day Workshop**  
**Liverpool, UK, March 29 & 30, 2017**  
**Liverpool John Moores University**

*Introduction to Arches v4 and the new Arches Designer*

**Attend for one day or two**

**Day One (Wednesday, March 29):**

**What is Arches?**

*Topics to be covered will include:*

- An overview of Arches, including creation/management of data, search and reporting functionality, and geospatial layers
- Controlled vocabularies; manage satellite/aerial imagery; import and export capabilities
- Plans for a mobile data collection app and crowdsourcing tools
- Customizations for the UK, including compliance with MIDAS Heritage, a consultations module, and UK heritage vocabularies
- How Greater London and Lincoln HERs are preparing for deployments of Arches, including costs and support options
- Considerations for an Arches implementation
- Other international implementations; the Arches community and how to participate

**Day Two (Thursday, March 30):**

**Installation and Configuration of Arches** (No software coding experience necessary using the new Arches Designer.)

*Topics to be covered will include:*

- Arches download and installation
- Hands-on comprehensive configuration of Arches
- Arches database: graph/data structure (Arches Designer); thesauri management (Reference Data Manager [RDM])
- Permissions/user-profile management, base maps and GIS overlays

**When?** Wednesday, March 29, 2017 and/or Thursday, March 30, 2017, both beginning at 10:30 (coffee/registration at 10:00); ending at 16:30.

**Where?** Liverpool John Moores University, Liverpool, UK.

**Cost?** The workshop is free.

**What's included?** Workshop with coffee and tea breaks; lunch; and an Arches community reception/dinner on March 29. A limited number of nearby **hotel rooms are being held at a special rate** on a first-come-first-served basis and **must be booked early** to get the special rate; prices range from approx. £50 to £90 per night. (A list will be sent with confirmation.)

**Skills required?** For **Day One**, no prior knowledge of Arches; for **Day Two**, a general understanding of Arches (e.g., attendance on Day One) and intermediate computer skills, but no software coding experience for configuration sessions is necessary.

**Who should attend?** Heritage professionals in government, NGOs, or private business; academics interested in heritage research and teaching; IT professionals interested in supporting implementations of Arches.

**A note for software developers:**

If you are interested in the backend technical details of Arches, please submit the registration form to let us know your interests. Depending on the amount and types of interest received, we may be able to offer some developer-focused technical sessions.

**Space is limited.**

*Preference will be given to those interested in deploying Arches for use in the cultural heritage sector.  
Space limitations may prevent us from accommodating large groups from the same organization.*

**REQUEST REGISTRATION on: [archesproject.org / liverpool-2017-request/](http://archesproject.org/liverpool-2017-request/)**

**Arches** is a modern open-source software platform that is purpose-built for the cultural heritage field and freely available for organizations to independently install to manage their inventories of cultural heritage places. For more information on Arches, please see: [archesproject.org](http://archesproject.org)

*The workshop is generously hosted by Liverpool John Moores University, Liverpool,  
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## Registration Request

In order to submit a registration request for the **Arches Workshop in Liverpool on March 29 and/or 30**, please complete the form below in as much detail as necessary. We will confirm receipt of your registration request and availability as soon as possible. Please note that space is limited.

*\*required fields*

Name\*

Email Address\*

Organization\*

Your title or position in your organization\*

Your particular interest in Arches (i.e., for what purpose do you intend to use Arches)\*

Your main reason for attending the workshop\*

Familiarity with Arches (e.g., no prior knowledge; I have used the demo site; I have installed Arches v.3)\*

If you are a software developer, please provide details of your areas of expertise and specific interest in Arches

Which day(s) would you like to attend the workshop\*

- BOTH** days (Mar. 29 & 30)     **ONLY Day One** (Mar. 29)     **ONLY Day Two** (Mar. 30)     **Other** (e.g., developer)

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Or email completed form to: [contact@archesproject.org](mailto:contact@archesproject.org)