



**EMASS**  
EARLY MEDIEVAL ARCHAEOLOGY  
STUDENT SYMPOSIUM

# EMASS 2016 University of Bristol

Chapter House, Bristol Cathedral

10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> May 2016



## CALL FOR PAPERS

The University of Bristol is pleased to announce the Call for Papers for the **10<sup>th</sup> Annual Early Medieval Archaeology Student Symposium**. EMASS 2016 will be hosted by the Department of Archaeology & Anthropology, University of Bristol, with sessions held in the stunning Chapter House of Bristol Cathedral.

EMASS represents a popular and friendly forum **for postgraduate students and early career researchers** investigating the early medieval period in Europe and beyond, providing a dynamic and stimulating environment in which to exchange ideas.

EMASS welcomes proposals for papers, posters and sessions which focus on any aspect of the early medieval period, broadly encompassing the **4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> centuries AD**, in **all geographical areas**. EMASS has always been **interdisciplinary** in scope, and we welcome papers from a range of fields.

Proposals by **international** researchers are also especially welcome, although please note that the symposium is conducted in English.

EMASS 2016 particularly encourages papers that explore **innovative methodologies and uses of technologies** in the study of early medieval archaeology.

EMASS 2016 is now inviting proposals for:

- **Papers:** 20 minutes, followed by time for discussion
- **Posters:** A1 or A2 in size
- **Sessions:** 2 or 3 papers linked by a common theme

Please send abstracts (max **250 words**), institutional affiliation and contact details to [earlymedievalarchaeology@gmail.com](mailto:earlymedievalarchaeology@gmail.com) by **Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2016**.

The symposium will include presentations over two days (10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> May), during which lunch and refreshments will be provided as part of the registration fee (*£tbc*). The EMASS fieldtrip will take place on 12<sup>th</sup> May.

EMASS 2016 committee: David Etheridge, Caitlin Greenwood, Dr Kate Mees, Alexander Thomas (Department of Archaeology & Anthropology, University of Bristol).