



**Connecting Communities to Industrial Heritage in the Swansea Valley**

**June 25th 2015**

**Swansea Museum Collections Centre, Landore**

**9.30 Arrivals and coffee**

**Part 1 – 9.45 – 10.40** **Celebrating community research**

Presentations including

* Celebrating community research in Swansea
* What community research means to me
* New opportunities presented by the Hafod-Morfa Copperworks development and the digital/living history laboratory
* New opportunities for connecting Copper Heritage Sites

**Part 2 – 10.45 to 12.30 Consolidating existing community research projects**

Workshop choices from:

* + - Making the links – sharing best practice and exploring connections between community projects involved in research-based projects
    - Bringing the past to life through Performative and Interactive technology
    - Connecting Creative Communities– using creativity to engage and build community

**11.25 Refreshments break**

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**12.30 LUNCH**

**1.25 Feedback from workshops**

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**Part 3 Expanding community engagement in research and heritage sites**

Carousel style workshops on

* + - Identifying new research for the Hafod-Morfa Copperworks
    - Connecting copper (and other) heritage sites up and down the LSV
    - Identifying emerging themes for future research in the Swansea Valley

Refreshments will be available during moves between workshops

**3.25 Bringing it all together. Discussion.**

**4.15 Close**