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Western Joint Branch

Newport Medieval Historic Ship Visit

Date: Friday, 21st of March 2025
Time: **14:00 – 16:30 (Please meet 15 minutes before)**
Venue: Newport Medieval Ship Project, Unit 20, Estuary Road, Queensway Meadows Industrial Estate, NP19 4SP
Organiser: Western Joint Branch RINA/IMarEST **Contact:** secretary.wjb@branches.imarest.org

Background: Uncover the tale of the Newport Medieval Ship, the largest late medieval vessel discovered in Britain. Found in 2002 during the construction of the Riverfront Arts Centre in Newport, this 15th-century ship with significant Iberian connections is believed to have arrived in the Severn Estuary after spring 1468. The ship likely played a role in trade between Britain and Iberia; come along and gain the insights into medieval shipbuilding and commerce.



Image from Medieval Histories, May 2017.

Transport Options:

Please use the following link to see transport options (note there is free parking at the museum) [How to get the Ship Centre — Newport Medieval Ship](#)

Please note the Western Joint branch will not be organising travel costs.

Registration:

Email secretary.wjb@branches.imarest.org to sign-up for free.



CPD Certificates will be sent out on request to the email address used to register.

Next event: SSN - AUKUS achievements, challenges & opportunities

Date: 14th April 2025; Time: Refreshments at 18:15, lecture starts at 18:45.

Venue: Lecture Theatre 1N05, Building N, University of the West of England (UWE), BS16 1QY



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