



Researching Abroad

FINDING EUROPEAN & BRITISH ISLES ANCESTORS

8 - 26 August 2017

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Adelaide

Wed–Thu 23–24 August 2017

a two day seminar focused on British Isles and European (particularly German) research

Features

- hear leading international family history presenters
- plus various local speakers
- learn about records you didn't know existed
- find out what your local society and library have that can help you with your search
- special roadshow offers and over \$1000 in prizes

Details

WHEN: Wednesday 23 Aug 2017, 9am – 4:50pm

Thursday 24 Aug 2017, 9am – 4:30pm

WHERE: The German Club

223 Flinders Street Adelaide, SA

COST: both days **\$87** one day **\$57**



Chris Paton

Scotland

British Isles stream

Professional genealogist, author, international speaker and writer of The GENES Blog concerning Britain, Ireland, and their diasporas

Dirk Weissleder *Germany*

German-European stream



Coordinator of the German-Australian Genealogy Alliance and the International German Genealogical Partnership

Principal sponsor



Other sponsors and exhibitors



- Genealogy SA
- Lutheran Archives
- SA German Association (German Club)
- State Library of South Australia

- Finders Cafe
- German-Australian Genealogy & History Alliance
- Mentis (Flip-Pal)
- Openbook Howden Print & Design
- StoriesKept
- Teapot Genealogy
- VicGUM

full details and online or phone bookings

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Program—*subject to minor change. See web site for further details*

Wednesday 23 August 2017

9.00am registration and exhibition
9.45am welcome and seminar introduction
9.50am British and Irish newspapers—*Chris Paton*
10.40am break and exhibition
11.10am Scottish research resources before 1800—*Chris Paton*
12.10pm British Isles resources at Genealogy SA
12.25pm British Isles resources at the State Library of SA
12.40pm lunch break and exhibition
2.00pm MyHeritage technologies 1
2.30pm British censuses and substitutes—*Chris Paton*
3.20pm prize draw
3.30pm break and exhibition
3.45pm Living DNA presentation
4.00pm Irish family history resources online—*Chris Paton*
4.50pm close

Thursday 24 August 2017

9.00am registration and exhibition
9.45am welcome and seminar introduction
9.50am Primary and secondary sources on genealogy in Germany—*Dirk Weissleder*
10.40am break and exhibition
11.10am Introduction to European research—*Dirk Weissleder*
12.10pm European resources at the Genealogy SA
12.20pm Resources at the Lutheran Archives
12.30pm European resources at the State Library of SA
12.40pm lunch break and exhibition
2.00pm MyHeritage technologies 2
2.15pm The International German Genealogical Partnership—*Dirk Weissleder*
2.30pm Using DNA to solve genealogical puzzles—*Richard Merry*
3.20pm break and exhibition
3.40pm Archives, libraries & institutions for genealogical researchers in Germany—*Dirk Weissleder*
4.30pm close

Presenters—*see web site for more complete speaker biographies*

Chris Paton (Scotland) will teach you how to delve deep in the British and Irish newspapers to find the stories that add flesh to the bone. He will also introduce you to British & Irish censuses and substitutes. Learn all about what Scottish records to look for prior to 1800 and what websites you should be using for your Irish research. Use these events to your advantage, and find what records can help you in your search.

Dirk Weissleder (Germany) brings his vast knowledge on what primary and secondary sources are available for German research and what you should be looking for. He will also give an introduction to researching elsewhere in Europe. He'll introduce you to the International German Genealogical Partnership and explain what its role is, and give attendees an overview of various archives, libraries and institutions in Germany.

Richard Merry (SA) will also give an introduction to genealogy DNA testing—the latest options available and explaining why it can now be an important genealogical tool to help solve genealogical puzzles.

Genealogy SA and the **State Library** will highlight what British Isles and European resources they have available and how they can help you with your research. The Lutheran Archives will speak on their resources.

BOOKING booking online is recommended (www.unlockthepast.com.au/researching-abroad)

Alternatively you may book by mail on this form or by phone

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BOOKING DETAILS

- Both days (\$87) tickets (qty) \$
- Wednesday only (\$57) tickets (qty) \$
- Thursday only (\$57) tickets (qty) \$

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$

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