



## Who are we?

ESEH is a scholarly society that was founded in 1999 to promote environmental history in Europe, by encouraging and supporting research, teaching and publications in the field. The Society aims to stimulate dialogue between the humanities, environmental science and other disciplines. It welcomes members from all disciplines and professions who share its interest in past relationships between human culture and the environment.

## Our aims

- Encourage the study of European environmental history in a comparative perspective.
- Foster communication among environmental historians across Europe, and with colleagues elsewhere.
- Promote the further institutional development of environmental history within secondary and tertiary education.
- Promote the research and use of environmental history in academic programmes.
- Strengthen the crucial link between environmental history, all policy-making, and the general public.

## Activities

### Newsletter

The society publishes a newsletter, *ESEH Notepad*, which is quarterly published in the journal *Environment and History*, published by White Horse Press in Cambridge.

### Website

ESEH also maintains this web site with the aim to provide resources and news for scholars and others interested in environmental history. The site also hosts a news page and it is the place to download a copy of the Notepad Newsletter. The website can be accessed at [www.eseh.org](http://www.eseh.org).

### Discussion list

Along with the American Society for Environmental History, ESEH coordinates H-Environment, an internet discussion forum that keeps subscribers posted about events and issues related to the field. For more information visit H- environment at [www.h-net.org/~environ/](http://www.h-net.org/~environ/).

## Conferences

The most important activity of ESEH is the organisation of biannual conferences at which scholars from all over Europe and the world gather to share their work.

Since 2001 ESEH has held four successful conferences in St. Andrews, Prague, Florence and Amsterdam, where scholars from all over Europe and beyond presented their research.

In 2009 ESEH is member of the consortium hosting the 1<sup>st</sup> World Conference of Environmental History, 4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> August 2009 in Kopenhagen (more information available on <http://wceh2009.org>). The 2011 ESEH Conference will be held in Turku, Finland (visit <http://www.eseh2011.utu.fi>). More information about our biannual meetings can be found on the ESEH website and in our newsletter.

## Membership

ESEH welcomes as its members all practitioners of European environmental history (including students). Membership of ESEH will enable you to receive all information and services provided by the society. The membership fees are paid annually and there are two types of membership:

- Full membership: 20 Euro per year
- Student membership: 10 Euro per year (with details of your affiliation and student number)

## Registration

To become a member you can fill out the membership registration form on the ESEH website: [www.eseh.org/membership.html](http://www.eseh.org/membership.html)

Alternatively write or email to the Secretary using the address shown at the right. The letter must include your name and affiliation. In case you are a student attach a copy of a valid student ID. After we have received your letter or email we will send you all the information needed to pay your membership fee.

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