

GLAM report for September 2013 board meeting	Author: Jonathan Cardy / GLAM Organiser
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### Projects from the last three months

1. Europeana Mass upload tool. Currently going through code review by WMF with a view to allowing it to go live on Commons.
2. Conway Hall, a successful weekday evening editathon in London. Possibility of more such events.
3. Open Culture 2013 – John Byrne, Edward Hands and Jonathan Cardy manned a stall donated by the collections trust. A big opportunity to talk to the unconverted, has already lead to Partage Plus.
4. Partage Plus – an Open knowledge and Europeana Project to promote Art Nouveau. They have uploaded 808 images to Commons and one of their interns who was tasked to “improve coverage of Art Nouveau” has been doing so by writing Wikipedia articles - helped by a training session from John Byrne.

### Projects in the next three months

#### 1. National Trust:

An editathon/workshop planned for Knowle in November – confirmation believed imminent. Possibly including training their volunteers to edit Wikipedia.

Also discussing with Knowle a possible “visitor engagement programme” whereby they link to “their” category on Wikimedia Commons as a place where photographs of Knowle and its contents can be uploaded. If this works we would aim to publicise it within the National Trust and Museums generally as a visitor engagement program.

#### 2. Imperial War Museum

Communication re-established, due to the revamp of their main museum they are only going to have spare Curator time to accept a WiR in the autumn of 2014, however there is the possibility of some backstage passes or special tours at other sites. I've asked them to consider a “tripods welcome” out of hours tour at Duxford for our photographers.

#### 3. Treasures of Cumbria

Discussions taking place with Cumbrian Museums re a joint “treasures of Cumbria” project.

#### 4. GLAM booklet

Similar to the education booklet, to be designed this quarter (end October) and printed this financial year.

5. GLAM working group The call for volunteers was not very successful, will informally liaise with two possibly interested responders and try to revive this at least as a breakout session at the London meetup

6. GLAM activity plan and budget spend – currently being finalised, draft available on the office wiki.