

NIMRUD ARCHAEOLOGICAL TRUST

England & Wales · Charity number 1202449

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Trust

Registered 2023-03-23

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC IN THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELDWORK AT THE SITE OF THE ANCIENT ASSYRIAN CAPITAL CITY OF NIMRUD, A SITE REGISTERED ON THE UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE TENTATIVE LIST, IN PARTICULAR BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY BY CONDUCTING AND SUPPORTING ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELDWORK, BY CONDUCTING AND/OR SUPPORTING UNIVERSITY BASED RESEARCH AND DISSEMINATING THE RESULTS OF THE FIELDWORK AND PROMOTING AWARENESS OF OUR MIDDLE EASTERN ARCHAEOLOGICAL HERITAGE.

Activities: The Nimrud Archaeological Trust exists in order to support fieldwork at the site of Nimrud, capital of the Assyrian Empire from the early ninth to the late eighth century BC, including clearance and rebuilding, scientific excavations, geophysical survey, contributing to the design of an on-site Museum, producing educational materials, training, and working with local communities.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Sponsors Or Undertakes Research
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Throughout England And Wales

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-12-31	£11,600	£30,330	-	-
2024-12-31	£60,760	£43,220	-	-
2023-12-31	£15,010	£375	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
DR JOHN MACGINNIS PHD	Chair	
Dr Anna Constantas		2022-08-09
Keith Williamson		2022-08-09

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Accounts

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT 2024

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Address

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Current Trustees

John MacGinnis, Edward Few, James Cormick

Other Trustees in 2024 (now resigned)

(none)

Governing document

The governing document is a Trust Deed enacted on May 7th 2015.

Method of appointing new trustees

New Trustees are appointed by a vote of the board of Trustees.

Reserves

On December 31st 2024 the Trust held £ 22,478.18 in reserve; the income over the calendar year was £60,759.77.

Public benefit

In exercising their powers and duties the Trustees have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Charity Commission.

Objects

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Activities

The principal activities which the Trust seeks to support are (1) archaeological fieldwork at Nimrud; (2) support of post excavation work such as writing up and associated research; (3) research and documentation of the inscribed material; (4) publication of research; (5) delivery of lectures on this work to both academic audiences and the wider public; and (6) outreach work in schools.

Achievements and performance

The Trust has had an excellent year, supporting and participating in two seasons of field work at Nimrud, in Spring and Autumn 2024. The main activities have been: (1) excavations in the Temple of Ninurta; (2) excavations in the "Upper Chambers", the palace of Adad-nerari III; (3) copying and deciphering of inscriptions written in ancient Assyrian cuneiform writing; (4) work on the conservation of small finds; and (5) delivery of public lectures including in London at Mansion House and at the Palestine Excavation Fund.

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2024

	income	income	expenditure	balance
01.01.24				£14,634.52
21.03.24	JDA	£583.17		£15,217.69
25.03.24	Marsh CT	£500.00		£15,717.69
25.03.24	Priestley	£2,500.00		£18,217.69
20.05.24			test payment	£1.00
20.05.24			Conservation	£4,515.00
23.05.24			Dollars purchases	£9,696.06
14.06.24	Hedley CT	£5,000.00		£9,005.63
25.06.24	GiftAid	£625.00		£9,630.63
19.07.24	Portman	£20,000.00		£29,630.63
25.07.24	Harding	£20,000.00		£49,630.63
08.08.24	Ian Askew	£1,000.00		£50,630.63
19.08.24			flights	£3,090.58
20.08.24			Nimrud book	£54.42
20.08.24			Dollars purchase	£3,953.51
29.08.24		£5,000.00	Giftaid	
03.09.24			Dollars purchase	£7,495.33
09.09.24			Dollars purchase	£2,329.74
09.09.24			insurance	£1,400.40
09.09.24			Dollars purchase	£1,842.06
09.09.24		£1,400.40	insurance refund (cance	
10.09.24			KM insurance	£672.18
18.10.24		£648.10	flight refund	
15.11.24			archaeologist salary (Oct-Nov)	£6,000.00
15.11.24			Conservator salary	£5,645.00
21.11.24	Faringdon	£2,000.00		£27,195.91
25.11.24			travel expenses (van Santen)	£189.01
26.11.24		£1,503.10	flight refund	
26.11.24			flight	£305.28
26.11.24			reimbursement of \$450	£373.68
26.11.24			autumn small expenses	£707.00
29.11.24			printing	£1,645.86
23.12.24			archaeologist salary (Dec)	£3,000.00
totals 2024		£60,759.77	£52,916.11	

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