

## Appendix 2 - Delegate submitted items - UAG September 2015

**- Could you ask about TNA providing more publicity for newly accessioned materials and series/material that have been re-catalogued? It is hard to find out what is happening in these areas.**

With regard to newly accessioned records, these are coming in all the time, due to FOI, rather than the previous annual January influx. At the meeting Lee demonstrated a way of finding recently opened records using Discovery. He would be more than happy to show you this next time we meet.

Our Head of cataloguing has responded as follows regarding material that has been re-catalogued:

I am very pleased to hear feedback demanding more publicity for cataloguing projects.

There is a brief cataloguing update that we have provided for the UAG. It is brief because not many projects are completed during June-July-August. I also have a note on two projects that will be live soon (as checking and loading is happening at the moment).

We have the website annual updates and regularly work with ARK and inform Marketing about them. We published an article in the Academic newsletter and are about to publish another one in Magna (The Friends Magazine). I can certainly take this feedback to the Cataloguing Panel (which monitors project progress and standards) and am thinking of inviting somebody from Marketing to attend. They would hear more about projects and perhaps spot what they think has potential.

I will like to mention the two projects that are currently making good progress:

Enhanced descriptions are currently being checked and loaded for the Jacobite Anniversaries project for records in SP 35, SP 36 and SP 55. This project is opening up a key primary source for the understanding of the Jacobite rebellions.

The Unknown Treasures Project is tackling our historic cataloguing backlog by sorting and accessioning 4,000 files from the Court of Common Pleas (CP 52): a first batch of 2,272 medieval descriptions are fully checked and ready to be loaded (reigns of Henry IV, Henry V, Henry VI, Edward IV and Edward V, 1399-1483). The listing of writs for Henry VIII, Edward VI, Philip and Mary and Elizabeth has recently been completed. There will be an update on this project during Catalogue Day.

We also have the annual Catalogue day scheduled for Friday 27 November 2015. We will commence booking via our website shortly

Please access the link below for more up to date information about ongoing cataloguing projects.

<http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/about/cataloguing-projects-14-15.htm>