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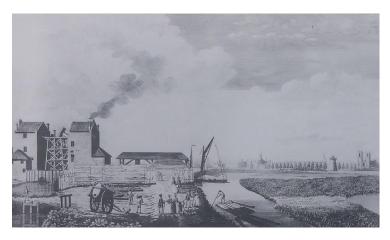
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Room QA075, Edinburgh Room Queen Anne Court, University of Greenwich Old Royal Naval College Park Row, London SE10 9LS

Thurs 8 December 2016 at 6.00 pm

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London's Waterscapes: Land Drainage and Water Supply in the Eighteenth Century



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London's rapid urban expansion during the eighteenth century had a profound impact on the city's management of water. New areas had to be drained to prevent water flooding homes. Water was needed for homes and fire-fighting. This talk evaluates the changes in London's visual and cultural waterscape as a result of the city's expansion further away from the Thames, and the extent to which these are still visible today.







About these talks

These talks are organized by the **Raphael Samuel History Centre** (http://raphael-samuel.org.uk/) in conjunction with the University of Greenwich (Dept of History, Politics and Social Sciences & Greenwich Maritime Centre)

Getting to Greenwich Campus (Old Royal Naval College)

Please see this webpage for details of how to get to the venue by public transport: http://www2.gre.ac.uk/about/travel/greenwich (There is unfortunately no parking available.)

Edinburgh Room (QA075) is in **Queen Anne's Court** (no. 2 below) on the Old Royal Naval College campus of the University (NE corner, nearest the river). Accessed via the Grand Square, up a few steps into the building, through the first door on your left into the Gallery, then through the first door on your right.

