

October update – Hannah H.

Over October I was quite busy! I went to the Museums' Association Conference in Brighton, which was really interesting, and I managed to learn a lot about the museum industry. It was great to be able to fit this in with the knowledge I've gained over the last year. We also got to look around Brighton Pavilion which really is a lovely building and has a great collection.

I was also able to visit *Lord Nelson* on her final trip from Portsmouth. The rigger at the National Museum of the Royal Navy has sailed on *Lord Nelson* before so showed me around, and explained how the vessel has been altered for disabled people. It's a great ship and I hope one day it can be recommissioned.

We also had our Networking Day which included our 10-minute presentations on our experiences. This was the last formal day of our programme! The presentation was quite nerve-racking and actually quite hard trying to cover everything I've done in a 10-minute Powerpoint! It was an excellent day to finish our programmes. There were people from the industry and the new trainees too.

At the moment I've moved back to the South West and am looking for a job in the heritage industry in Bristol/Devon/Somerset.

