

# Historic Buildings

## CPD seminar

Traditional vernacular building construction and materials

### Little Moreton Hall, Cheshire

The day's course will consider in depth three aspects of building conservation.

- The care and repair of historic timber frames and roof structures
- Frame infill panels, plaster finishes and historic glazing.
- Problems of decay and methods of repair

The venue has been carefully chosen as Little Moreton Hall is one of the finest examples of traditional timber framed construction in the country. The building illustrates very fine 16<sup>th</sup> century Carpentry and joinery and surviving historic plasterwork and glazing. The day will include formal Power Point presentations, material handling sessions and first hand observations of the buildings. The morning's presentations will be based at the nearby Egerton Arms where we will also have lunch. The afternoon will be spent looking at Little Moreton Hall so come suitably dressed for the weather conditions of the day.

#### Main Themes

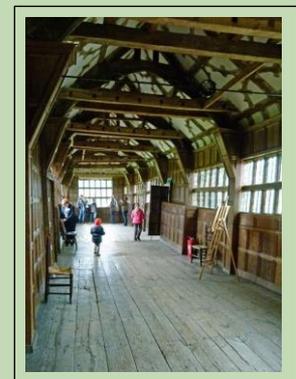
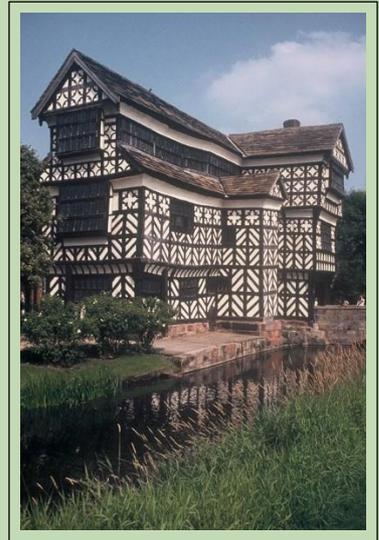
#### **The History and Development of Historic Timber Frames and Roof Structures**

- The historic development of timber frames and roof structures from the medieval period to the 19<sup>th</sup> century
- Causes of decay and failure including mechanical failure, rot and insect attack.
- Approach to structural repairs, selection and use of materials and techniques.
- Case Studies

#### **Historic Infill panels and Plasterwork**

- The history and construction of historic infill panels, including wattle and daub and masonry.
- Early lime plasters and their application.
- The historic development of window glass and Glazing.
- Approaches to repair and replacement.

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**When:** 3 May 2019

**Where:** Egerton Arms Country Inn, Congleton followed by Little Moreton Hall

**Time:** 0900 - 1630

**Cost:** £125 + VAT (£150) to include refreshments, entrance to Little Moreton Hall, lunch and delegate notes