

Kate Harwood

Kate is a garden historian, holding a Masters in Garden History from Birkbeck College. She is a lecturer, writer and researcher in garden history. She has previously taught for Cambridge University and Birkbeck College, London.

Her work has led her to take an active part in planning and conservation and she is Conservation Officer for Hertfordshire Gardens Trust, commenting on Local Plans and planning applications as they affect historic parks and gardens across the county. She is also part of the Conservation Committee of the Gardens Trust and thus part of the national planning team.

She organises courses on garden history for Herts Gardens Trust, local history societies and others and also runs a series of walks round historic sites, including Garden Cities.

She was also the national research co-ordinator for CB300, and is involved in the Repton Bicentenary of 2018