HISTORY

Simplifying Beer
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Study morning
Saturday 25 November
Course code: 17TON303

Course fee: £25

Do you know your sparge from your wort? Confused by just what a ‘craft beer’ is? What do hops actually DO anyway? This course will endeavour to demystify the world of beer for those who want to know more about it, but are bewildered by the seemingly endless confusing terminology of the world of beer and brewing.

The 21st Century ‘Craft Beer Revolution’ has brought with it a real interest in beer, and a massive amount of variety. But what does it all mean? What difference does having 5 kinds of hops make to the taste? This course is designed for those with little or no knowledge of brewing or the world of beer – but who want to know more.

We will go through the entire process of making beer, without using insider language, and will define terms used every day in brewing.

The session will also cover the various styles of beer available today, and a little bit about the differences between them – unfortunately no tastings will be available.

Students will also learn about the origin of the ‘Craft Beer Revolution’, starting from its American roots and how it became the global movement we know today.

Additional information
This course is suitable for those with no prior knowledge of the subject, and allows you to spend time exploring the subject for interest, among like-minded people, without formal assessment. There may be discussion opportunities during the course.

About the tutor
As a museum curator, Jeremy has taught in museums and galleries across the UK for a decade, with most of his work focusing on public engagement and access. He is presently a curator of Tunbridge Wells Museum & Art Gallery. He is a passionate facilitator and enjoys finding new ways of helping people experience art, history and science. A keen military historian, he has lectured to members of the public and serving personnel on behalf of the Royal Engineers.
Short Course Programme
General information, terms & conditions

How to book a place
These courses are usually very popular so you are advised to apply as soon as possible. Places cannot be held without payment of the course fee.

- **Online Booking is preferred:** Please visit www.kent.ac.uk/tonbridge
- **By post** to us at the address below, using the application form in the programme booklet. Please note that you will not receive an acknowledgment of your paper application; your payment will usually be processed when the course becomes financially viable, otherwise we will notify you of cancellation approximately seven days prior to the course. A paper application affirms acceptance of our terms & conditions.

Course cancellation
As these short courses are self-financing, each course can only proceed if there are sufficient enrolments. Therefore, if a course is cancelled due to insufficient enrolments we aim to notify applicants approximately one week before the course start date; if there is no suitable alternative course, we will refund the appropriate course fee in full. The University of Kent reserves the right to cancel a course for this or any other reason in which case the relevant course fee will be refunded in full.

If you find it necessary to cancel your place on a course, please let us know as soon as possible. Refund requests, including the reason, should be made by email or in writing to us at the address below. We reserve the right to retain all or part of the course fee if you request a refund after 14 days of your online booking being made or paper application being received. Discretionary, partial refunds may be made, after the deduction of an administrative handling fee as follows:

- a course fee of up to and including £42 will incur an administrative handling fee of £10.00
- a course fee of £43 and over will incur an administrative handling fee of £12.50.

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b) cancel or amend the length of any course if the circumstances so warrant.

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