

# Archives *for* London

seminar series

## Serendipity in the Archives

*share your moments of chance discovery, fun  
and fireworks for the 5 November seminar*

Archives are full of small moments of wonder and Archives *for* London is pleased to host an indulgent evening, sharing and celebrating some favourite discoveries and pleasures of archive users and practitioners.

Join us as Melanie Aspey from the Rothschild Archive and archive user Jane Cox look at the role of chance in what we find in the depth and breadth of London's archives.

We'll also be sharing tales from practitioners and users and would love to hear your unexpected, unusual and exciting tales. Please send your stories to Jeff Gerhardt by email to [seminars@archivesforlondon.gov.uk](mailto:seminars@archivesforlondon.gov.uk) or c/o London Metropolitan Archives, 40 Northampton Road, London EC1R 0HB.

*No discovery is too small  
- from sparklers to rockets all stories are welcome!*

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**Thursday 5 November 2009**, 6:00pm (doors 5:30pm) - 7:30pm  
at **London College of Communication** (Street Lecture Theatre)  
Elephant and Castle, London SE1 6SB (zone 1, opposite the  
shopping centre; map at [www.lcc.arts.ac.uk/contact\\_lcc.htm](http://www.lcc.arts.ac.uk/contact_lcc.htm))

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