***Stephen James Dockrill***

***Curriculum Vitae***

***Date of Birth:*** 3-12-1955

***Current Position:*** **Senior Lecturer in Archaeology**, Archaeological, Environmental and Geographical Sciences, University of Bradford.

***My research may be summarised under the following headings:***

* Prehistoric Landscape Development (represented by the excavation work at Tofts Ness, Sanday, Orkney, the South Nesting Palaeolandscape Project in Shetland, the Old Scatness / Jarlshof Environs Project, and the Orkney: Gateway to the Atlantic Project .
* Architectural Development in Iron Age North Atlantic Britain (supported by the Tofts Ness & Old Scatness Projects).
* Intensification of Agriculture and Sustainability in North Atlantic Britain (supported by the Tofts Ness, South Nesting & Old Scatness Projects and the Orkney: Gateway to the Atlantic).
* Economic and Cultural Contact, Continuity and Change in the North Atlantic (supported by the Tofts Ness & Old Scatness Projects and currently by the Orkney: Gateway to the Atlantic).
* The Development of Social Hierarchies & the Foundations of Power in the North Atlantic Zone (supported by the Tofts Ness & Old Scatness Projects).

***Teaching:*** My teaching covers a wide spectrum of the Bradford Department’s archaeology provision at all levels including Masters. I am innovative in course design, especially at Stage 1, providing hands on workshops developing individual skills and simulation exercises within group work designed to stimulate archaeological assessment and presentation of results. A number of assessment strategies are adopted in my modules in order to maximise their respective learning outcomes including reflective self-evaluation. I was nominated for the Vice Chancellor’s Teaching Award in 2001. I have directed Field School projects at *Tofts Ness* (Orkney) 1985-8, *South Nesting* (Shetland) 1991-4, *Old Scatness Viking & Iron Age Village* (Shetland 1995-2006) and currently the NABO field School; *Orkney: Gateway to the Atlantic*.

***Administration:*** My current Administrative duty is that of Admissions Tutor (2005 onwards).

***Professional Activities and Areas of Esteem***

* Elected Member of the *Society of Antiquaries of London* (2007).
* Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries (Scotland)
* MIFA (1984) Member of the Institute of Field Archaeologists
* Invited Member of the Editorial Board *The Journal of the North Atlantic*
* Invited Member of the Editorial Committee *Archaeologica Islandica.*
* Conference Organiser NABO 2008: *Archaeological Futures: A Research Agenda for the North Atlantic*
* External Examiner for the MA in Archaeological Practice at Orkney College, the University of the Highlands & Islands.

**Qualifications (with date of award):**

* *MPhil* (University of Bradford). 1993 *The human palaeoecology of Sanday, Orkney with particular reference to Tofts Ness: An*integrated study of the relationship between settlement and infield soil management practices in prehistory.
* *Certificate in Practical Archaeology* 1975-1977 (Dorset Institute of Higher Education / University of Southampton)

*Dockrill Publications:*

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Forster, A. K., J. Thomas & S. J. Dockrill 2004. 2 Spatial Analysis and Cultural Indicators; Viking settlers at Old Scatness Broch. In J. Hines, A. Lane and M. Redknap (ed.) *Land, Sea, and Home*: Society for Medieval Archaeology Monograph No. 20. 219-233. London: Society for Medieval Archaeology

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