



**Hampshire Gardens Trust  
Research Group Study Day**

**Biographical Notes on our Speakers**

**Wendy Bishop**

After a career in teaching, including Malawian secondary schools and a 'borstal' for special needs children in Calne, Wendy received a stern 'health warning', and retrained, firstly doing a degree in garden design at Sparsholt, and then an MA in garden history with Prof. Tim Mowl at Bristol. This was then followed by a PhD on ornamental lakes at UEA with Prof. Tom Williamson. She is now an independent landscape historian.

**Sally Miller**

Sally Miller, MA, is a garden historian, a Trustee of Hampshire Gardens Trust and leads the Trust's Research Group. Before moving to Hampshire several years ago she filled similar roles with the London Parks and Gardens Trust. Sally has been published in academic journals and has written two books on London parks.

**Robert Orford**

Robert Orford has 45 years' engineering experience, mostly working in the UK with some overseas work. He is the director of a family business with a variety of clients in both the public and private sector. Work includes the Blue Water Lakes, many National Trust properties, the Orangutan and Spectacle Bear areas at Jersey Zoo and very recently completed water features within the Temperate House at Kew Gardens. He has worked on numerous private landscapes, custom constructing Kim Wilkie designs.