



‘Caring for Historic Houses’

November/December 2009

Heritage Malta is organising two courses, one in English and the other in Maltese, on the caring of historic houses. The courses are aimed primarily at homeowners, professionals and crafts persons and others involved in the caring of houses of character and historic houses in Malta. There is a growing interest in the conservation and conversion of these buildings but not all the work that is being carried out is guaranteeing their conservation.

The course will help participants to appreciate better the urban development of our old towns and villages and the architectural development within them. It will also give guidance on the best practices which are to be used in the conservation, restoration, rehabilitation and use of these houses. This will provide better knowledge on what is possible to do yourself and when the professional needs to be called in.

The course will be held on Fridays at the Heritage Malta Head Office in Merchants Street, Valletta. The first session start on the 6th November. Other sessions will be held on the 13th, 20th, 27th and 5th December 2009. The final session will be held on site at Zejtun.

The courses will be 10 hours long. All sessions will be held between 18.00hrs and 20.00hrs . Few places are available.

The closing date for applications 30th October 2009

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