

Institution of Civil Engineers Scotland Museum

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MUSEUM COMMITTEE - ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23

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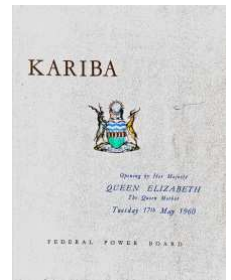
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Over the course of the year the museum has acquired 22 new items. These include:



- various items from the Union Chain Bridge including an original short 3 ft chain eye-bar (2022/016) - a number of these items are currently on display
- papers relating to a number of hydro-electric projects world-wide with items from the Kariba Dam including the official brochure for the opening ceremony in 1960 (2023/014.02)



Progress is being made in providing additional shelf space and we are continuing to refresh a number of our displays.

The museum continues to work towards accreditation with Museums Galleries Scotland (MGS). Accreditation with MGS will provide access to assistance and grants. Some largely unforeseen hurdles have been identified and it is hoped that these will be resolved soon.

If any members have items they think may be of interest to the museum please let us know. Contact details are provided on the museum website.

We are always pleased to organise guided tours round the museum and again contact details are provided on the museum website.

The museum website and online catalogue can be found at <https://ice-museum-scotland.hw.ac.uk/>.



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