



METHODS IN MATERIAL CULTURE WORKING GROUP

# OBJECT STUDY- SKILLS WORKSHOP

AT THE WINTERTHUR MUSEUM

**THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 2017**

**10:00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.**

WINTERTHUR MUSEUM, GARDEN & LIBRARY

5105 KENNETT PIKE, WILMINGTON, DELAWARE 19807

**THE CURATORIAL OBJECT: SOURCES AND METHODS**

Successful material culture scholarship is grounded in close analysis of objects—an exercise that requires familiarity with materials and expertise in the technique of close looking. Join Winterthur Museum and Library staff for a survey of the fundamentals of object study. Enjoy exclusive access to Winterthur’s collections, orient yourself to Library and Museum resources, and engage in hands-on activities to sharpen your skills! This introduction to the nuts and bolts of object study will prepare you to launch your own material culture research efforts.

PLEASE RSVP BY TUESDAY, JUNE 20TH, TO ALEX AMES, [ALAMES@UDEL.EDU](mailto:ALAMES@UDEL.EDU)

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