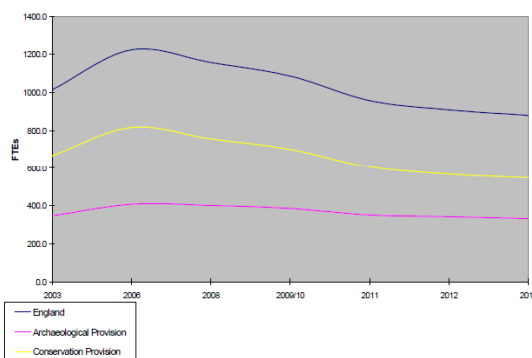


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Figure 1 Conservation, archaeological and total expert advice expressed as FTEs



**ALGAO Rapid survey 2014**

FTE posts providing archaeological advice

**North-west, North-east and Yorkshire and Humber**

20% reduction over last year

**Midlands and South-west**

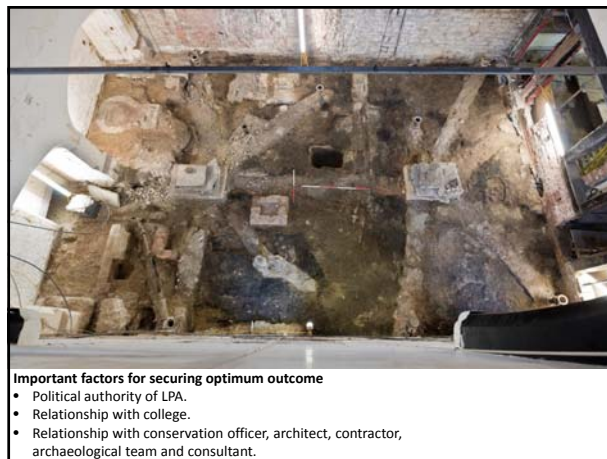
13.5% reduction over last year

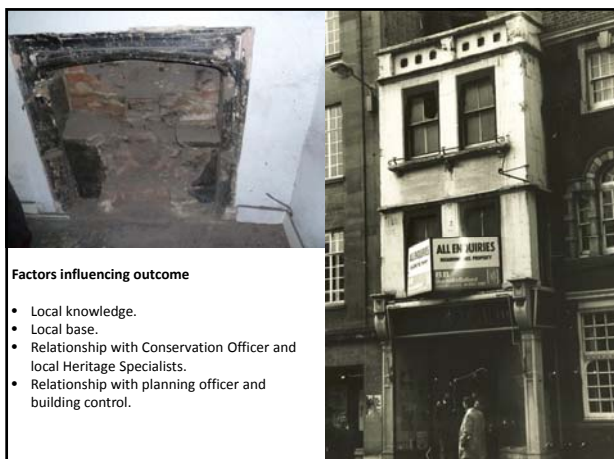
**South-east and London**

3.5% reduction over last year

**ALGAO Skills survey 2013**

- 72% aged 55 years old or older. 70% have more than 20 years' experience.
- Skills gaps in promotion, business management and fundraising
- A large number of experienced individuals are leaving the sector either voluntarily or otherwise through retirement or creating their own consultancy companies.
  - Urban archaeology- skills gap?





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