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AIM 2021 Conference shaping up - tickets on sale now!

What hard lessons are we learning in the face of the pandemic? What skills or new ways of working have we developed – and might they help us prepare for an uncertain future?

AIM's Annual Conference faces these questions head on, helping delegates build on their strengths to meet the challenges of the future with confidence and creativity. We'll be looking at the importance of leadership and good governance during hard times, sharing the new ways of working we have adopted and forecasting what next for the sector.

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[Buy Early Bird tickets now](#)



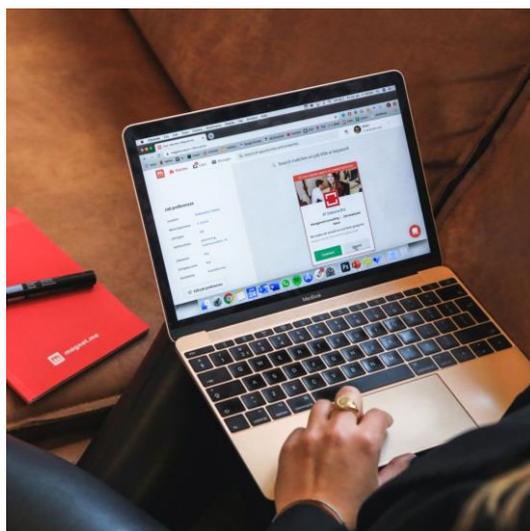
Confirmed speakers (to date)

- Secretary of State for Digital Culture Media and Sport, Rt Hon. Oliver Dowden CBE MP
- Tim Parker, Chair, National Trust
- Sara Wajid and Zak Mensah, Joint CEOs, Birmingham Museums Trust
- Sarah Philp, ArtFund

[See the full list of confirmed speakers>>](#)

What can you expect?

From practical sessions to personal reflections, expert plenaries to virtual networking, this virtual conference will bring together delegates from across the UK for engaging sessions led by practitioners, professionals, experts, and policymakers. [Find out more>>](#)



AIM training grants

We'll be offering a small number of grants for those considering attending the conference for the first time, with a particular focus on freelancer members.

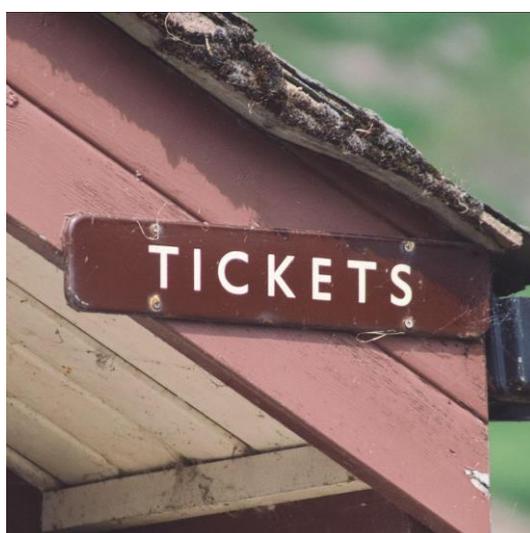
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Tickets

Early Bird Tickets have just been released - get your's today!

[AIM Member 3 day conference ticket \(early bird\) £45.00](#)

[Non-AIM Members 3 day conference ticket £90.00](#)



In other news this week...

- Hallmarks at Home - the latest webinars for AIM members are open for bookings now, including Marketing and communications as we reopen (14 April), Core business review (21 April) and Volunteering and the new normal (28 April). [Find out more and book>>](#)
- Museum trustee induction training - we've launched our first sessions for new museum trustees, helping you and your board improve the governance of your museum. [Find out more and book>>](#)
- We were pleased to see that AIM members were once again included in the latest round of Culture Recovery Fund awards. [Read more>>](#)



Job vacancies

Apply for the latest vacancies from American Museum & Gardens (pictured), Port Sunlight Village Trust and more.

[See the latest job vacancies on our website>>](#)

Trustee vacancies

Take a look at the latest museum trustee vacancies including Tiverton Museum of Mid-Devon Life (pictured), Almond Valley Heritage Trust, The Shuttleworth Trust, Port Sunlight Village, Trust, Holst Birthplace Trust, plus many more.

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