

Art Gallery/Museum Curators - Creating Sense Able Visits



Overview

Come on this 3 hour course to gain an insight into sensory disabilities. Hear from tutors who are deaf and blind themselves how they (and others) access Museum and Gallery works. Experience simulation activities to understand both barriers and solutions to accessibility issues. Explore the challenge of balancing art with accessibility.

Who should come on the course?

- This course is aimed at people responsible for the design and installation of works including curators.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course you will:

- Know the extent of the UK population affected by sensory impairments.
- Be aware of possible barriers and solutions in term of access for people with sensory impairments.
- Know what the legal position is in relation to disability equality.
- Be aware of the need to balance access and art and have strategies to help you.

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Course Content

- Registration, welcome and introductions.
- Statistics, terminology and definitions.
- Simulation activities of blindness, partial sight and severe hearing loss.
- In my shoes – Light hearted presentation by blind and deaf tutors of their own experiences of sensory impairment and access issues.
- The spirit of the Equality Act 2010
- The challenge - balancing art, the artist and access.
- Evaluation and close

Booking Information

- **Organisations** - Training can be at your venue on dates to suit you for up to 15 delegates.

Please contact HearFirst for further information.

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