

Are you the future face of museums?

If you are looking to start a career in museums and have the passion and motivation to keep learning, then Norfolk Museums and Archaeology Service wants to hear from you.

We have set up an exciting scheme for up to **8 Museum Trainees** as part of our ambition to become a Teaching Museum. These starter posts are offered on a 12 months fixed term contract from January 2014 at a salary of £15,725, as a stepping stone into the world of museums. A range of traineeships are on offer providing the opportunity to work with museum collections: handling, documenting and caring for objects/artefacts and to bring them to life for visitors, for example, through displays, events and social media.

We will provide you with a training and development programme delivered by museum professionals who are experts in their field. You'll be equipped with the information you need to do a good job and the skills, knowledge and experience to pursue a career within the museum sector. No previous museum experience is required but we are looking for higher level education (A Levels or a degree), demonstrable interest in the museum sector and experience of working in a public-facing, customer service type role.

We want trainees who will never stop learning, people with an inquisitive mind and lots of ideas, who can act with integrity and demonstrate their excellent communication skills. Ultimately, we are looking for people with a passion for museums and the enthusiasm and empathy to make every visitor feel valued.

Does this sound like you?

If so you can find out more about this opportunity by attending a briefing session for potential applicants **on Friday 26 or Saturday 27 July 2013, at Norwich Castle Museum and Art Gallery.**

You will have the opportunity to find out more about the scheme, the trainee posts on offer and how to apply.

Places are limited and so booking is essential at: www.sharemuseumseast.org.uk > Training Calendar.

Bookings close at 12 noon on 18 July 2013 or earlier if sessions are full.

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