

annual program 2020

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FEBRUARY

TOUR

Twilight Tours

Guided walking tour visiting two CBD locations. Meet the curator of two current exhibitions; 'Velvet, Iron, Ashes' at the State Library Victoria and 'Pleasure' at RMIT Gallery. Followed by casual networking drinks.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Thursday 13 February
5.15pm-7pm
State Library Victoria

SEMINAR

Braver! Bolder!

In collaboration with ENVI and the SPP network this seminar will explore socially engaged education programs within the museum and gallery sector.

ENVI/ AMaGA Vic members: \$25.00
Non-members: \$30.00

Wednesday 19 February
2pm-4pm
Melbourne Museum

MARCH

TOUR

Australian Sports Museum

After re-opening in late February 2020, enjoy a guided tour of the newly redeveloped (and renamed) Australian Sports Museum - led by Manager Jed Smith.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Thursday 12 March
4pm-5pm
Australian Sports Museum

TOUR

Gippsland Art Gallery

Enjoy a guided tour of Gippsland Art Gallery led by Director, Simon Gregg and hear about the learnings and successes of the 2018 redevelopment of the gallery.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Friday 27 March
10am-11am
Gippsland Art Gallery

WORKSHOP

Designing a Travelling Exhibition

This workshop, targeted at small museums and volunteers will look at exhibition development, design principles, installation and display techniques for exhibitions that are easily transportable and can be displayed in a range of venues.

Members: \$35
Non-Members: \$40

Friday 27 March
1pm-4pm
Bairnsdale Library

APRIL

WORKSHOP

Art Handling and Installation

Join Joseph Dawson from TITLE UNTITLED to gain practical insights from a professional Gallery Technician, preparing two and three dimensional art works for display, safe handling of artworks and installation techniques. This event is aimed at curators, collection managers, installation staff at small-to-medium organisations and gallery and museum studies students.

Members and students: \$70
Non-members: \$130

Thursday 23 April
1.30pm-4.30pm
Art Gallery of Ballarat

WORKSHOP

Victorian Collections

This hands-on workshop will guide you through the process of cataloguing on the Victorian Collections system and cover basic principles of collection management, object handling and digitisation.

Members: \$10
Non-members: \$20

Tuesday 21 April
10am-3pm
Ballarat Mechanics' Institute

MASTERCLASS

Inclusive Text

This full day masterclass will explore writing engaging content, considering diverse audiences and employing inclusive language in all communications - from writing exhibition labels to marketing.

Members: \$135
Non-members: \$225

Wednesday 29 April
10am-4pm
Heide Museum of Modern Art

MAY

SECTOR EVENT

General Meeting

The General Meeting offers the chance to network with colleagues and catch up on developments at AMaGA Victoria. The evening will begin with a tour of the Hellenic Museum, followed by formal proceedings and refreshments.

Free for members

Tuesday 5 May
5.30pm-7.30pm
Hellenic Museum

AMAGA SOCIAL

Book Club

Gather with colleagues for a casual book club and networking session to discuss Bruce Pascoe's *Dark Emu*. Followed by a

Dark Emu inspired gallery tour of Bunjilaka by Kimberley Moulton, Senior Curator of South Eastern Aboriginal Collections at Melbourne Museum.

Members: \$10
Non-members: \$15

Thursday 14 May
2pm-4pm
Melbourne Museum

IMPORTANT DATE

Nominations open for the Victorian Museums and Galleries Awards
Monday 25 May

WORKSHOP

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Members: \$10
Non-members: \$20

Tuesday 26 May
10am-3pm
Melbourne Museum

JUNE

WORKSHOP

Caring for Collections: Storage

This workshop will guide participants through space maximising, cost effective, logistical and practical tips to help RE-ORG their collection store. Includes a tour of the store at the RMIT Design Archive.

Members: \$50
Non-members: \$80

Wednesday 4 June
1pm-4.30pm
RMIT Design Archive

TOUR

Te Pasifika Gallery

Enjoy a guided tour of the soon to be redeveloped Te Pasifika Gallery at Melbourne Museum. The tour will include insight into the process to date including community consultation, concept development and exhibition design.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Thursday 11 June
2pm-3pm
Melbourne Museum

SEMINAR

Managing Volunteers

From attracting younger volunteers to succession planning this seminar will cover how to recruit volunteers, how to train them, how to manage, and how to keep them. Learn from those with successful volunteer programs, who will share strategies for managing volunteers of all ages and abilities.

Members: \$45
Non-members: \$60

Tuesday 23 June
1pm-4.30pm
Museo Italiano

IMPORTANT DATE

Nominations close for the Victorian Museums and Galleries Awards
Friday 26 June

JULY

WORKSHOP

Victorian Collections

This hands-on workshop will guide you through the process of cataloguing on the Victorian Collections system and cover basic principles of collection management, object handling and digitisation.

Members: \$10
Non-members: \$20

Tuesday 7 July
10am-3pm
Melbourne Museum

EXHIBITION VIEWING AND LECTURE

Pierre Bonnard

Enjoy an exclusive introductory lecture by a senior gallery educator and visit the exhibition during the Friday Nights program. Price includes lecture and exhibition entrance. Presented in partnership with the Education Network Victoria (ENVI).

Cost: \$40

Friday 17 July
5.30pm-9.30pm
NGV International

AUGUST

SECTOR EVENT

Victorian Museums and Galleries Awards

Celebrate the amazing achievements of the Victorian museum and gallery sector with friends and colleagues. Generously supported by the State Library Victoria and hosted in their Conversation Quarter, which recently opened as part of the Library's *Vision2020* redevelopment project. Includes drinks and canapés.

Members: \$70
Non-members: \$90

Tuesday 4 August
6pm-8.30pm
State Library Victoria

WEBINAR

Sources of Income

Beyond grants: this webinar will share tips for securing funding; relationship building, fundraising, corporate partnerships and securing in kind services and donations.

Members: \$40
Non-Members: \$80

Tuesday 18 August
2.30pm-4pm

SEPTEMBER

SECTOR EVENT

Victorian Collections Day
A full day devoted to Victorian Collections users and community collecting

organisations, VC Day will assist you to achieve the best care for your collection. Hear from museum and gallery industry experts on topics including collection management, conservation and exhibition skills.

Members and students: \$30
Non-members: \$40

Tuesday 8 September
10am-4pm
Location: TBA

TOUR

ACMI

Enjoy a guided tour of the newly redeveloped Australian Centre for the Moving Image, led by Senior Curator Sarah Tutton.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Wednesday 16 September
10.30am-12pm
ACMI

OCTOBER

STATE FORUM

Victorian Museums and Galleries Forum

'Collecting (in) 2020' will bring together members, professionals, volunteers, students and the wider community to hear museum and gallery professionals discuss current issues in the sector.

Early bird: \$120
Members and students: \$150
Non-members: \$225

Thursday 22 October
10am-5pm
Castlemaine

WORKSHOP

Victorian Collections

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Members: \$10
Non-members: \$20

Tuesday 27 October
10am-3pm
Melbourne Museum

NOVEMBER

TOUR AND WORKSHOP

Look History in the Eye at the Archives Centre

Targeted at curators with an interest in Victorian history, this workshop, presented in partnership with the Public Record Office of Victoria (PROV) will provide training on how to research their collection catalogue, which features three new photographic collections. Includes a tour of the PROV Collection.

Members: \$15
Non-members: \$20

Wednesday 11 November
2pm-4pm
Victorian Archives Centre

SEMINAR

Redevelopment

This seminar explores what 'redevelopment' means for museums and galleries. From feasibility studies to reopening the doors, learn about the process, its challenges and its potential.

Members: \$40
Non-members: \$60

Thursday 19 November
2pm-5pm
Kathleen Syme Library and Community Centre

WORKSHOP

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This hands-on workshop will guide you through the process of cataloguing on the Victorian Collections system and cover basic principles of collection management, object handling and digitisation.

Members: \$10
Non-members: \$20

Tuesday 24 November
10am-3pm
Melbourne Museum

DECEMBER

SECTOR EVENT

End of Year Celebration

Join us, friends and colleagues for a festive end of year celebration. Includes drinks, prizes, entertainment and canapés.

Cost: \$60

Tuesday 8 December
6pm-8.30pm
Melbourne Metro

BOOKINGS

To book for an event, go to: www.amagavic.org.au/events or call **03 8341 7344**.

VICTORIAN COLLECTIONS AND DIGITISATION WORKSHOPS

More workshops will be added throughout the year.

TRAINING BY REQUEST

We can organise tailored training on selected topics for groups of up to 20 people. Contact us for information and pricing: www.amagavic.org.au/training

All events strive to foster awareness and understanding of the *National Standards for Australian Museums & Galleries*.

Check our website for additional events and up-to-date information: www.amagavic.org.au/events

NOTE

For disability access information and assistance, please contact us on 03 8341 7344.