

annual program 2021

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FEBRUARY

ONLINE WORKSHOP

Exhibition Development & Design (Part 1)

Part one of a two part series providing an introduction to exhibition development and design, targeted at small community museums and local history groups. This session will cover the planning and development processes needed to turn an idea into an exhibition, including developing your concept, exhibition planning documents and writing exhibition text

Members: \$20
Non-members: \$40

Wednesday 17 February
3pm-4.30pm
Zoom

ONLINE WORKSHOP

Exhibition Development & Design (Part 2)

Part two of a two-part series providing an introduction to exhibition development and design, targeted at small community museums and local history groups. This session will cover design principles as well as installation and display techniques for exhibitions. It covers handling of artwork, a range of hanging techniques, making exhibition labels and the use of hanging equipment.

Members: \$20
Non-members: \$40

Wednesday 24 February
3pm-4.30pm
Zoom

MARCH

TOUR

MIRKA, Jewish Museum of Australia

Join AMaGA Victoria for an exclusive viewing of MIRKA. The Jewish Museum of Australia, in partnership with William Mora Galleries and supported by Heide Museum of Modern Art, presents an intimate, previously unseen view into the rich and fascinating life of the late Mirka Mora (1928-2018). Includes introduction and welcome from Curator, Eleni Papavasileiou.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Thursday 4 March
3.30pm-4.45pm
Jewish Museum of Australia

WEBINAR

Succession Planning for Volunteer Run Organisations

Join AMaGA Victoria online to discuss navigating the transition of volunteers. Topics will include the transfer of knowledge, attracting new volunteers and engaging/retaining volunteers in the museum and gallery context.

Members: \$30
Non-Members: \$60

Thursday 25 March
3pm-4pm
Zoom

WORKSHOP

Victorian Collections: Making Your Collection Accessible

This online workshop provides an introduction to the principles of collections access. Our aim is to help make your digitised collections more discoverable, searchable and useable by members of the public.

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

Monday 29 March
10am-12pm
Zoom

APRIL

ONLINE WORKSHOP

Researching with PROV

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 undertake research using the new PROV collection catalogue. The session will provide orientation on finding records that are useful for contextual research including, photographs, maps, plans and correspondence both online and onsite.

Members: \$20
Non-members: \$40

Tuesday 13 April
3pm-4.30pm
Zoom

WORKSHOP

Cultural Competency Training

Supported by a Community Heritage Grant and delivered by the Koorie Heritage Trust this session is targeted at community, volunteer and small museums and galleries staff. The learning outcomes of this session is to develop awareness of Aboriginal culture and identity, develop awareness of the strength of Aboriginal culture and identity and for participants to develop further capacity to be more understanding and responsive to Aboriginal colleagues.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$20 (spaces are limited)

Wednesday 21 April
10am-2.30pm
Beechworth Council Chambers, Beechworth

TOUR

ACMI

Join AMaGA Victoria for a free members' guided tour of ACMI - the museum of screen culture where visitors can navigate the world of film,

TV, videogames and art. In 2019 ACMI embarked on a \$40million redevelopment project to reimagine the museum and create a more open and welcoming environment, enhance their learning spaces and showcase new innovations in moving image technology.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Tuesday 29 April
2pm-3.30pm
ACMI

MAY

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Wednesday 5 May
10am-2.30pm
Coal Creek Community Park Museum, Korumburra

SECTOR EVENT

General Meeting

The Annual 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 Justin Art House Museum, followed by formal proceedings and refreshments. Formal proceedings will also be broadcasted and accessible via Zoom.

Free for members

Tuesday 11 May
5.30pm-7.30pm
Justin Art House Museum

JUNE

IMPORTANT DATE

AMaGA National Conference 7-10 June, Canberra

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Monday 21 June
10am-12pm
Zoom

TOUR

Aboriginal Heritage Walk, Royal Botanical Gardens

Join AMaGA members for a guided walking tour to gain insight into the rich history and

thriving culture of the First Peoples of Australia through a journey of identifying significant native plants within the gardens. Learn about Aboriginal plant uses, customs and on-going connection to country.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Friday 25 June
12.45pm-2.15pm
Royal Botanical Gardens

TUESDAY TALKS

Social Media for Community Organisations

Join colleagues for a casual lunchtime catch up to discuss utilising social media to engage audiences and increase brand awareness.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Tuesday 29 June
12.30pm-1.15pm
Zoom

JULY

WORKSHOP

Victorian Collections: Advanced Features

This workshop will guide you through the advanced features of Victorian Collections.

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

Monday 12 July
10am-12pm
Zoom

SECTOR EVENT

State Forum

The forum will bring AMaGA members and the wider sector together to discuss the theme of 'Digital Literacy'. Details to be announced.

Tuesday 27 July

IMPORTANT DATE

Nominations open for the Victorian Museums and Galleries Awards Tuesday 27 July

AUGUST

TUESDAY TALKS

Green Museums

Join colleagues for a casual lunchtime catch up to discuss techniques in improving your museums environmental sustainability.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Tuesday 10 August
12.30pm-1.15pm
Zoom

IMPORTANT DATE

Nominations close for the Victorian Museums and Galleries Awards Friday 27 August

SEPTEMBER

LECTURE & TOUR

Winter Masterpieces, National Gallery of Victoria

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 3 September
5.30pm-9.30pm
NGV International

WORKSHOP

Art Handling and Installation

Join professional Gallery Technician, Joseph Dawson from TITLE UNTITLED to gain practical insights on 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: \$70
Non-Members: \$140

Monday 13 September
1.30pm-3.30pm
Location TBC

TUESDAY TALKS

Technology

Join colleagues for a casual lunchtime catch up to discuss utilising technology in exhibitions.

Members: Free
Non-members: \$10

Tuesday 14 September
12.30pm-1.15pm
Zoom

OCTOBER

SECTOR EVENT

2021 Victorian Museums and Galleries Awards
Celebrate with friends and colleagues the amazing achievements of the Victorian museum and gallery sector. Generously supported by State Library Victoria. Includes drinks and canapés.

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

Tuesday 5 October
6pm-8.30pm
State Library Victoria

WEBINAR

Oral History

Join AMaGA Victoria and a panel of experts to discuss the technical, ethical, legal and logistical considerations of collecting oral histories and utilising oral histories in interactive and online storytelling.

Members: \$30
Non-members: \$60

Wednesday 20 October
3pm-4pm
Zoom

NOVEMBER

ONLINE WORKSHOP

Caring for Collections: Digital Artworks

Join time based Conservator Asti Sherring to discuss the

preservation and conservation of digital collection items. This introductory workshop, targeted at small to medium collecting organisations will cover suitable conservation terminology, digital asset management, digital preservation, different forms of documentation and analysis and treatment methods.

Members: \$50
Non-members: \$100

Tuesday 23 November
2pm-4pm

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 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 7 December
6pm-8.30pm

Location TBC

BOOKINGS

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

Please check our event booking policy for the latest covid-19 information and refunds: amagavic.org.au/events/event-booking-policy

VICTORIAN COLLECTIONS AND DIGITISATION WORKSHOPS

Please see our website for the full calendar of workshops, with additional workshops added throughout the year.

TRAINING BY REQUEST

AMaGA Victoria offers tailored training on demand for groups of up to 20 people. For topics and further information please see: 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: amagavic.org.au/events

NOTE

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