

Learning from the Our Museum Initiative

Bristol Culture has been looking at a number of ways communities and staff can work more collaboratively.

New displays have been created which gave community groups and the public far greater say in selection and interpretation.

A hub of community partners engaged with us on a number of issues; from programming to community engagement strategies.

We have been working hard to embed community engagement across the staff team so it becomes everyone's job.

This has meant changing all job descriptions, listening to staff, and targeted training, including tours to unfamiliar parts of the city.

Our recruitment processes are becoming more inclusive too.

We now emphasise skills and attitudes over qualifications.