**University Museums Group: 2018 conference**

**Foreign exchange? University museums and international engagement**

Tuesday 3 July, University of Cambridge

Morning session

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| **09.45 – 10.45** | **Registration with refreshments**  09.45 for tour participants  10.15 for all others |
| **10.00 – 10.30** | **Tour of Museum of Zoology** (pre booked only)  Led by Jack Ashby, Museum Manager |
| **10.45** | **Conference opens**  Welcome from Professor Chris Abell, Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Research, University of Cambridge |
| **11.00** | Keynote:  Diane Lees CBE, Director-General Imperial War MuseumChair: Nicola Kalinsky, Director Barber Institute of Fine Arts and Co-Chair, University Museums Group |
| **11.40** | **Panel: The funding environment**  Chair: Ghislaine Wood Deputy Director Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, UEA  Panellists:   * Rachael Browning, Art Fund * Dana Andrew, ICOM UK * Laura Carletti, Research Operations, University of Cambridge * Rodney Harrison, Programme Leader AHRC, UCL |
| **12.55** | **Welcome to the Museum of Zoology** ProfessorPaul Brakefield, Director of the Museum of Zoology |
| **1.00 – 1.45** | **Lunch** |
| **1.30 – 2.00** | **Tour of Museum of Zoology** (pre booked only)  Led by Jack Ashby, Museum Manager |

Afternoon session

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| **1.45 – 2.20** | **University Museums Group AGM** |
| **2.20** | **Keynote:** Wayne Modest, Head of the Research Centre for Material Culture, National Museum of Ethnology, Leiden  Chair: Dr Mark Elliott, Senior Curator for Anthropology, Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology |
| **3.00** | **Panel: Lightning Case Studies** Chair: Xa Sturgis, Director, Ashmolean MuseumPanellists   * Rachel Barclay, Curator, Oriental Museum * Mark Elliott, Senior Curator for Anthropology, Museum of Archaeology & Anthropology * Henry McGhie, Head of Collections and Curator of Zoology, Manchester Museum * Daniel Pett, Head of IT & Digital, The Fitzwilliam Museum * Bryan Sitch, Deputy Head of Collections, Manchester Museum * Paul Smith, Director Oxford University Museum of Natural History |
| **4.30 – 5** | **Break with refreshments** |
| **5.00** | **Keynote:** Kate Bellamy, Director of Museums, Arts Council England  in conversation with Nicholas Thomas, Director, Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology, Cambridge, and Co-Chair, University Museums Group |
| **5.40** | **Attendees walk to Kettle’s Yard** |
| **6.00** | **Reception at Kettle’s Yard** |
| **7.00** | **Close** |