

Volunteer Role

Role	Chelsea History Festival Volunteers
Purpose	 To provide a welcoming environment for visitors to the Chelsea History Festival. To help visitors enjoy a unique experience at the Chelsea History Festival To offer volunteers a fantastic opportunity to play a vital role in the Festival, while gaining experience volunteering at a National institution and for a large- scale annual history Festival.
Responsible to	Retail & Admissions Supervisor
Times/Dates	Minimum commitment: Half day of the festival Thursday 25 th – Sunday 28 th September 2025 4-8 hour shifts, between 09:30 and 21:00
Location	National Army Museum, Chelsea, London SW3 4HT
Tasks	 Greeting and welcoming visitors to the Festival as a first point of contact as they enter the Festival site. Pro-actively engaging with visitors and providing information about the Festival and its events to help visitors get the most out of their visit. Helping visitors with wayfinding and giving directions to events. Assisting with checking visitors' tickets and ushering at events, crowd control, queue management and guiding visitors to seats. Ensuring event spaces are kept, tidy, clean and presentable and set up correctly ahead of forthcoming events. To be a hands-on, friendly and an approachable presence during events, as and when needed. Answer other Festival attendee related enquiries, watching over and assisting the smooth running of events, talks and/or workshops.



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	 Maintain a good knowledge of the Chelsea History Festival programme and keep informed about operational changes and timings.
	Distribute flyers and collect evaluation as required.
Skills	Would suit someone who:
Skiiis	Has excellent verbal communications skills
	 Is friendly and approachable and enjoys teamwork and collaboration
	Is comfortable with working in busy environments
	 Has an interest in delivering a high standard of customer service
	 Is able to be on your feet for potentially long periods of time
	Has an interest in history
Support and Training	 Full in-house training will be provided that is specific to the site, which will include volunteer and site induction; Health and Safety.
	 Expenses: reasonable out of pocket lunch and travel expenses to and from place of work.
Other key information	Informal meet ups for interested people, to take place on the 2 nd and 3 rd September 2025
	Site inductions to take place 16 th and 17 th September 2025
Interested?	The opportunity is open to everyone aged 18 and over.
	Please complete and submit the Volunteer Application Form found on our website: –
	https://www.nam.ac.uk/volunteer
Closing Date & Time	12pm Noon - on Friday 22 nd August 2025