



West
Yorkshire

Lifelong Learning Network

MindYour Own Business

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Come and discuss new ways to develop your arts business practice, sharing, networking and developing your ideas.

Participatory Workshop
Electric Press, Leeds
from 12.00 – 17.30

Followed by Creative Networks
at Leeds College of Art



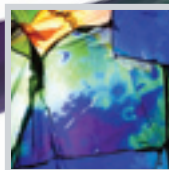
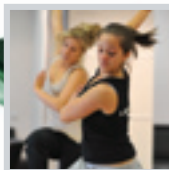
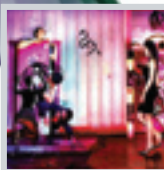
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*Are you an arts organisation?
Are you trying to develop your business?
Are you too reliant on external funding?*

Come and discuss new ways to develop your arts business practice, sharing, networking and developing your ideas, with help from the Arts Council, Business Link Yorkshire and the West Yorkshire Lifelong Learning Network (WYLLN). This is your opportunity to share best practice and explore new ideas for developing your arts business with your peers.

This is a facilitated discussion event where everyone will have the opportunity to contribute and decide on the priorities for each session. Five discussion themes will be covered in parallel during each of the Workspace sessions, and delegates will have the opportunity to move between these streams throughout the day.

Discussion themes include:

- What examples can we learn from already?
- What support agencies are there to help?
- What additional ideas are there? E.g. debt finance, mergers, shared resources
- What Continuing Professional Development (CPD) provision is there available to support your skills development?
- What do we understand creative enterprise to be? Participate in a live research project with Dr Tim Deignan

12.00 Registration and Lunch
12.45 Welcome and introductions
13.00 Keynote Presentation
13.30 Workspace Session 1
15.00 Tea and Coffee

15.15 Workspace Session 2
16.45 Closing Remarks
17.30 Wine reception and optional walk up to Creative Networks event at Leeds College of Art with Sir John Hegarty



BOOKING FORM

If your interested in taking part in this free workshop please return your completed form by 18 March to holly@ntileeds.co.uk, by fax to 0113 812 1729 or by post to **Holly Dexter**, Leeds Metropolitan University, Old Broadcasting House, 148 WoodhouseLane, Leeds LS2 9EN.

Title: Prof/Dr/Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss (other)

First name:

Surname:

Job title:

Department:

Institution/Organisation:

Address:

Post Code:

Telephone:

E-mail:

Special dietary requirements:

Special access requirements:

I would also like to attend Creative Networks with Sir John Hegarty in the evening following this event.