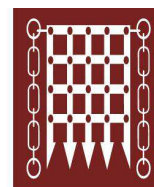


**Westminster Media Forum Keynote Seminar:
Next steps for improving diversity in UK screen industries**

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 22nd November 2017

Venue: St Martin-in-the-Fields, Trafalgar Square, London WC2N 4JJ

Agenda subject to change



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Tracy Brabin MP
- 9.05 - 9.35 **Regulatory priorities for improving diversity in the UK TV industry**
Sharon White, Chief Executive Officer, Ofcom
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.35 - 10.15 **Reflecting the UK in front and behind the camera: the business case for diversity**
Russell Feldman, Director of Digital, Media and Technology, YouGov
Anjani Patel, Head of Diversity, Pact
Stephen Frost, Principal, Frost Included
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.15 - 11.10 **Tackling barriers to entry into the sector: education, careers advice and recruitment practices**
Bob Clarke, Chief Executive Officer, MAMA Youth Project
Andy Pryor, Casting Director and Chair, Casting Directors' Guild of the UK & Ireland
Neil Hatton, Chief Executive, UK Screen Alliance
Jeffrey Lee, Chief Marketing Officer, Userfarm
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.10 - 11.15 **Chair's closing remarks**
Tracy Brabin MP
- 11.15 - 11.40 Coffee
- 11.40 - 11.45 **Chair's opening remarks**
Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury, Liberal Democrats Spokesperson for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport
- 11.45 - 12.20 **Priorities for fostering an inclusive workforce: career progression, workplace culture and monitoring**
Simone Pennant, Founder and Director, TV Collective
Kate Kinninmont, Chief Executive, Women in Film & Television
Jennifer Smith, Head of Diversity, BFI
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.20 - 12.55 **Towards a diverse UK screen sector: industry strategies on and off-screen**
Malcolm Sinclair, President, Equity
Tunde Ogungbesan, Head of Diversity, Inclusion and Succession, BBC
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Media Forum closing remarks**
Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury, Liberal Democrats Spokesperson for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport
Emily Darling, Associate Forum Lead, Westminster Media Forum