

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

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 22nd November 2017

Venue: Central London



Draft agenda subject to change

- 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
Senior representative, industry
Senior commentator
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.15 - 11.05 **Tackling barriers to entry into the sector: education, careers advice and recruitment practices**
Bob Clarke, Chief Executive Officer, MAMA Youth Project
David Mumeni, Actor; Writer and Director and Founder, Open Door
Senior representative, production
Senior representative, association
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.05 - 11.10 **Chair's closing remarks**
Tracy Brabin MP
- 11.10 - 11.30 Coffee
- 11.30 - 11.35 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.35 - 11.45 **Supporting the development and retention of diverse talent**
Malcolm Sinclair, President, Equity
- 11.45 - 12.35 **Priorities for fostering an inclusive workforce: career progression, workplace culture and monitoring**
Simone Pennant, Founder and Director, TV Collective
Kate Kinnimont, Chief Executive, Women in Film & Television
Senior representative, broadcaster
Senior representative, talent
Questions and comments from the floor with **Malcolm Sinclair**, President, Equity
- 12.35 - 12.55 **Towards a diverse UK screen sector: industry strategies on and off-screen**
Jamie Hindhaugh, Chief Operating Officer, BT Sport and BT TV
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Media Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Peter van Gelder, Director, Westminster Media Forum