

International Museum Day Symposium 2024

MUSEUMS, EDUCATION & RESEARCH

16 MAY 2024 (THURSDAY)

9.30AM – 5.30PM

REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST
STARTS AT 9.30AM

NATIONAL GALLERY SINGAPORE,

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SINGAPORE 178957

The National Heritage Board, ICOM Singapore and the Museum Roundtable would like to invite you to the International Museum Day Symposium 2024.

The theme "Museums, Education and Research" recognises the important role museums play in the research and activation of initiatives for youth engagement, the well-being of its visitors and as institutions that provide quality education to help shape our understanding of the world.

**Welcome Address,
Opening Message and Keynote Speech**
10.00AM – 10.40AM



CHANG HWEE NEE
CEO, National Heritage Board
Chair, ICOM Singapore and
Chair, Museum Roundtable



EUNICE BÁEZ
Vice Chair, ICOM Advisory
Council and President, ICOM
Costa Rica



TAN TAI YONG
President, Singapore
University of Social
Sciences

**Panel 1: Insights on Youth Engagement
and Education in Museums**
11.00AM – 12.40PM



MICHELE Y. SMITH
CEO, Museum of Pop
Culture, USA



ABIGAIL BUENDIA
Associate,
Tours and Education,
Ayala Museum, Philippines



HASIBUL HAQUE IMON
Programme Coordinator,
Liberation War Museum,
Bangladesh

**MODERATOR
STEFANIE THAM**
Assistant Director, Strategic Planning
and Data Management, National Heritage Board
and Secretariat, NHB Youth Panel

**Panel 2: Insights on Social
Prescription in Museums**
1.50PM – 3.30PM



NANCY HEY
Director, What Works
Wellbeing and Trustee,
National Centre for Creative
Health, U.K.



MÉLANIE DEVEAULT
Director, Learning and
Community Engagement,
Montreal Museum of
Fine Arts, Canada



SELMA TOPRAK
Deputy Director,
Visitors and Education,
Head of Education and
Outreach Centre,
Pompidou, France

**MODERATOR
SHAWN EE**
Clinical Psychologist
Lecturer, Murdoch University and
Founder and Director, The Psychology Practice

**Panel 3: Insights on New Approaches
to Accessibility for Museums**
3.40PM – 5.20PM



ALISON EARDLEY
Reader in Psychology, Cultural
Heritage and Inclusion,
University of Westminster,
U.K.



JAMES MONROE
Creative Director of Programming,
Centers for Public Science Learning,
Museum of Science, Boston
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NOÉMIE GIARD
Head of Visitor Services,
Musée Carnavalet, Histoire
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EUNICE BÁEZ**
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