



American Alliance of Museums

The 2021 AAM Annual Meeting & MuseumExpo (#AAM2021) is taking place virtually May 24 and June 7-9.

You can download the program [here](#) and find TMG Members at the following events:

Join the Conversation: Creative Aging and the Future of Museums

Monday, May 24, 2021
10:30am-11:30am

How can museums embrace the “Aging Revolution” with purpose and intentionality? Learn from four museums that are developing programs for older adults with the aim of creating connections, increasing well-being, decreasing social isolation, and offering new pathways for learning.

Speakers: [Mary Ellen Munley](#), Eli Burke, Laurel Humble, Lisa Ortega-Pol, Danielle Schulz

Processes and Methodologies for Creating Bilingual Exhibitions

Monday, May 24, 2021
12:30pm-1:30pm

Transforming a museum into a bilingual institution requires a series of processes and methods that will ensure the content is culturally relevant and linguistically accurate. Listen in as colleagues from three institutions share their pathways to creating bilingual exhibitions and programs, as well as the lessons learned.

Speakers: [Amparo Leyman Pino](#), Veronika Nunez, Vicki Wawerchak.

Truth Before Reconciliation: Taking the Requisite Steps toward Resilience

Monday, May 24, 2021
12:30pm-1:30pm

Whether an organization is taking its first or next step along its DEAI journey, recognizing the truths of the current situation and past circumstances—and owning them—is a prerequisite

before reconciliation can begin. Explore how museums can reflect on and examine their own truths so that they can authentically advance toward reconciliation.

Speakers: [Janeen Bryant](#), Alison Rossi, Karlisa Callwood, Timothy Rhue, Michelle Moon, Jaclyn Roessel.

Resilience for Museums: Strategies for Addressing Challenging Realities

Tuesday, June 8, 2021

9:00am-10:00am

Times of extraordinary change and disruption demand flexibility, humility, perseverance, self-reflection, and responsiveness of museum leaders. Agile leadership requires mapping out a meaningful, relevant, and financially viable direction forward. Explore strategies for museum leaders to achieve greater relevance and inclusion in the lives of diverse publics, balancing capacity and potential to find the right path.

Speakers: [Anne Ackerson](#), [Gail Anderson](#), Melanie Adams, Dina Bailey, Ben Garcia.