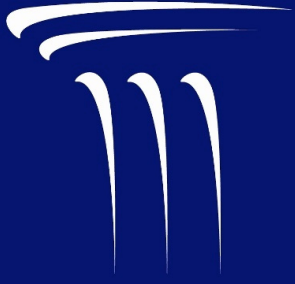


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Alisa Bellingham

With an MA in English Local History, Alisa has been working in museums since 1996, specialising in museum education before becoming manager of the Museum of Cannock Chase in 2005. Having specialised in museum education during her Museum Studies course at Leicester University, Alisa's focus is on enabling meaningful engagement within museums, and providing opportunities for people to immerse themselves in history and art in fun and creative ways. During her time at the museum, Alisa has implemented an educational visits programme, achieving the Sandford Award five times, and overseen a HLF-funded project to extend the museum and install new galleries, as well as developing a busy events and activity programme with her team. Alisa joined the Heritage Education Trust as a Sandford Award judge in 2021.