

Head of Digital Media and Publishing



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From £57,902 per annum plus benefits
Permanent
Full-time
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The British Museum opens its doors to 6 million visitors a year, making it one of the most popular visitor attractions in the world. Our collection comprises of over 8 million objects from every continent, from prehistory to the present day. With over 2 million objects accessible online, the collection is reaching more people than ever before. Examples of our projects include: the tremendously well-received and popular radio series A History of the World in 100 Objects; an ongoing £135m building project to construct new exhibition spaces, conservation studios and provide high quality storage for the most vulnerable parts of our collection; and a wealth of projects in collaboration with partners locally, nationally and across the globe.

This exciting new role will combine digital technology and traditional print publishing to explore the most effective ways of making the British Museum's content available to the widest possible audiences. For the first time, digital media will be at the centre of the organisation's thinking about how visitors can access information about the collection within the museum as well as on-line. This is above all a creative, strategic and management role for someone who is experienced in and passionate about publishing in the broadest sense.

You will lead in the development and implementation of a strategy for publishing content through all available channels (digital, broadcast and print) to support the British Museum's objectives.

- To communicate the British Museum's vision and purpose
- To provide greater access to the British Museum's collection and academic expertise for global audiences
- To deepen public engagement with the collection online and on site
- To maintain financial viability and facilitate income generation.

You will be educated to degree level or equivalent and have previous experience of managing people and resources at a similar level. With a background in digital media or publishing, excellent managerial, organisational and leadership skills are essential.

For further information or to apply for this role, please go to www.britishmuseum.org/jobs

Closing date: 12 noon, Thursday 31st May 2012.

Location:	Great Russell Street, London WC1B 3DG
Category:	Other
Duration:	
Type of Contract:	Permanent
Hours:	Full Time
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More information: <http://www.britishmuseum.org/jobs>