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## Online events

Webinars and members meetings currently being held online are all free to members.

Watch previous highlights from our [Coronavirus Conversations](#) series.

Members meetings take place in a different region every month or so.

Members also get a discount on our other events (online), with topics coming up including exhibition design; community participation and income generation.

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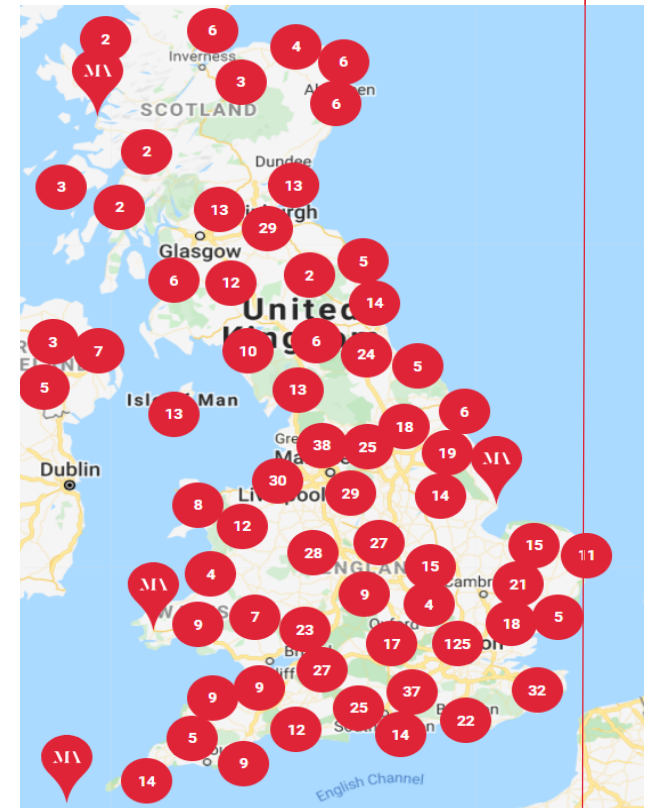
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## Entering the sector event

The annual *Don't Stop Me Now* event is free to all members this year and will be held as a webinar online. Enhance your career opportunities at this crucial event.

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#### Debate intensifies over fate of contested heritage

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