## Appendix 7

### Most common funds museums apply to

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<th>Fund Name</th>
<th>Purpose</th>
<th>Grant Range</th>
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<tr>
<td>Arts Council England National Lottery Project Grants (ACE)</td>
<td>Supports museums (including non-accredited).</td>
<td>Usually £1,000 - £100,000</td>
<td>To engage people in England with Creativity and culture.</td>
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<td>National Lottery Heritage Fund (NLHF)</td>
<td>Supports not-for-profit and private owners (will weigh up public benefit) of heritage</td>
<td>£3,000 to over £5 million</td>
<td>To support projects that connect people and communities to heritage in the UK.</td>
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<td>South East Museum Development (SEMD)</td>
<td>Range of grants offered responding to identified need and priorities in the South East Region.</td>
<td>Up to £3000</td>
<td>To support projects that connect people and communities to heritage in the UK.</td>
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<td>Museums Association Esmée Fairbairn Collections Fund</td>
<td>Applications based on Accredited Museums (or working towards). Museums must be a member of Museums Association.</td>
<td>Between £20,000 - £90,000</td>
<td>Accredited Museums (or working towards). Not open to national museums or NPOs.</td>
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<td>Association of Independent Museums Hallmarks Grant (AIM)</td>
<td>Members of the Association of Independent Museums.</td>
<td>Up to £10,000</td>
<td>With a focus on ‘new, ambitious and creative work’ that bring collections closer to people.</td>
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<td>Association of Independent Museums Pilgrim Trust Collections and Conservations Grants</td>
<td>Members of the Association of Independent Museums. Accredited Museums (or working towards).</td>
<td>Up to £10,000</td>
<td>Grants available to help members develop and grow their organisations and underpin key areas of activity.</td>
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<td>Association of Independent Museums New Stories New Audiences (AIM)</td>
<td>Members of the Association of Independent Museums. Accredited Museums (or working towards). Must have less than 50,000 visitors or turnover of less than £300,000 pa.</td>
<td>Up to £15,000</td>
<td>Grants available to help members develop and grow their organisations and underpin key areas of activity.</td>
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<td>Duration</td>
<td>Projects are time-specific – three years max.</td>
<td>From 1 to 5 years</td>
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<td>Funding agreement</td>
<td>Payments are conditional on receipt and approval of any additional info (Payment conditions)</td>
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<td>Offer letter detailing any conditions. 90% paid on receipt of receipt of financial supplier form.</td>
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<td>Monitoring</td>
<td>Application data captured at application stage</td>
<td>Data specified in grant conditions. Evaluation report required</td>
<td>Required to provide details of how project will be evaluated.</td>
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<td>Reporting</td>
<td>10% of grant withheld until final report submitted</td>
<td>10% of grant withheld until final report and evaluation report submitted</td>
<td>Final reported required and claim remaining 10% of grant.</td>
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