

Interview Questions: Access

General Questions

- How would you define the term ‘access’ in your capacity as a member of the Armouries’ collections staff?
- What are the general management strategies that underpin the use of the Armouries’ weapons collections in public programming?
- How does the Armouries ensure that direct public engagement with its weapons collections proceeds in a safe and legal manner?
- What precautions does the Armouries take to maintain the necessary level of security when exhibiting weapons in its public galleries?
- What safeguards has the Armouries developed to reduce the risk involved in lending weapons to other institutions?
- How does the Armouries address the distinct management requirements of offering digital access to its weapons collections?
- What does the future hold for collections access at the Armouries?

Case Study: Weapons in Society Conference

- How were the additional regulations surrounding weapons collections accounted for during the event’s planning stage?
- What practical measures were put in place to minimise any risks to the participants and the objects during the handling session?