

# Board Bank

**Do the arts good, do yourself good**

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Board Bank connects skilled professionals with cultural organisations. Since 1988, we have placed more than 5000 business people as non-executive board members and advisors with not-for-profit arts organisations.

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**In return for bringing their skills, business acumen and insight in areas such as finance, human resources, law and marketing, business people get the chance to help shape the cultural life of their community. They also work with committed, creative people, and broaden their own networks and governance experience.**

**Let us find the right role for you. Our cultural network spans hundreds of groups and centres across the UK, many of which are in need of vital professional expertise.**

**The fee to join Board Bank covers all the training and support you'll need in arts governance, and an introduction to an organisation that's right for you and/or your employees.**

# Features

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## Materials and handbook

You will receive a handy pack of information, including notes in support of the induction seminar plus other reference material and useful reading.

## Introductions

We will provide a number of personal introductions to boards of arts organisations in your region.

## Access to our cultural network and events

As a valued member of Board Bank, you'll receive invitations to events and networking opportunities in your local region.

## Ongoing support

Throughout your term on the board, we'll keep you up to speed with advice and guidance on the latest issues in governance, board development, charity law and other relevant areas.

## Diagnostic session

This one-to-one session with a dedicated Arts & Business account manager will familiarise you with the programme and help us draw out information about your professional and personal motivations. This meeting is important as it helps us manage expectations and capture data that will enable us to make a successful match.

## Induction seminar

We will provide training to help you understand more about your role and responsibilities as a trustee and non-executive director of a not-for-profit arts organisation. We cover legal and financial responsibility, advocacy and the current state of the marketplace.

# Fees

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**£750 + vat covers the diagnostic session, induction seminar, an account manager contact and up to three offered matches.**

**To find out what Board Bank can do for you or your business, email: [board@artsandbusiness.org.uk](mailto:board@artsandbusiness.org.uk)**

**For details and case studies:  
[www.artsandbusiness.org.uk/central/business-services.aspx](http://www.artsandbusiness.org.uk/central/business-services.aspx)**

“It’s great being a Board Member and supporting the issues involved in a creative business. As well as being highly stimulating and enjoyable, it has given me valuable experience of the operation and governance of a Board of Directors in real life, not through a classroom or simulation.”

**Richard Burton  
EDF EnergyBoard  
Member of De La Warr Pavilion**