



# Volunteer Role Description

*Bakewell Old House Museum*

## Costume volunteer

<p>Main purpose</p>	<p>As a Costume volunteer you will be helping to catalogue, preserve and display our costume collection. You shall be working in a small team.</p>
<p>You shall be...</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• helping with the descriptions of the costumes for the catalogue</li><li>• assisting with the proper storage of the collection</li><li>• providing small exhibitions based on the costume collection</li><li>• working with the collections care volunteers and others to ensure suitable storage conditions are maintained</li></ul>
<p>The role would suit someone who...</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• has some knowledge of costumes, such as needlework terms likely to be found in historic collections</li><li>• wants to help an independent charity in Bakewell</li></ul>
<p>In return we shall offer you...</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• opportunities for personal and professional growth and development in a community-focused museum</li><li>• induction to the Museum</li><li>• a supportive, friendly environment</li><li>• full training opportunities to perform the role</li><li>• invitation to volunteering events</li></ul>
<p>Location and Hours</p>	<p>Bakewell Old House Museum, Cunningham Pl., Bakewell DE45 1DD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• the museum is open to the public 25 March – 5 November, with behind-the-scenes work continuing over the winter</li><li>• this role best suits someone who can provide half a day or a full day each week or fortnight</li></ul>
<p>Further info</p>	<p><a href="mailto:markc@bakewellhistory.com">markc@bakewellhistory.com</a> <a href="http://www.oldhousemuseum.org.uk">www.oldhousemuseum.org.uk</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li> @BakewellOldHouse</li><li> @bakewelloldhousemuseum</li><li> @OldHouseMuseum</li></ul>

*No experience necessary – just bring your enthusiasm!*