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with
Executive
Director
Alex Freeman



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WED. DECEMBER 9TH
10:00-11:00AM

In this webinar, Joy Simpson, Higginbotham's museum and fine arts expert, will discuss how risks from pandemics are addressed in the insurance policies typically held by museums.

register now!

**managing
museum
risks
during a
pandemic**

JOY SIMPSON

ANDREA PALMER

JESSICA BERMES

**Conflict De-escalation &
Bystander Intervention**

Texas Association of Museums
Wednesday, February 3, 2021 • 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

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WED. FEBRUARY 3RD
10:00-12:00PM

If your team interfaces with the public, chances are they will face moments of escalation and will need to know what to do.

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TAM 2021 | SAN ANTONIO, TX



Thank you to those who participated in the TAM 2021 Sentiment Survey! In April 2021, TAM will host its 46th Annual Meeting - Roots and Reckoning: Museums Respond and Redefine - IN PERSON in San Antonio, Texas. The majority of respondents requested an in-person experience, so we will deliver on that request with safety measures in place.

keep reading!

COMING SOON....



Schedule at a Glance with confirmed keynotes coming soon!



Sponsorships Save The Date for sponsor registration opening soon!



Scholarships will become available simultaneously with registration.

TAM Awards will open for nomination in January

affinity groups



Seeking leadership for Historic Sites & Houses + Marketing/PR & Media. Email [Emmy](#) if you are interested or know someone that is!

4TH EDITION
in the making



Collection Managers Committee need your help! We are working on the fourth edition of the TAM Forms Book. It's been over 20 years since the last edition and there is much to update! [Click](#)

[on this link](#) to see the kinds of forms we are looking for.



members



Council positions are up for voting beginning January 1st. Until then, read about the candidates for the officer slate and councilor-at-large positions!



TAM will soon be releasing news about the new and enhanced membership program: Lifelong Learning with Lifelong Friends!

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Is your museum planning to participate in **Museum Store Sunday** on November 29? Learn more about the **benefits of participation** and how to **register**.

Texas Historical Commission Museums Services has a couple of great webinars planned for the coming weeks: one on friends group partnerships and Budgeting, KPIs, and Reviewing Financial Statements. Also, don't forget that we maintain a list of free webinars hosted by other organizations, which is updated daily.



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