



Welcome to the latest edition of VTraining. We have included the sessions we have coming up in the next few months. Please get in touch if there is a session you would like us to organise that we haven't covered.

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We are delighted to welcome Chris Wade, Time for Impact to host our next VOLT Session on 16 December and one in March 2026.

Beyond Anecdotes: Why your volunteer experience needs a benchmark is a one-hour transformative learning session to discover why tuning into your volunteer experience is no longer a 'nice-to-have' - it's mission critical. We all believe our volunteers are happy. But what if we're missing something? What if the small frustrations we don't see are leading to burnout and poor retention? And how do we prove to leadership that our programme is truly thriving?

Chris will introduce the **Time for Impact Volunteer Experience Survey** - a powerful tool designed to provide comparative data, benchmarking your programme against other volunteering organisations so you can see exactly where you lead and where you can improve.

At the one-hour **VOLT session in March 2026**, Chris will introduce you to the **Time for Impact Volunteer Impact Scorecard**, a practical, step-by-step tool created to measure true strategic impact.

Volunteer Now have a special discount for both the Time for Impact products for anyone attending the VOLT sessions and/or Volunteer Now members. Find out more by emailing Alice.OBoyle@volunteernow.co.uk

Leading & managing volunteers can be very fulfilling but it also comes with some challenges. This is where succession planning comes to the rescue! In this session you'll look at what it is, why it is vital to running successful volunteer teams & how best to create & implement a succession plan that works for your organisation. **FREE** for groups in the **Belfast City Council** area.

[12 November 2025 | 10am-1pm](#)

Join us online for a refresher training course, aimed at those planning & managing services/activities for children & adults. It covers legal & policy context, dealing with a disclosure, dealing with an allegation against a staff member/volunteer, safe recruitment & selection, programme planning & more.



[20 November 2025 | 10am-12pm](#)

Do you know the difference between a volunteer agreement & a contract of employment? Or between an employee & a volunteer? Join us to explore these difference & much more including legal boundaries & we will clarify best practice when involving volunteers.



[25 November 2025 | 10am-12pm](#)

Join Volunteer Now Enterprises Ltd for a short session to look at volunteering in terms of recruitment, retention and recognition of volunteers.

✓ Leadership begins with listening. Join us to explore how to create brave spaces where every voice is heard, respected & valued & learn how intentional communication can shape inclusive leadership and inspire others to follow.

[27 November 2025 | 10am-12pm](#)

Explore best practices in volunteer induction, including online and hybrid formats, valuing volunteers' time, and giving them a voice. Learn how to make inductions engaging and proactive. The session also covers the importance of support and supervision—key principles for helping volunteers contribute effectively, both remotely and in person.



[28 November 2025 | 10am-1pm](#)

In-Person Training - Omagh

Join our half-day FREE session to explore the 8 adult safeguarding standards from Keeping Adults Safe: A Shared Responsibility. We will consider the procedures & guidelines that need developed in order to implement the standards. This is for groups or organisations in the **Western Trust** area only.



[1 December 2025 | 10am-1pm](#)

This half-day refresher training will cover the role & responsibilities of a Designated Officer; Health & Social Care Trust structures & processes; issues & experiences around referrals & sharing information and recent development in safeguarding children & young people.

This short session aims to increase awareness of people's lives online; increase knowledge about the risks of the online space; learn how to build digital resilience in young people and adults; and how to recognise and report online abuse.

[2 December 2025 | 10am-1pm](#)

This is a 3-hr course suitable for staff & volunteers who have limited and/or indirect contact with adults (e.g. cleaner, receptionist). It will cover legal & policy context; values & principles; key definitions; categories of abuse & possible indicators & more. This is for organisations in the **South Eastern Trust** area only.



[10 December 2025 | 10am-1pm](#)

In a busy modern world with so many demands on people's time, it can prove difficult to attract as many new volunteers as we need. With this in mind, our three-hour workshop can help you rise to this challenge. Join fellow volunteer managers and coordinators in this online course to learn how to make your volunteering as appealing as possible.



[18 December 2025 | 10am-12pm](#)

💖 Strong communities are built on connection and shared purpose. This session dives into what it means to belong, lead with purpose and cultivate cultures that empower people to thrive. Because when we connect deeply, we create lasting change.

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organisations i.e. youth volunteering, fundraising, volunteer driving, guidelines for volunteers & more!

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