

Little Event
Monday 8 January 2014
 Thinktank, Birmingham Science Museum

9.30 - 10.00	Arrivals and Registration
10.00 - 10.20	Setting the scene <i>Rachel Mason, British Interactive Group</i> Introduction to everybody, plan for the day and a whistle-stop tour of STEM engagement. event@big.uk.com
10.20 - 11.10	Get your thing out <i>David Price; Ashley Kent; Rachel Mason</i> No time to waste. You have brought along your content idea (you have). Get it out and talk to others about it. If you haven't got one, get one.
11.10 - 11.25	Break
11.25 - 1.00	Presenting your thing <i>David Price, science made simple</i> You know the science but how can you make it accessible to others? A chance to develop your presenting skills using your Thing a starting point. david@sciencemadesimple.co.uk
1.00 - 1.40	Lunch
1.40 - 2.20	Your release into the community <i>Stephanie Sinclair, Wellcome Trust</i> Your career - where to look for jobs, what qualifications are desirable. Ask questions - get answers from us all. s.sinclair@wellcome.ac.uk
	Quick Break
2.20 - 3.15	Learning & Evaluation <i>Jennifer DeWitt, King's College London</i> What does learning look like in informal settings? How can we find evidence for it? jennifer.dewitt@alumni.brown.edu
	Quick Break
3.15 - 4.00	Manage your thing <i>Ashley Kent, Cheltenham Science Festival; Rachel Mason</i> It's not just the content, it's how you share it too - understanding your audience, using the right format, putting your thing into a programme and promoting it well are all as important as the content idea. ashley.kent@cheltenhamfestivals.com
	Quick Break
4.00 - 4.50	Test-drive your thing A chance to fling together everything that has gone on today into a plan for your particular thing. It doesn't have to be polished, you just have to have a stab at it!
5.00	And relax...