

2026 CONFERENCE & AGM

SACREs – Bringing communities together

Monday 18th May 2026, 10:30-15:30

Registered Charity no. 1212494

**The Hilton Hotel Liverpool: 3 Thomas Steers Way, Liverpool
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Time	Programme
10:15	Registration
10:30	Arrival, refreshments, networking
11:00	Welcome & introduction
11:10	Why have you joined your SACRE? Interactive activity
11:30	Speaker 1: Carrie Alderton CEO of the Faith and Belief forum <i>“Connection over Division: Lived Experience, Belonging, and the Role of RE in Social Cohesion.”</i>
12:00	Table discussions & questions to the speaker
12:20	RE Hubs supporting SACREs - update
12:30	Exec nominations & voting
12:45	LUNCH
13:30	Networking activity
13:45	CIO Annual General Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minutes of the meeting of 19 May 2025 in Newham• Trustees Report – BM & CC• Webinars 2027• New Executive announcement Any other business (notified by midday, Monday 11 May)
14:10	Speaker 2: Dr Vanessa Ogden, CEO Mulberry Trust <i>“Rejoicing in Difference: SACREs' Role in Building Social Harmony”</i>
14:40	Table discussion & questions to the speaker
14:40	<i>Tea and biscuits available</i>
15:00	Westhill Awards Winners Update
15:20	Closing remarks and evaluations
15:30	Conference closes