



Chief Executive Officer

Aberystwyth – Hybrid. Salary £100,894.

Goodson Thomas are delighted to bring to market this excellent opportunity with the National Library of Wales.

The National Library is Wales' pre-eminent library and archive, a vast information resource and a treasure trove on all subjects.

The library is one of the six 'legal deposit' libraries in the UK and Ireland, giving them statutory privileges, which enable the library to collect a high proportion of the entire output of printed publications in the UK and Ireland, including digital formats.

The Chief Executive is accountable to the Board of Trustees and is responsible for providing strategic leadership to the National Library of Wales within the governance structure established under its Royal Charter. They will deliver the Royal Charter's statutory objectives, its functions and general duties as well as exercising its legal power.

The successful candidate will:

- Have experience in leading and managing a major institution through a period of fundamental change.
- Have a strong understanding and appreciation of the work and functions of the National Library of Wales.
- Be a strategic thinker with the resilience to drive sustained change in challenging times and in an environment of continuous change.

The ability to speak and read Welsh is essential for this role. If required, appropriate support and training in written Welsh will be provided.

For an informal discussion, please contact our retained executive search consultants Goodson Thomas on 029 2167 4422 or info@goodsonthomas.com.

To apply, please submit your CV and covering letter to <https://www.goodsonthomas.com/opportunities> via the 'Apply now' button.

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Interview date: week commencing 11 December 2023



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