**What we do**

**Accreditation**
We recognise and promote the skills and competence of professional archaeologists.

**Regulate the profession**
Our *Code of conduct* and standards define good, ethical practice in archaeology. They provide the organisation, structures and mechanisms for self-regulation, allowing the profession to take responsibility for the assurance of the quality of our work, monitor it, and hold members to account.

**Training and development**
We provide:
- access to training
- good practice advice and guidance
- support to strengthen entry routes into the profession

**Networks**
We provide an active community for professional archaeologists to support and shape our profession:
- Area and Special Interest Groups
- Committees
- Conferences and events

**OUR AIM**
For all professional archaeologists to have the skills, integrity and versatility to ensure archaeology bring real benefit to people's daily lives.

**Who we work with**
- Employers
- Universities and training providers
- Government
- Trade unions
- Clients
- Other sector partners
- Other professional bodies

**What we achieve**
Improving professional archaeology through:
- Competence and knowledge
- Recognition and respect
- Career pathways and prospects
- Diversity and skills
- Ethical awareness
- Value and public benefit