

What did you find most interesting?	What did you find least interesting?	Do you have any suggestions for future conferences /events?	How would you rate the location and accessibility of this venue	How would you rate the refreshments / catering at this venue	What do you think Salford CVS could do to improve its services for voluntary organisations in Salford?	What difference do you feel Salford CVS makes to Salford and its people?	Any other comments on todays event?
Geoff Thompson- inspirational Leo Capella -awesome.			10	10	Fantastic.	Opportunities.	Really enjoyed this event. Great for meeting other people who work for other agencies. Greatly organised, good fun - looking forward to next year.
I really enjoyed the plenary after lunch. It was really engaging and passionate from all. Chris Bates was	the first part of the visual workshop was delivered with little content.	A break in the morning session.	6	7		Connecting people.	
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		Half day maybe?	6	6			
Geoff Thompsons session.	Second workshop- money, money, money	More interesting key note speaker.	9	9		Does great work for the community.	Excellent event.
All		Health and wellbeing	7	9			
Plenary session	Workshops		9	10			
Break out group, networking and lottery	The 1st session after lunch, DID NOT LIKE Geoff Thompson, lots of self indulgence and a waste of time		3	8			
The quality and inspiring key note speakers was exceptional The well organised, staffed workshops were a place to listen and learn MENTI app before morning break Final speaker	Nothing	On the delegate list, where it states organisaiton, can it state what their role is in Salford To have a makers market to sell / celebrate local Salford product initiatives	10	10		Inspires Informs Works in partnership	Thank you so much for all your hard work In making this happen
Workshops and afternoon speakers			8	6			
Hearing directly from people working in the sector	Hearing from the Council		7	3	An improved web offering / back office support	A huge difference, grateful for your support	

The Big Lottery contribution, people and communities The launch of the Salford VCSE Strategy	The PM Plenary session - too long, not all relevant	More small group work and interaction, even time for everyone to introduce themselves more formally in table	1	9	Im very impressed by Salford CVS	A great resource and facilities	It was really no fun at all trying to get there on public transport - took me 2 hours (7.30am to 9.30am). A location nearer the City Centre would be great
Opportunity to talk to loads of people in the plenary session	The MoU session	Maybe expand on the sessions where Salford groups talk about their own work. Also workshops to be more interactive so groups can connect	9	3		Connects Salford VCSE organisations and makes them stronger, builds their capacity	Maybe source a local catering business that is a CIC. A bit more variety in the veggie food would have been great but everything tasted good.
Enterprisingly Social amazing and inspriring		Microsphone problems (Main stage)	10	10	Similar event for community groups / volunteers or promote to get them involved in this inspiring event	Innovative, knowledgeable and inspiring	Thank you I feel very inspired., Loved it all and now need to put into action what I have learned and to build new relationships
Workshops - both were great	Morning - voices from the VCSE Sector		10	10		A big difference	
Everything Speakers and workshops, very stimulating and inspiring			7	9		Good support for organisations Very good communication with member organisations about current issues	Great event
Workshops on Tech for Good and on Futurism	MoU with Salford Together	More inspiring, forward thinking, challenging encounters such as Tech 4 Good,	7	9	More support enabling tech / digital / cyber	Infrastructure support	Liked the broad diversity of speakers etc
Afternoon speakers Hearts and Minds workshops		Poll - interest in workshops, what do people want to get involved with	9	10		Glue that holds many Salford organistons together	Loved it!
Workshops		A booklet to introduce the third sector organistions who work for Salford	8	8	Do some networking events		For the workshop, if it can talk in depth that would be great
Big Lottery talk	4 speakers at the beginning	More workshops	8	8	Funding for bigger organisations going good work	Good advice	
Guest speakers and break out sessions		Loud banging and thumping music sometimes distorted from the speakers (A J Bell issue)	8	8			Very well organised event delivered in an engaging and informative way, well done at SCVS

Workshops - how to communicate what you are doing and campaigning is		Same again	10	10	More training opportunities - building on existing	Positivity around the work of the VCSE sector connecting people	
Presentaion of Lucy Danger and concept of community in a virtual world Also Leo Capella from			8	8	Local Social networks	Improve social communicaton, skills and link networks	Many thanks to all the staff and volunteers
Networking opportunities	1st workshop was not relevant - not made clear on initial leaflet what would be covered	Need to be much clearer about target audience for workshops so we an make informed	7	6	They are brilliant. No changes needed	Empowering, communicate to groups to be more effective	Not sure about relevance of workshops
speaker Tech 4 Good workshop	Some of the morning session was a bit dry		8	8			
All of it - Geoff Thomspson was inspiring	None of it	No was great	9	9	Nothing all was great	A lot of oppourtunities	Really enjoyed it, was a great day, very interesting and gained lots of knowledge
Lottery funding, reporting the changes VCSE strategy 2018 - 2023	Voices from the VCSE sector		10	10		A fantastic difference to organisations and people supported by these orgasniations	
All inter-relates and has a positive feel			9	9	Take the 3rd sector consortium inhouse	Difficult to say but it has the 3rd sector at the heart of the City's and CCG's plans	
FYI - Geoff Thompson massively over ran at a conference I out on last year so hard to stop such a good speaker I would have cut the Q&A sessions		Structured networking, maybe even spend networking chance to meet and speak to 20 people, surely chance to find someone useful. Make speakers stick to timings	8	8	We need to communicate better between us, what do we all do. I found out about so many events and activities I didn't know about and should be sharing this through my organsiation communication channels	Pulls people together Helps focus overall strategy	We are a small local community group, much of the event focussed on a (very admirably but not totally out of our reach) much bigger groups How do we tackle poverty in Salford? I DON'T KNOW. I want to learn how to find volunteers to help clean up our village green

Geoff Thomson speech inspiing	MoU presentation	Think this event could be shorter	5	6	Unsure the services that it offers are clearly described and widely advertised. Focus more on removing the physical , organisaitonal and attitude barriers that prevent people from accessing CVS services, including employment opportunities	It acts as a champion of the VCSE Sector in Salford, helping organisations to achieve their dreams more effectively	I was shocked when a speaker said "im sure you have all read" I know this person was not from Salford CVS but really...
Speakers from other orgasniations, networking opportunities and workshops	Nothing		8	6	Keep these events going, keep on the ground and out there with organsiations working in Salford	It empowers people and the community which people are apart of. It gives individuals and communities the confidence and skills set to live happier and healthier lives	Great event
Social Enterprise workshop / sessions		Make it more interactive	8	6	I don't, you are excellent at what you do	Getting people together, talking and working towards shared priorities	
Four seasons Plenary session Voices from the sector	Big Lottery Fund	Fantastic day - although maybe too much content. Leo's presenation was good -feel for him that the audience members had	9	10		Creates positive outcomes and voices for everyone	Sorry if this does not make sense I am flagging a bit
Geoff Thompson		Stay the same	10	10	Be more visible in local communities throughtout the city - go out into local areas		
The workshop especially "Trading for Social Benefit). The food was fantastic and the way of serving was very convenient workshops	Speech of Geoff Thompson was boring (tone made me sleepy)	I was interested in more workshop topics but I had to choose and miss the other. If there could be more availability of workshops it would be more beneficial	9	10	Providing more training for different aspects of volunteering for example, how to manage the community more effectively and the rules and laws about it	It has a very effective compact in a positive way on the people and the neighbourhood. It really changes lives of people and encorages the wellbeing and happiness	It was a great oppotunity to meet other people and communities and have interaction with them
Enterprisingly Social session, excellent speakers	Some but not all speakers in the presentation at 10.30am	NO. Good veriety of speakers and workshops and types of session. Vegan food was very tasty	6	10		Support in its appraoch	Bus route involves quite a walk and directions are not very clear

Leo - Disability Rights UK	Number of tasks in the morning - need to condense	Workshops are great - need more Q &A sessions to grill the experts	7	6	One coherent message	Has instilled pride, profile and power in a previously disjointed sector	
All of it. Chance to network. Hearing inspiring speeches	Workshop on campaigning was not what I expected		8	6	I think its pretty good	Supporting and connecting the sector	
It was interesting to listen and learn to the views of those in the sector and their attitude towards tech		Keep up the great work	10	10	Unable to comment	Everyone seems to be personally invested	Thank you
Presentations on voluntary sectors and panel discussion		No	9	9		A lot, capacity building and great fun	Brilliant... well done
UK	nothing		5	7			
Some inspirational speakers		about their experiences	8	8			
Very useful workshop sessions - made some good networking contacts and recruited some projects to be involved in some ADHD co-design work	nothing	More opportunities to get some feedback as funders - having key messages both positive and negative	6	9	More support to articulate outcomes / impacts of the work they do - describing the added value / Social Value	Provides consistent and well structured support to the sector and provides a 2 way contact between the statutory and VCSE sector - promote a 2 way voice - pulls in significant additional funds	As always very well put together and delivered. A huge thank you and well done
speakers and workshops			6	10			
The workshops were really helpful and there were some great opportunities to network	Nothing - I enjoyed it all		10	10		Recognition of the importance and value of volunteers. Teaching around the vital issues of volunteering and its legalities	A very well organised event. Lovely venue, great catering. Both the CVS and Stadium staff were very helpful and attentive
Workshops - how to improve our message via social media Considering how the future might impact our group. Networking for my volunteer group and my role		speeches from smaller organisations to see what they are currently doing. Provide a guided networking activity for each table. Social Media workshop around reading and using insights on facebook and twitter	10	9	Nothing, you are great!	It provides support to individuals when they might not otherwise receive. It gives people a sense of value and worth. It helps community groups to become established and helps them to build knowledge to be successful.	More options of salad / pasta as food choice

The speakers giving insight as to how they have managed to succeed			10	8	I am new to this so will see how things go in the future but, I couldn't make any comment at the moment	After today I hadn't realised how many organisations there are in Salford, so from me you make a very large difference	
Having NHS / LA commissioners in the same place as voluntary sector workshops - good	VCSE Strategy - didn't realise talk was about how it was written and not what it is going to achieve	Perhaps have fewer speakers on the day, to jam packed and a bit too much	5	9			
Speakers after lunch			8	8	Advertise and promote itself more	It is always there in case of need	
Enterprisingly social Voices of the VCSE Sector - good to see the faces Geoff Thompson -			9	9		Knowledgable and helpful	Banging, bumping and strange music was interrupting, spoilt talks
Money money money workshop. I found out about funding available to me		I would encourage more workshops	10	6	CVS could communicate more with the community rather than groups and Social Enterprises	Provides a wealth of services and info of you know It is there	
Information from Big Lottert about the grants and how you can apply		Kepp doing a great job	10	10	To do what you are doing to the best and increase the outcomes	Big difference to the community and its people	Keep doing what its best coz its working
Both workshops	AM session - being talked at Too much like a CVS AGM	More networking time / space Better timekeeping	8	8	More tables	Very supportive	Good to meet others, but to little time