# **The Adoption Forum**



## A conference to look at the messages from research, practice and experience

#### When

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2025 12:00 PM – 5:30 PM

#### Where

Coram Chambers
9–11 Fulwood Place. London WC1V 6HG

### Chaired by

Stephen Wildblood KC, Mediator and arbitrator

Founded and convened by

**Sarah Beskine,** Co-founder, project lead, and convener **Sophie Hill,** Co-founder and convener

This unique event brings together birth and adoptive parents, adopted people, and leading professionals from across the field.

Alongside expert speakers, group discussions, and valuable networking opportunities, participants will have the opportunity to add their name as a contributor and share their views in a collaborative working document.

This living document, developed from the conference workshops and continued at a follow-up remote conference in March 2026, aims to become a best practice guide for future reference, potentially to be used in court.

Join us to help shape the development of best practice in adoption and contact. Your active participation will make a difference.





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