Cookies on the Create Highland website

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This site, like many others, uses small files called cookies to help us customise your experience. Find out more about cookies and how you can control them.

This page contains information on what 'cookies' are, the cookies used by the Create Highland website, how to switch cookies off in your browser, how to specifically switch off advertising cookies, and some useful links for further reading on the subject. If it does not provide the information you are looking for, or you have any further questions about the use of cookies on the Create Highland website, please email create.ic@uhi.ac.uk.

What are 'cookies'?

'Cookies' are small text files that are stored by the browser (for example, Internet Explorer or Safari) on your computer or mobile phone. They allow websites to store things like user preferences. You can think of cookies as providing a 'memory' for the website, so that it can recognise you when you come back and respond appropriately.

How does the Create Highland website use cookies?

When you use and access our website, we may place a number of cookies files in your web browser.

We use cookies for the following purposes: to enable certain functions of the website such as our Business Competition entry system, to provide analytics, to store your preferences, to enable advertisements delivery, including behavioural advertising.

We use both session and persistent cookies on our website and we use different types of cookies to run the website:-

- **Necessary (Essential) cookies -** We may use necessary cookies to make our website usable by enabling basic functions like page navigation and access to secure areas on the website. The website cannot function properly without these cookies.
- **Preference cookies** – Preference cookies enable our website to remember information that changes the way the website behaves or looks, like your preferred language or the region that you are in.

- **Statistic cookies** – Statistic cookies help website owners to understand how visitors interact with websites by collecting and reporting information anonymously.
- **System cookies** – System cookies enables the minimum cookies required for the website to work, and remembers whether the user allows cookies or not.
- **Third-party (or Marketing) cookies** – Third-party or marketing cookies are used to track visitors across websites. The intention is to display ads that are relevant and engaging for the individual user and thereby more valuable for publishers and third party advertisers.

How to manage cookies

If you'd like to delete cookies or instruct your browser to delete or refuse cookies, please visit the help pages on your web browser.

All modern browsers allow you to change your cookie settings. You can usually find these settings in the 'options' or 'preferences' menu of your browser.

Please note, however, that if you delete cookies or refuse to accept them, you might not be able to use all of the features we offer, you may not be able to store your preferences, and some of our pages might not display properly.

If you are primarily concerned about third-party cookies generated by advertisers, you can turn these off by going to the [Your Online Choices](#) site.

Where can you find more information about cookies?

You can learn more about cookies at the following third-party websites:

- AllAboutCookies: http://allaboutcookies.org/
- Network Advertising Initiative: http://www.networkadvertising.org/