

Bristol Modern Slavery Event



**Run a Modern Slavery  
Event with  
Unchosen**

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Peterborough Modern Slavery Event



*“The aim of the event was “to raise awareness of the issues of trafficking in the UK and Peterborough with the public, local organizations and regulatory bodies. ‘The Trip’ resonated with police present in highlighting the need to take a more victim centered approach... ‘Yoke Farm’ also highlights how subtle the indicators could be and how easy it was to miss if you were not tuned into potential issues.”*

**David Kennedy, Stop the Traffik – Peterborough**

## **Do you want to tell people in your community or workplace about Modern Slavery? Unchosen can help you create a Modern Slavery event.**

Since 2008 Unchosen have been running events that tell people about Modern Slavery in the UK, and that give people the confidence to spot the signs of exploitation and take action in their community. Unchosen’s expertise lies in using specialist short films to show people what Modern Slavery looks like. Our unparalleled collection of films and resources, along with our expertise and extensive contacts, mean that we can help you create an event that will stay in people’s minds for a long time.

We are the organisation that people turn to when they want an informative, gripping event on Modern Slavery. Our event partners include faith groups, social action groups and universities, as well as big organisations such as the UK Human Trafficking Centre, the British Red Cross, and the Gangmasters Licensing Authority.

Most importantly, creating an event with Unchosen can take the stress out of the whole process. Our events packages and services mean that you can choose how much you’d like Unchosen to do for you, to ensure a smooth-running and successful event.

Unchosen events take place across the UK every month. Get involved today – because with more people gaining a greater understanding of Modern Slavery, more victims can be identified and perpetrators prosecuted. Together we really can end Modern Slavery in the UK.

# Working with Unchosen

*“The awareness videos produced by Unchosen are an excellent portrayal of how modern slavery manifests itself in society. Unchosen have a proven track record for producing excellent material for raising awareness and I would encourage organisations, agencies and communities to watch these short videos in order that they can begin to understand this abusive crime.”* □

**Kevin Hyland OBE Independent  
Anti-Slavery Commissioner**



**Rose's Story**  
Unchosen film about Sexual Exploitation

Unchosen's expertise lies in creating bespoke events for our partners, so that each event is tailored to its audience. We are more than happy to address pressing issues in your community and workplace. As a starting point, the following are the kinds of topics we might cover at an Unchosen event:

## **Suggested topics that can be covered at a event**

- Overview of Modern Slavery
- Types of Modern Slavery:
  - Forced Labour
  - Sexual Exploitation
  - Child Slavery
  - Domestic Servitude
  - Forced Marriage
- Recognising the signs of Modern Slavery
- What to do if you identify a potential victim of Slavery
- What support is available for victims of Slavery

## **Content of an Event**

From previous experience we have found that an event featuring a mixture of film screenings, a brief speaker presentation and Q&A panel of experts works well. This gives people an introduction to the issues surrounding Modern Slavery, the confidence to spot the signs and who to call.

## **Films**

Unchosen's specialism is using film to tell people and professionals about Modern Slavery, giving a human face to a complex problem. In particular, we recommend our Film Against Slavery DVDs, which are a twenty minute run through the issues surrounding Modern Slavery, Sexual Exploitation or Forced Labour, and include an animation, short film and a Q&A. We also have a wide range of films that can be used to add impact to the presentations - to view our films visit: [www.unchosen.org.uk/films](http://www.unchosen.org.uk/films)

# Working with Unchosen



## Speakers

Unchosen has a variety of experienced speakers who can give up-to-date training and information in their area of expertise:

- With our contacts across the Anti-Slavery sector, Unchosen can provide speakers on a variety of topics around Modern Slavery
- We can also provide speakers to talk on very specific professional issues (e.g. safeguarding, police work) depending on the focus of the event
- Presentations are around 10-15 minutes long depending on the length of event.

## Panel Discussion

We recommend a Q&A session following the films and speaker. This is a panel of experts on Modern Slavery and local grassroots issues, invaluable for answering any difficult or controversial questions the audience will doubtless have.

## Networking and Collaboration

Events are a great way to bring a wide range of people and organisations together with a common cause. We ensure that there is plenty of networking time at the event so that people can share experiences and best practice.

## Exhibitors

Another great addition to an Unchosen event is that we can invite exhibitors from other non governmental organisations (NGOs) to provide information about their work, and to better inform delegates about the kinds of Anti-Slavery work going on in the UK.

## Events Guidebook

You will also have full access to Unchosen's comprehensive "Film Event Guidebook" This is a step-by-step guide, which has been developed by Unchosen through years of experience of putting on events around the country. The guide comes complete with handy checklists.

# Running an Event with Unchosen

*“The help and advice from Unchosen was excellent and they were always available on the end of the phone to offer help. The films are superb and are what makes the event have such an impact.”*

## **The Diocese of Middlesbrough**



Unchosen has developed an Event Package that is designed for volunteer groups, social action groups and NGOs who would like to create a Modern Slavery event in their community.

## **The Unchosen Events Package**

A typical Unchosen event consists of showing 2-3 Unchosen films or one of our Film Against Slavery DVDs, a speaker to give a brief talk on Modern Slavery followed by a panel discussion with the audience, as mentioned above. We also invite exhibitors to inform others about their work. Unchosen can provide the following for a fee:

### **Project Management:**

- Our experienced Event Coordinator provides event support and consultancy throughout the process, including creating a polished schedule for your event.
- Unchosen work with you to select the speaker and panellists for the Panel Discussion and exhibitors.
- Unchosen will provide full access to Unchosen’s comprehensive “Film Event Guidebook”
- We provide expert evaluation of your event, based on our audience questionnaires and feedback from all participants.

### **Design publicity / Resources:**

- Graphic design for event: design of A5 promotion leaflets / posters / e-flyers (*printing costs not included*).
- Providing bespoke DVD of short 2-3 films of your choice from our film selection or one of our Films Against Slavery DVDs.
- Audience questionnaires for post-event monitoring and evaluation (*printing costs not included*).

**Unchosen Event Package cost = £200**

**Please note that this price does not include speaker & panellist expenses; sourcing, booking or paying for a venue; AV requirements; all printing costs; all catering; inviting or managing your attendees. These costs would fall to you as event partner.**

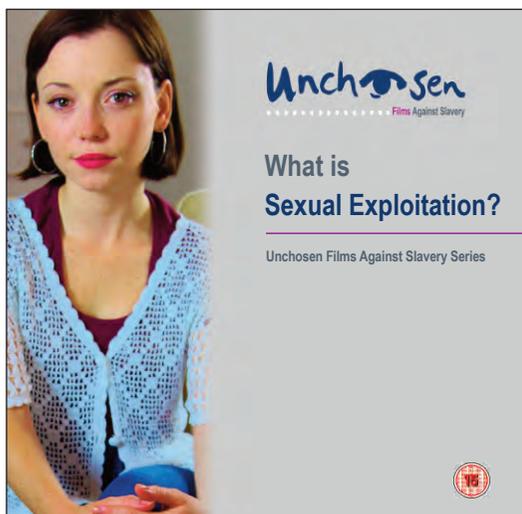
**Similarly, if you’d like Unchosen to attend your event, we ask you to cover travel and accommodation as required.**

**We are very happy to provide extra Anti-Slavery resources on request, please see page 6.**

## Other Services to Support Your Event

*“These films are some of the most powerful films you can show... Unchosen have inspired me to get involved... We have to stand up and be determined to fight.”*

**Sir John Randall**



Some people require minimal support in running a Modern Slavery event, and just need to order films and resources from Unchosen. For all costs of the resources listed below please contact Jane at [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)

### Unchosen Films

Unchosen's film library on Modern Slavery is without parallel in the UK. We believe film is a very powerful tool for showing what Modern Slavery looks like in your community, and you can see our films here: [www.unchosen.org.uk/films](http://www.unchosen.org.uk/films). We can offer the following ways of accessing our films:

### Films Against Slavery DVDs

In less than 20 minutes, each DVD gives you an overview of Modern Slavery in the UK – and what you can do about it. You can use our DVDs in your workplace, social action group, or with friends and family. Or use in your organisation or business, as part of a meeting, event or training.

The DVDs available are:

- What is Modern Slavery?
- What is Sexual Exploitation?
- What is Forced Labour?

To order, please go to [www.unchosen.org.uk/take-action](http://www.unchosen.org.uk/take-action)  
For bulk order costs contact [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)

### Compilation DVD:

Our compilation DVD features 10 of the very best films from our film competitions that you can order from our website [www.unchosen.org.uk/take-action/resources/](http://www.unchosen.org.uk/take-action/resources/)

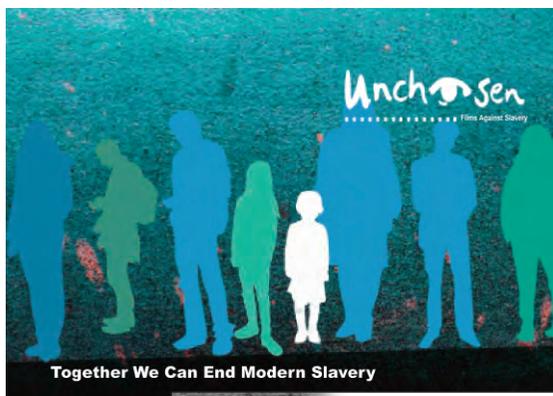
### Bespoke DVD:

We can make a bespoke DVD containing up to 3 films of your choice. Contact [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)

### Digital Transfer:

We can digitally transfer a film to you of your choice. Contact [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)

# Other Services to Support Your Event



**10,000-13,000** estimated potential victims of Modern Slavery in the UK

**3266** were referred to the NRM in 2015

**40%** increase on 2014\*

**National Referral Mechanism (NRM)**  
The National Referral Mechanism is the system through which an individual is identified as a victim of Modern Slavery and offered the appropriate services. Only some agencies can refer individuals who they think may be victims of Modern Slavery to the Competent Authorities, they are called 'First Responders'. These include designated NGOs, UK Police Forces, National Crime Agency, Home Office, UK Border Force, Local Authority Children's Services and the Gangmasters Licensing Authority (GLA). The Competent Authorities are the National Crime Agency UK Human Trafficking Centre (UKHTC) and the Home Office UK Visas and Immigration. The NRM is a two stage process: the initial filter is a reasonable grounds test and the second phase leads to a conclusive decision. First, the competent authority has five working days to decide whether the individual has reasonable grounds for being considered as a victim of Modern Slavery. Once a positive decision has been made, the individual is granted a 45 day reflection / recovery period while the Competent Authority decides whether there are sufficient grounds to decide that the individual is a victim of Modern Slavery. During this time potential victims have the right to accommodation, counselling and advice.

**Modern Slavery Factsheet**

Modern Slavery is a serious and brutal crime in which people are treated as commodities and exploited for criminal gain. Modern Slavery encompasses slavery, servitude, forced labour and human trafficking. Victims may be coerced, deceived or forced into a life of abuse, humiliation and inhumane treatment. They can be controlled through debt-bondage or threats made to them or their family. The perpetrators are not only gangs and organised crime groups, but also individual opportunists.

**Forced Labour**  
Forced labour is the act of coercing or deceiving someone into working against their will. Victims of forced labour are often controlled by their employers' through various means such as threats, physical harm, confiscation of identity documents and the withholding of wages.

**Forced Criminality**  
Forced criminality is a form of forced labour in which victims are coerced to commit crimes for the profit of another person. This can include pick-pocketing, begging, benefit fraud and drug-related crimes such as cannabis farming. Children are often particularly at risk from this form of slavery, not only because they are vulnerable, but because they are not at the age of criminal responsibility.

**Sexual Exploitation**  
Sexual exploitation consists of any non-consensual or abusive sexual act performed for the perpetrator's own profit. Victims can be held against their will or under coercive conditions. This can include prostitution, escort services and pornography. Although most victims are female, there are also male victims.

**Domestic Servitude**  
This is where victims are forced to work in private houses for little or no pay, often with restricted freedom. Those who are already domestic workers, such as maids or nannies, can be at particular risk. Roughly a quarter of domestic servitude victims are children.

**Forced Marriage**  
Forced marriage occurs when a child or an adult has not consented to be in a marriage. Often they are unable to leave and are forced to perform domestic chores or sexual acts. Forced marriage is illegal in the UK, and is not the same as arranged marriage, which is a voluntary union, arranged by a couple's parents.

## Unchosen Speaker for Presentation or Workshop

Unchosen have a selection of expert speakers available to inform and challenge your audience at your event / training. Get in touch at [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)

## Unchosen Resources

Unchosen have a selection of paper resources available to use at events. These resources can be customised with partner logos.

## Fact Sheets:

- Modern Slavery
- Forced Labour and Supply Chains
- Forced Marriage
- Child Exploitation
- Domestic Servitude
- Sexual Exploitation
- Understanding the National Referral Mechanism
- Understanding the Modern Slavery Act

## Spot the Signs Postcards:

- Modern Slavery
- Forced Labour
- Child Exploitation
- Domestic Servitude
- Sexual Exploitation

For bulk orders of the above, please contact [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)



We are very happy to discuss your plans and any of the above with you. If you would like to run an event with Unchosen or if you would like further information please contact Jane Jones at [info@unchosen.org.uk](mailto:info@unchosen.org.uk)