

Kate Mercy Glass - Privacy Policy

This privacy policy was last updated on October 1st 2023. Our policy may change from time to time for any reason but if we make any material changes to our policy we will place a prominent notice on our website. If you have any questions or concerns about our privacy policies, feel free to contact us at any time.

We do not collect your data.

The websites (www.katemeracy.co.uk and www.katemeracy.com) do not directly collect or transmit any personally identifiable information about you, such as your name, address, phone number, financial information.

As no personal information is collected, transmitted or maintained by the websites we do not share any personal information with anyone.

We do use third-party web analytics tools (Google Analytics) to help us monitor how people use our websites - how many visits, from what locations. The information we see is anonymised with any personally identifiable information removed. Your use of our websites will remain anonymous to us.

If you would prefer to disable the collection of even anonymous analytics data then please follow the instructions below to enable the "Do Not Track" setting in your web browser.

Indirectly we do have access to information collected by Google Analytics to inform us of statistical information on the use of our websites. For compliance with UK GDPR, this information is anonymised before we see it. We do not share this information with anyone else.

Cookies and our policy

A cookie is a small text file that is stored on your device so that a website can remember information about your visit. A cookie will typically contain the name of the website that created it, a time period for which it is valid, and a value, which is often a randomly generated and unique number.

How we use cookies

We do not set any cookies ourselves. However, we do make use of a number of cookies generated by Google Analytics.

We only use their cookies for the purpose of collecting statistics about the use of our website. This anonymised information is used to improve the experience of future visitors to our website.

Name	Purpose	Expires
_ga	Google analytics	2 years
_gid	Google analytics	24 hours
_gat	Google analytics	1 minute

We do not use advertising cookies. Other than Google Analytics we do not have any third party services embedded within our websites and hence no other third party cookies.

How to enable the "Do Not Track" setting in your browser

We use third-party web analytics tools to help us monitor how people use our websites.

Your IP address will be collected for the purpose of distinguishing between internal (staff) and external (public) usage. We do not associate your IP address with anything that is personally identifiable, so your use of our websites will remain anonymous to us.

If you would prefer to disable the collection of anonymous analytics data then please following the instructions below to enable the "Do Not Track" setting in your web browser.

Microsoft Edge (Windows)

- Open the **main menu** (three dots) and select **Settings**
- Select **View advanced settings**
- Find the **Privacy and services** section

- Enable the **Send Do Not Track requests** option

Microsoft Internet Explorer (Windows)

- Open the **Settings** menu (cog)
- Select **Internet Options**
- Select the **Advanced** tab
- Find the **Security** section
- Enable the **Send Do Not Track requests to sites you visit in Internet Explorer** option
- Press the **Apply** and **OK** buttons

Mozilla Firefox

- Open the **main menu** (three lines) and select **Options** (or **Preferences**)
- Select **Privacy & Security**
- Find the **Tracking Protection** section
- Enable the **Send websites a "Do Not Track" signal that you don't want to be tracked** option

Mozilla Firefox (Android)

- Open the **main menu** (three lines) and select **Settings**
- Select **Privacy**
- Enable the **Do Not Track** option

Google Chrome

- Open the **main menu** (three dots) and select **Settings**
- Scroll to the bottom of the page and select **Advanced**
- Find the **Privacy and security** section
- Enable the **Send a "Do Not Track" request with your browsing traffic** option

Google Chrome (Android)

- Open the **main menu** (three dots) and select **Settings**
- Select **Privacy**
- Find the **Privacy and security** section
- Enable the **Send a "Do Not Track" request with your browsing traffic** option

Apple Safari (macOS)

- Open the main menu and select **Preferences**
- Select the **Advanced preferences** option
- Enable the **Show Develop menu in menu bar** option at the bottom
- Select **Develop** from the main menu bar
- Select the **Send Do Not Track HTTP Header** option

Apple Safari (iOS)

- Open the **Settings** app
- Select **Safari**
- Enable the **Do Not Track** option

Opera

- Open the main menu and select **Settings**
- Select **Privacy and security**
- Enable the **Send a "Do Not Track" request with your browsing traffic** option

How to complain

If you have any concerns about our use of your personal information, you can make a complaint to us at kate.mercy@gmail.com

You can also complain to the ICO if you are unhappy with how we have used your data.

The ICO's address:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Helpline number: 0303 123 1113
ICO website: <https://www.ico.org.uk>