

The British Interplanetary Society Space History Conference



at Charterhouse

Thursday 24 to Saturday 26 July 2014

Recording the Past - Debating the Present - Inspiring the Future

The British Interplanetary Society Space History Conference at Charterhouse will have a varied programme reflecting on Space Exploration, Launcher technology, Space Science, the Development of commercial Space-based technology, Space Policy and Space-based Astronomy.

This is a chance to listen to top speakers, take part in a variety of workshops, debate with fellow enthusiasts and to enjoy a social side of the conference that only Charterhouse can bring. Stimulating, thoughtful and good fun. Make sure you come!

Speakers include: Alan Bond, Kelvin Long, Prof. Fred Taylor, Prof. Matt Griffin, Prof. Bob Parkinson, John Thatcher, Kate Pyne, Alistair Scott, Dr. Stuart Eves, James MacFarlane, Dr. Lucy Rogers, Dan Andrews and Dave Wright.

The conference will be held in the Modern Language Block and overnight accommodation will be available on a first come first served basis in the Chetwynd Boarding House in single rooms with en-suite shower/wc. There are a limited number of twin rooms, so it is advisable to call Suzann Parry on 0207 735 3160 as soon as possible to book one.

Registration will open at 09.30 am on 24th July and the programme will start at 11.00 am. For those opting for the full Residential package this will include all morning and afternoon refreshments and lunch on all 3 days, dinner on the evening of the 24th, breakfast on the 25th & 26th, and the Conference dinner on the 25th.

Outline Programme

The programme will include:

'Skylon' by Alan Bond

'Interstellar travel' by Kelvin Long

'Working at JPL' by Professor Fred Taylor

'Herschel' by Professor Matt Griffin

'The History of the Stevenage Site' by John Thatcher

'The Vickers Transonic Model' by Kate Pyne

'The History of the BIS' by Professor Bob Parkinson

'The BIS and its Influence on the Space Industry' Alistair Scott

'The Next 20 years' by Dr. Stuart Eves

'The BIS Education Committee - Inspiring a New Generation' by Dr. Stuart Eves

'Airborne Engineering' by James MacFarlane

'Space Debris' by Dr. Lucy Rogers

'Rosetta' by Dan Andrews

'The NASA cricket team – The Brits who helped NASA get to the Moon' by Dave Wright

Standard Delegate Rates:

Residential including Conference Dinner:

3 day/2 night (24 - 26 July) £250.00

2 day/1 night (25 - 26 July) £150.00

Residential NO Conference Dinner:

3 day/2 night (24 - 26 July) £200.00

2 day/1 night (24 – 25 July) £100.00

2 day/1 night (25 – 26 July) £100.00

Non-Residential

3 day (24, 25, 26 July) £120.00

1 day (24 July) £45.00

1 day (25 July) £45.00

1 day (26 July) £45.00

Conference Dinner 25 July £60.00

Student Delegate Rates:

Residential including Conference Dinner:

3 day/2 night (24-26 July) £180.00

2 day/1 night (25-26 July) £120.00

Residential no Conference Dinner:

3 day/2 night (24-26 July) £140.00

2 day/1 night (24-25 July) £90.00

2 day/1 night (25-26 July) £90.00

Non-Residential

3 day (24-26 July) £90.00

1 day (24 July) £35.00

1 day (25 July) £35.00

1 day (26 July) £35.00

Conference Dinner 25 July £40.00