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IN PARLIAMENT DAY



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BUSINESSES
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TOGETHER**

**NOTTINGHAM IN PARLIAMENT DAY
EVENTS PROGRAMME
25TH OCTOBER 2016**

WELCOME TO THE INAUGURAL NOTTINGHAM IN PARLIAMENT DAY PROGRAMME

Nottingham in Parliament Day is a ground-breaking initiative developed and led by The University of Nottingham, which has brought together over 100 partners from civic, corporate and third-sector organisations across Nottingham, Nottinghamshire and the East Midlands.

On 25 October 2016, we head to Westminster, working with our local MPs to hold 45 events on one single day that will celebrate the ideas, people and businesses that make Nottingham great.

Nottingham is the ninth-biggest city in the fifth-biggest economy in the world. We are home to globally successful businesses, world-class universities, great civic institutions and a cultural heritage that is known the world over. The purpose of Nottingham in Parliament Day is to raise awareness of these many assets amongst national policymakers and politicians.

Nottingham's social, economic and cultural future will be shaped by our connections: to the Midlands; to the rest of the UK; to the world. However, it is also the connections between our institutions, businesses, people and ideas that will help us work together, in partnership, to realise Nottingham's potential.

We hope you enjoy the day!

#NottinghamTogether

How to attend events on Nottingham in Parliament Day

Nottingham in Parliament Day is a collection of 45 separate events delivered by over 100 partners working together to curate a diverse and dynamic programme. As with all events held in Parliament, you will need to register for each event individually, so please explore our events programme and then get in touch with the relevant organisers using the contact information provided to receive an invitation.

Our website www.nottinghaminparliamentday.uk has live information about each event, including updates to speakers, links to online registration pages and other useful details.

Please remember that in order to enter Parliament, you will need a hard-copy invitation for each event you are due to attend and photo ID.

Please also note that if you are attending more than one event on the day, you will not be able to cross between Portcullis House and The Palace of Westminster unescorted, so allow time to exit and re-enter the building between events.

If you have time between events, why not stop by the D2N2 Nottingham in Parliament Day Green Room, located 3 minutes' walk from Parliament in One Great George Street. Wi-Fi and refreshments will be available – register your attendance at www.d2n2-green-room.eventbrite.co.uk



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NOTTINGHAM IN PARLIAMENT DAY EXPRESS

0630-0822 Nottingham-London

Courtesy of East Midlands Trains, a delegation of local celebrities, civic dignitaries and businesspeople will join the media in taking the early train down to Westminster to show off the best of Nottingham. Guests will enjoy a breakfast specially prepared by two-Michelin Starred Chef Sat Bains. By invitation only.

EVENT PARTNERS: East Midlands Trains

CONTACT: By invitation only

THE D2N2 NOTTINGHAM IN PARLIAMENT DAY GREEN ROOM AT ONE GREAT GEORGE STREET

0800-1700 Stephenson Room,
One Great George Street SW1P 3AA

The D2N2 Nottingham in Parliament Day Green Room at One Great George Street is the perfect place for speakers and participants in Nottingham in Parliament Day to spend the time between events, catch up on work and enjoy complimentary Wi-Fi and refreshments. Supported by the D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership (promoting economic growth in Nottingham, Nottinghamshire, Derby and Derbyshire), the Green Room is located approximately three minutes' walk from the House of Commons.

EVENT PARTNERS: D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership, The University of Nottingham

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MIDLANDS ENGINE BREAKFAST: HOW CAN NOTTINGHAM DRIVE THE MIDLANDS ENGINE?

0850-1030 Dining Room A

SPEAKERS: Chair: Sir Andrew Witty (CEO, GSK); Panel: Professor Sir David Greenaway (Vice-Chancellor, The University of Nottingham); Sir John Peace (Chair, Midlands Engine); Elizabeth Fagan (Senior Vice President and Managing Director, Boots); Cllr. Jon Collins (Leader, Nottingham City Council). Contributions from: Lilian Greenwood MP (Nottingham South); Rt. Hon. Ken Clarke MP (Rushcliffe); Rt. Hon. Anna Soubry MP (Broxtowe), Tony Cocker (CEO, E.ON); Ashley Long (MD, Paul Smith Ltd); Ministerial welcome

Join the CEOs of some of Nottingham and the East Midlands' biggest businesses, civic and university leaders and politicians from across the region for a senior, invitation-only roundtable to discuss Nottingham's role in shaping the wider regional agenda in the context of a new Government Industrial Strategy for the UK.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Nottingham City Council, Gleeds, BWB

CONTACT: By invitation only



East Midlands Trains

NTU THINKUBATOR® CHALLENGE & WOMEN IN LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE EVENT

0900-1200 Committee Room 16

SPEAKERS: Baroness Diana Warwick [Chair]; Sue Fish [Chief Constable, Nottinghamshire Police]; Judy Naake (High Sheriff of Nottinghamshire & Entrepreneur, Founder of the St Tropez tanning brand)

Nottingham Trent University's Thinkubator® Challenge, based on its successful and unique model, will see students collaborate to solve some of the toughest challenges currently facing Government and the economy, such as issues around social mobility, industrial strategy and transportation – and all of this in just a morning. Whilst students are getting to grips with these topics, the University will also host a roundtable discussion on Women in Leadership, with questions from students in Nottingham so they can contribute to the discussion.

NTU THINKUBATOR® RECEPTION

1215-1400 Churchill Room

SPEAKERS: Professor Edward Peck (Vice-Chancellor, Nottingham Trent University)

A celebration of talent as students present the results of their Thinkubator® Challenge – solving the challenges submitted by politicians.

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottingham Trent University; Institute of Directors (East Midlands)

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WHY PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN NOTTINGHAM IS THE BEST IN THE UK

1400-1445 AND 1500-1545
Dining Room B

SPEAKERS: Jeff Counsell (Managing Director, Trent Barton); Mark Fowles (Managing Director, Nottingham City Transport)

An opportunity to look at a successful alternative to the franchised public transport model. Nottingham is viewed as a beacon for public transport best practice, with its operators and the local authority regularly winning awards for excellence. Patronage, passenger satisfaction, punctuality and journey times are all improving. A proven track record of innovative partnership working between the local authority and progressive operators, delivering consistent improvements over the past 10 years.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Nottingham City Transport, Trent Barton, Nottingham Express Transit

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Nottingham tram, city centre



PITCHING TO PARLIAMENT: THE NEXT GENERATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM ENTREPRENEURS

1400-1500 Boothroyd Room

SPEAKERS: Rt. Hon. Anna Soubry MP (former Minister of State for Small Business, Industry and Enterprise, Department for Business, Innovation and Skills); Professor Simon Mosey (Director, The Haydn Green Institute); Ade Potts (Managing Director, SME, Experian); David Falzani (CEO, Polaris Associates); Steven Chapman (Head, The Ingenuity Lab) [Chair]

The hour-long event will feature three businesses, chosen by Experian, and members of The Ingenuity Lab. The Ingenuity Lab is The University of Nottingham's student and alumni entrepreneurship centre, and part of the Haydn Green Institute for Entrepreneurship and Innovation (HGI). They demonstrate a cross section of the innovative businesses currently being developed, or trading, within The Ingenuity Lab in Nottingham. The businesses will pitch their ideas to a specialist panel including Rt. Hon. Anna Soubry MP, and representatives from Experian and HGI. At the end of the three pitches a winner will be selected and win a prize provided by Experian. The prize will be presented by Chris Clark at the Nottingham: City of Talent and Enterprise, Business Reception in the evening. This event is the start of a partnership between Experian and The Ingenuity Lab. The aim is to stimulate

greater economic development in Nottingham by developing greater numbers of high value businesses being founded by The University of Nottingham students and alumni.

EVENT PARTNERS: Experian, The University of Nottingham Ingenuity Lab

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BREXIT BRITAIN NEEDS TALENT: UNIVERSITIES, EMPLOYERS AND THE UK GLOBAL GRADUATE

1530-1700 Cholmondeley Room

SPEAKERS: Rt. Hon. Baroness Dean of Thornton-le-Fylde; Neil Carmichael MP (Chair, House of Commons Education Select Committee); John Rishton (former CEO, Rolls-Royce);

As the country navigates our way to Brexit, we explore the challenges and opportunities the evolving global marketplace offers the UK's top graduates and employers. Join Neil Carmichael, Chair of the Education and Skills Select Committee, Baroness Brenda Dean and former CEO of Rolls-Royce John Rishton and senior leaders from business and policy to discuss how the UK might best ensure new graduates have the skills and opportunity to succeed.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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EXPORT OR DIE: UK EXPORTERS IN A POST-BREXIT WORLD

1730-1900 Committee Room 9

SPEAKERS: Iain Wright MP (Chairman, House of Commons Business, Innovation and Skills Select Committee) [Chair]; Rt. Hon. Sir Vince Cable (Honorary Professor, The University of Nottingham); Professor Holger Breinlich (International Economics, The University of Nottingham); Professor Richard Kneller (Economics, The University of Nottingham); Vicky Pryce (Former Joint Head of the UK's Economic Service); John Rishton (former CEO, Rolls-Royce)

Increasing exports is crucial to the health of the UK economy. With a British exit from the European Union expected within the next years, the future holds new challenges and opportunities for our exporters. Chaired by Iain Wright MP, and featuring Rt. Hon. Sir Vince Cable, Vicky Pryce and former Rolls-Royce CEO, John Rishton, this panel brings together experts from academia, business and politics to look at options for improving UK export performance in a post-Brexit world.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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NOTTINGHAM: CITY OF TALENT AND ENTERPRISE, BUSINESS RECEPTION

1900-2130 Thames Pavilion & Dining Room A

SPEAKERS: Elizabeth Fagan (Senior Vice President and Managing Director, Boots); Chris Clark (Managing Director, Experian UK, Europe, Middle East and Africa); Garry Birtles (Ex Nottingham Forest Footballer); Frank Clark (Ex Nottingham Forest Footballer); Lisa Pursehouse (Chief Executive, Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club); Brendan Moffett (Chief Executive, Marketing Nottingham and Nottinghamshire); Lew Lukens (Deputy Chief of Mission, U.S. Embassy London); Professor Sir David Greenaway (Vice-Chancellor, The University of Nottingham); Jeremy Nicholas (Master of Ceremonies)

Nottingham is renowned as a city of talent and enterprise. This very special business reception showcases some of the very best that Nottingham has to offer. Guests will have the opportunity to hear from the leaders of our major companies like Boots and Experian, to meet young entrepreneurs who have established innovative businesses in the city and to find out about the exciting new developments taking place in Nottinghamshire.

EVENT PARTNERS: Browne Jacobson, Nottingham Post, The University of Nottingham; Boots, D2N2 LEP, East Midlands Chamber of Commerce, Experian, Experience Nottinghamshire, Federation of Small Businesses, Innes England, Invest in Nottingham, Nottingham BID, Nottingham City Council, Nottingham Means Business, Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club

CONTACT: By invitation only

CITY OF SCIENCE & HEALTHCARE INNOVATION





SIR MARTYN POLIAKOFF MINISTERIAL PERIODIC TABLE LIVE

0830-0900 Old Palace Yard

SPEAKERS: Jo Johnson MP (Minister of State for Universities and Science); Professor Sir Martyn Poliakoff (Chemistry, The University of Nottingham)

Nottingham's world-renowned science and social media sensation, Professor Sir Martyn Poliakoff, will be joined by Minister for Universities and Science, Jo Johnson MP, to take part in a live science experiment in front of the Houses of Parliament (no gunpowder, we promise). This will be a special edition as part of the Periodic Table of Videos YouTube series. The channel is one of the most popular science-focused sites on the internet, with over 800,000 subscribers and 136 million views. It is used in schools and universities across the UK and around the world.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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NOTTINGHAM SCIENCE CITY: DEVELOPING STEM SKILLS FOR THE FUTURE

1000-1050 Jubilee Room

SPEAKERS: Belinda Phipps
(CEO, Science Council)

Nottingham is a city of huge scientific heritage. The development of our future STEM workforce is essential to our growth, especially given the wider context of a UK skills shortage. From school outreach activities to apprenticeships and technical education – to innovations in undergraduate and postgraduate study – this session will showcase how organisations across Nottingham are working together to ensure the future of STEM skills in Nottingham.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, EPSRC Centre for Doctoral Training, E.ON, Nottingham City Council, Nottingham Trent University, NUASt, Science Council, Siemens, STEM City, TORCH Academy.

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WHY THE KEY TO SOLVING A FUTURE UK ENERGY CRISIS CAN BE FOUND IN OUR PAST – INTEGRATING ENERGY STORAGE WITH GENERATION

1100-1200 Committee Room 18

SPEAKERS: Professor Seamus Garvey (Dynamics, The University of Nottingham); Phil Sheppard (National Grid plc); Antoinette Sandbach MP (Eddisbury); Andy Boston (Head of Analysis Team, Energy Research Partnership); Emma Kelly (CEO, Energy Research Accelerator); Baroness Brown of Cambridge (former Vice-Chancellor of Aston University)

Renewable energy is getting cheaper – much cheaper. By the time the new Hinkley Point C nuclear power station comes online, even offshore wind and solar panels will produce cheaper electricity than the promised subsidised minimum price. While the UK has more than enough solar and wind resource to meet our energy needs, to harness its potential we need new and better ways to ensure that energy reaches consumers when they need it. We explore how the storage of energy – before the point of generation into electricity - can provide the high performance and low cost solution which could spark the step-change in take up of renewables.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Energy Research Accelerator

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E.ON ENERGISE ANYTHING

1110-1150 Jubilee Room

SPEAKERS: The children and teachers of Morven Park Primary School

Come and explore how to inspire schoolchildren about science and technology in E.ON's interactive classroom with a class of Nottingham primary schoolchildren for our Energise Anything! session. To support Britain's transition to an 'Internet of Things' and the integration of new sustainable energy technologies into everyday life, we need thousands of new experts with the curiosity and knowhow to innovate with new technology. That's why Nottingham-based E.ON supports a national programme of interactive science and technology classes called Energise Anything! Come and get involved with our exciting education programme.

EVENT PARTNERS: E.ON UK, Morven Park Primary School

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EXERCISE THE MIND: HOW LESSONS FROM MENTAL FITNESS PRACTICE IN ELITE ATHLETES CAN GIVE UK BUSINESSES AND POLICYMAKERS A PRODUCTIVITY BOOST!

1200-1300 Committee Room 19

SPEAKERS: Councillor Jackie Morris (Sheriff of Nottingham); Jamie Bristow (Associate, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Mindfulness); Rachel O'Connor (Director, Wise Self Wellbeing Consultancy); Beverley Smith (Legal Director, Shakespeare Martineau Solicitors); Lydia Greenway (Former England Cricketer); Ron Lynch (Regional Director, Institute of Directors)

A Question and Answer Session chaired by Councillor Jackie Morris, Sheriff of Nottingham, exploring the topics of Mental Health and Mental Fitness in UK businesses. The panel will consider if it is possible to learn lessons from the world of sport concerning these issues; and whether implementing robust, psychological wellbeing policies in the workplace really can improve performance, productivity and engender a positive organisational culture. Can we encourage a social movement in the UK that reduces the stigma in this area, and promotes proactive approaches to Mental Fitness at government and industry level?

EVENT PARTNERS: Wise Self Wellbeing Consultancy, Shakespeare Martineau Solicitors, Institute of Directors

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THE UK BIOBANKING TIME BOMB: MAINTAINING STRONG PUBLIC TRUST IN MEDICAL RESEARCH

1430-1530 Committee Room 5

SPEAKERS: Dr Virginia Acha (Executive Director – Research, Medical and Innovation, ABPI); Allan Marriott-Smith (CEO, Human Tissue Authority); Prof. Jonathan Montgomery (Chair, Health Research Authority); Phil Quinlan (Director, UKCRC Tissue Directory and Coordination Centre)

Biobanks are the organisations that store and share human samples for research, they thereby underpin countless advances in medical science. The UK enjoys a strong regulatory framework that ensures that those donating samples are well informed. This has resulted in strong public support for biobanking. There are several pressures building that are making Biobanking a more complex environment to operate and as such these challenges could threaten these vital research resources. We wish to address some of the key challenges, such as the reward systems, access to the vital clinical datasets (without which samples are of less use) and how we can build a national strategy for the collection and use of these valuable resources in a way that maintains the strong public trust and support.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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CITIZENS, SCIENTISTS, SPIDERS AND OTHER SPECIES: HOW A NETWORK FROM NOTTINGHAM HAS INFLUENCED THE BIODIVERSITY OF THE UK AND BEYOND

1530-1700 Committee Room G

SPEAKERS: Barry Gardiner MP (Former Shadow Minister for Energy and Climate Change); Dr Sara Goodacre (Nottingham Lead, Open Air Laboratories); Dr Jo Judge (Chief Executive, National Biodiversity Network); David Askew (Director of Evidence, Natural England)

Following the publication of the State of Nature Report 2016 this panel discussion will look at the challenges facing Government to ensure the availability of open data to enable decision takers in government, industry and local communities to take better, environmentally friendly decisions. We will discuss why the NBN Atlas will be the biodiversity tool for businesses and citizen scientists and show that taking care of a money spider really does bring health, wealth and happiness.

EVENT PARTNERS: National Biodiversity Network Trust, The University of Nottingham Open Air Laboratories (OPAL)

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HEALTH AND LIFE SCIENCE INNOVATION SHOWCASE

1615-1800 Strangers' Dining Room

SPEAKERS: Peter Homa CBE (Chief Executive, Nottingham University Hospital Trust NHS); David Pearson CBE (Deputy Chief Executive, Nottinghamshire County Council)

Nottingham has a long established history with healthcare innovation – the anti-inflammatory drug Ibuprofen and the MRI scanner were both developed in the city. Bringing together leading partners in the Health and Life Sciences sector, the city's latest healthcare and life science developments will be on display, showcasing some of Nottingham's finest health and life science innovations.

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust, Potter Clarkson, CityCare, The University of Nottingham Horizon Institute, Walgreens Boots Alliance, East Midlands Academic Health Science Network, Nottinghamshire County Council, Nottingham Hospitals Charity

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CULTURE, HERITAGE & SOCIETY



NOTTINGHAM — A GLOBAL CULTURAL LEADER

0930-1030 Thames Pavilion

SPEAKERS: Sandeep Mahal (Director, Nottingham UNESCO City of Literature); John Harvey (Author); Debris Stevenson (Mouthy Poets); Ling Peng and Sura Susso (musicians) [Performers]

In 2015 Nottingham was admitted to the ranks of only 20 cities worldwide which hold the prestigious status of UNESCO City of Literature. Arts organisations and individual artists joined forces with the city's heritage sector, the universities and the City Council to support the city's bid. Join Nottingham Cultural Partnership's leaders to celebrate this achievement and learn more about our connected, thriving and developing cultural offer. You will meet some of Nottingham's outstanding artists and hear from the newly appointed Director of Nottingham UNESCO City of Literature, Sandeep Mahal.

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottingham Cultural Partnership

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FINANCIAL RESILIENCE IN NOTTINGHAM AND THE TRUE COST OF AUSTERITY

1000-1200 Committee Room 21

SPEAKERS: Emma Bates (Financial Inclusion Support, Advice Nottingham); Chris Dearden (Author of *The True Cost of Austerity* report); Becky Ramsden (Policy and Campaigns Officer, Advice Nottingham)

Nottingham is ranked 8th out of the 326 local authorities for income deprivation (with one being the most deprived). Advice Nottingham is hosting a roundtable discussion on the effects of austerity for the people of Nottingham and the UK, focusing on the innovative ways Nottingham charities are helping to financially equip local people in financially uncertain times. Opening remarks led by Graham Allan MP (tbc).

EVENT PARTNERS: Citizens Advice Bureau

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WHY DO THEY HATE US? POLITICIANS IN FICTION

1200-1330 Committee Room 12

SPEAKERS: Alistair Beaton (Political Satirist); Gloria De Piero MP (Ashfield); Professor Steve Fielding (Director of the Centre for British Politics); Matt Forde (Comedian and Satirist); Ayesha Hazarika (Comedian); Lord Michael Dobbs (Author of *House of Cards*) [invited]

Most politicians will be aware the public views them negatively. There are a number of influences on the perception of politicians, but one that is usually overlooked is how drama and fiction represents politics. Professor Steven Fielding will share the results of his research into this topic before a panel discussion with Alistair Beaton, Lord Michael Dobbs (Author of *House of Cards*) [invited], Matt Forde, Ayesha Hazarika, and Gloria De Piero MP on the fall of the good politician, the rise of the bad, and its consequences.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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TACKLING MISOGYNY AND THE LANGUAGE OF DISCRIMINATION

1300-1400 Committee Room 7

SPEAKERS: Stella Creasy MP (Walthamstow); Chief Constable Sue Fish OBE, QPM (Nottinghamshire Police); Melanie Jeffs (Centre Manager at Nottingham Women's Centre); Professor Louise Mullany (Sociolinguistics, The University of Nottingham)

Up to 3 million women and girls in the UK experience rape, domestic violence, stalking, or other violence each year. In July 2016, Nottinghamshire Police became the first Force to classify misogyny as a hate crime. International debate and online abuse ensued. In this panel, we will debate online misogyny, the shift from online to real-world abuse and the benefits of this policy becoming nationwide. Professor Louise Mullany will be joined by Stella Creasy MP, Sue Fish, Chief Constable of Nottinghamshire Police and Melanie Jeffs from Nottingham Women's Centre.

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottinghamshire Police, The University of Nottingham

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INTRODUCING THE NATIONAL JUSTICE MUSEUM

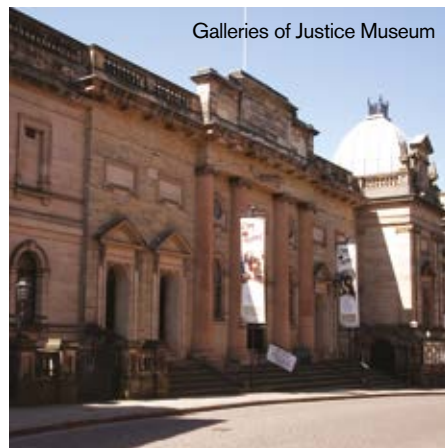
1330-1430 Committee Room 21

SPEAKERS: Mark Spencer MP (Sherwood); Annette Byron (Freshfields); Claire Light (Greater Manchester Police); Tim Desmond (Chief Executive, Galleries of Justice Museum)

This interactive session will ask attendees and a group of young people, what could a National Justice Museum do for you? The debate will explore how a National Justice Museum could inspire children, young people and families to play an active role in society through an improved understanding of the law and justice system. It will explore how people can be inspired by their rights and responsibilities to make positive changes in their lives and make informed decisions about their futures.

EVENT PARTNERS: Galleries of Justice Museum

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THE FREEDOM BLUEPRINT: HOW WE END CONTEMPORARY SLAVERY

1345-1445 Wilson Room

SPEAKERS: Professor Kevin Bales (Contemporary Slavery, The University of Nottingham); Jess Phillips MP (Vice Chair for the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Human Trafficking and Modern Slavery); Professor Todd Landman (Pro-Vice Chancellor for Social Sciences, The University of Nottingham); Professor Zoe Trodd (Co-Director of the Rights and Justice Research Priority Area, The University of Nottingham)

There are 46 million people enslaved around the world today, including up to 13,000 in the UK. Britain is a world-leader in fighting slavery, with the Modern Slavery Act, Anti-Slavery Commissioner, and new government task force. But to achieve the Sustainable Development Goal of ending slavery by 2030, we need a platform of cutting-edge antislavery methods and strategies. Join some of the world's leading experts on contemporary slavery to debate a Freedom Blueprint, the world's first large-scale research agenda for ending slavery.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE: THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM VS HOUSE OF COMMONS

1545-1630 Boothroyd Room

SPEAKERS: Question Master: Rt. Hon. John Bercow MP (Speaker, House of Commons) 'House of Commons' team: Chris Bryant MP (Rhondda); Stella Creasy MP (Walthamstow); Jo Johnson MP (Minister of State for Universities and Science); Jess Phillips MP (Birmingham Yardley); Rt. Hon. Anna Soubry MP (Broxton); 'The University of Nottingham' team: Dr Paul Greatrix (Registrar); Professor Sir David Greenaway (Vice-Chancellor); Professor Sarah O'Hara (Pro Vice Chancellor for Education and Student Experience); Professor Todd Landman (Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Faculty of Social Sciences); Professor Zoe Trodd (Co-Director of the Research Priority Area in Rights and Justice)

Parliament's most erudite MPs, including Universities and Science Minister Jo Johnson MP, take on university brainboxes in a one-off battle of the intellects between The University of Nottingham's brainiest professors and a selection of Westminster's finest, hosted by expert quizmaster and Speaker of the House of Commons, Rt. Hon. John Bercow MP.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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NOTTINGHAM PATHWAYS TO POLITICS

1800-1845 Committee Room 5

SPEAKERS: Jeremy Browne (City of London Corporation, Special Representative to the EU); Neil Carmichael MP (Chairman of the House of Commons Education Select Committee); Mark Stuart (Political Researcher, The University of Nottingham); Holly Wicks (Research Team Leader, ComRes)

Nottingham's School of Politics and International Relations will lead a panel discussion with Nottingham alumni: Neil Carmichael, MP for Stroud, Jeremy Browne, former Coalition Minister and Holly Wicks, Research Team Leader at ComRes. Chaired by Nottingham's own Mark Stuart, discussion will focus on the Pathways to Politics taken by the panel. This offers a unique opportunity to receive advice and opinions for politically engaged Nottingham students.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

CONTACT: By invitation only

NOTTINGHAM PATHWAYS TO POLITICS ALUMNI RECEPTION

1900-2200 Old Star Pub, 66 Broadway, Westminster, SW1H 0DB

SPEAKERS: Jeremy Browne (City of London Corporation, Special Representative to the EU)

The School of Politics Alumni Networking reception event held at Westminster's Old Star public house. Join us for a drink after work and to hear from guest speaker be Jeremy Browne, former Coalition Minister in both the Home and Foreign Office and former Nottingham University Student Union President. This event will bring School of Politics Professors and politically engaged, career-minded students from the University to meet and network with Westminster-based Nottingham alumni.

EVENT PARTNERS: [The University of Nottingham](#)

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THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM WESTMINSTER RECEPTION

1900-2200 Terrace Pavilion

SPEAKERS: Sir John Sawers (former Permanent Secretary and Chief, Secret Intelligence Service (MI6)); Sir Andrew Witty (CEO, GlaxoSmithKline); Lilian Greenwood MP (Nottingham South); Professor Sir David Greenaway (Vice-Chancellor, The University of Nottingham)

The culmination of the inaugural Nottingham in Parliament Day, The University of Nottingham's Westminster Reception will bring together friends and alumni of the University working at a senior-level across Westminster, Whitehall and the wider policy community. This prestigious, invite-only reception sponsored by Lilian Greenwood MP will feature a keynote address from University graduate and former Head of MI6, Sir John Sawers, as well as speeches from The University of Nottingham Chancellor Sir Andrew Witty and our Vice-Chancellor, Professor Sir David Greenaway.

EVENT PARTNERS: [The University of Nottingham](#)

CONTACT: [By invitation only](#)

NOTTINGHAM PLAYHOUSE THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS: TONY'S LAST TAPE

1945-2100 Jubilee Room

SPEAKERS: Giles Croft (Artistic Director, Nottingham Playhouse)

For the first time ever, Tony's Last Tape will be performed in the House of Commons, a cultural high-note for the end of Nottingham in Parliament Day.

For more than fifty years he has been recording everything that has happened to and around him. Today, he has decided to make his last tape. Based on Tony Benn's diaries, this play examines the struggle of a man who realises it is time to withdraw from the fight, but just doesn't quite know how.

**** "Warm, sweet and consistently funny" *Observer*

**** "Philip Bretherton plays Tony Benn brilliantly" *Public Reviews*

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottingham Playhouse

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Philip Bretherton in Tony's Last Tape at the Nottingham Playhouse.

GLOBAL CONNECTIONS





GLOBAL SCIENCE DIPLOMACY AND THE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

1230-1445 Terrace Pavilion

SPEAKERS: Professor Robin Grimes CSA FCO (Chief Scientific Officer, Foreign and Commonwealth Office); Rt. Hon. Lord Willetts (former Minister of State for Universities and Science); Professor Sir David Greenaway (Vice-Chancellor, The University of Nottingham), Mr Chia Wei Wen (Deputy High Commissioner of Singapore to the UK); Andy Cliffe (CEO, East Midlands Airport); Rt. Hon. Baroness Prashar (Deputy Chair, British Council)

In partnership with Asia House, the China-Britain Business Council and East Midlands Airport, this lunchtime reception will bring together leading diplomats and global influencers. Chaired by Professor Robin Grimes, Chief Scientific Adviser for the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, this event will feature speakers including Professor Sir David Greenaway, Vice-Chancellor of The University of Nottingham, and Rt. Hon. Lord Willetts, Minister of State for Universities and Science, Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (2010–2014).

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Asia House, China-Britain Business Council, East Midlands Airport

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VALUING AND DEVELOPING COMMUNITY LANGUAGES: WHAT ROLE POLITICIANS?

1315-1430 Committee Room 2

SPEAKERS: David Evans (Managing Director, DHE Solutions); Nia Griffith MP (Chair of All-Party Parliamentary Group for Modern Languages); Pascale Vassie (Executive Director, National Resource Centre for Supplementary Education); Professor Nigel Vincent (British Academy); Pupils from Nottingham's Community Language Schools

It is estimated that between 3,000 and 5,000 Supplementary and Community Language Schools offer extra-curricular mother-tongue language learning opportunities to children across the country. In Nottingham alone, 13 schools address the needs of approximately 1,400 children from a range of communities. Whilst this panel will discuss the valuable contribution that these schools make to the lives of children, community cohesion and the national stock of language skills, they will also discuss the many challenges they face and outline the steps politicians and others can take to support their work in the future.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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CONNECTED: FROM THE MIDLANDS TO THE WORLD

16:30-18:00 Dining Room A

SPEAKERS: Sir John Peace (Chairman, Midlands Engine); Andrew Cliffe (MD, East Midlands Airport); Maria Machancoses (Director, Midlands Engine)

The Connected: from the Midlands to the World reception will focus on the economic, cultural and commercial benefits of pursuing greater international connectivity and the need for better access to the region's global gateways. Join policymakers and senior figures from transport, business and organisations from across the Midlands and beyond to discuss the Midlands' regional, national and global gateways. Ensuring these gateways grow is vital for our economy and the success of the Midlands Engine.

EVENT PARTNERS: East Midlands Airport, Midlands Connect, The University of Nottingham, WEGO Couriers, Rolls-Royce, Nottingham City Council, Nottingham City Transport, East Midlands Trains, D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership

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CITY OF ZERO TOLERANCE TO FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION – NOTTINGHAM MODEL TO GO GLOBAL

1630-1800 Committee Room 10

SPEAKERS: Prof. Stephen Regel OBE (Clinical Director, Centre for Trauma, Resilience and Growth, Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust); Veronica Pickering (Deputy Lieutenant, Nottinghamshire); Sarah Champion MP (Shadow Minister for Women and Equalities); Kinsi Clarke (Nottingham & Nottinghamshire Refugee Forum); Hillary Burrage (Advisor, FGM Guardian Global Media Campaign); Dr. Catrin Evans (Medicine and Health Sciences Director of Global Engagement, University of Nottingham); Terri Harman (Specialist in Family Law and International Child Abduction); Dr. Carol McCormick (FGM Specialist Midwife, Nottingham University Hospitals); Cllr. Jackie Morris (Sheriff of Nottingham); Cecily Mwaniki (Co-Founder Utulivu Women's Group and Founder CMNetwork); Valentine Nkoyo (Director Mojatu Foundation)

Through a panel discussion, Mojatu Foundation will seek to address the complexity of appropriate mental health service provision of FGM survivors and also legal protection of girls and women at risk with the aim to influencing policy. Furthermore we will explicate the ways in which research can help to fill gaps in knowledge and further a greater understanding of FGM. We will also celebrate the remarkable achievement of our campaign that got Nottingham City declared a "City of Zero Tolerance to FGM!"

EVENT PARTNERS: Mojatu Foundation, Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Refugee Forum, Utulivu Women's Group, Communities Inc, University of Nottingham, Carol McCormick

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HOME OF SPORT





WESTMINSTER TARGET PRACTICE

1130-1330 Speaker's Green

SPEAKERS: Robin Hood

Arrows is a 'mini' version of archery designed to introduce children to the sport in a fun and safe way. Join Archery GB staff and Nottingham's own Robin Hood, as they demonstrate the archery basics and see who can achieve the highest score.

EVENT PARTNERS: Archery GB

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POLITICAL FOOTBALL – SKILLS MASTERCLASS

1200-1600 New Palace Yard

SPEAKERS: Tom Gribbin (Founder & Chief Executive, BOOST)

Join Nottingham Forest European Cup legends and Forest in the Community coaches to find out how they are measuring the impact of sport on Nottingham's health and wellbeing.

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottingham Forest Football Club, Nottingham City of Football

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PARLIAMENTARY PING-PONG

1200-1600 New Palace Yard

Test your table tennis skills against top Team GB Olympians or just watch how the professionals do it! There's even a table tennis robot available for a quick game!

EVENT PARTNERS: Table Tennis England

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WESTMINSTER WICKETS

1400-1600 Speaker's Green

Cricket Anywhere with Trent Bridge is fun street cricket designed to get new players into the sport. Their Royal Foundation Coach Core apprentice will run you through some batting, fielding, bowling and wicket keeping skills!

EVENT PARTNERS: Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club, Trent Bridge

CONTACT: questions@nottsccc.co.uk

NOTTINGHAM: HOME OF SPORT RECEPTION

1800-2000 River Room

SPEAKERS: Liz Nicholl (Chief Executive UK Sport); Ollie Hynd (Paralympian); John McGovern (Nottingham Forest European Cup winning Captain); Lisa Pursehouse (Chief Executive, Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club); Tom Gribbin (Founder & Chief Executive, BOOST)

Join The University of Nottingham graduate and mastermind of Team GB's Olympic triumph Liz Nicholl (CEO, UK Sport) to celebrate Nottingham's status as England's official Home of Sport. From the hosting of the 2016 European Archery Championships to the investment in the new £40 million David Ross Sports Village at The University of Nottingham it's been a landmark sporting year for the city. Join sporting stars of the past, present and future to celebrate with us.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Nottingham Forest in the Community, BOOST

CONTACT: By invitation only

Specialist puts finishing touches to the new David Ross Sports Village climbing wall.



NOTTINGHAM RESEARCH FUTURES





FUTURE OF ENERGY: THE COMMUNITY ENERGY REVOLUTION

0900-1000 Macmillan Room

SPEAKERS: Paul Brodrick (Head of Smart Grid Applications & Solutions, Siemens); Nick Ebbs (Chief Executive, Blueprint); Jo Gilbert (Robin Hood Energy); Professor Mark Sumner (Electrical Energy Systems, The University of Nottingham); Gavin Stokes (Head of Technology Solutions, E.ON)

Imagine a world where electricity is cheaper for consumers, energy supply is secure and carbon emissions are reduced. This is the vision of community energy. Showcasing the latest innovations and adding experiences from energy suppliers Robin Hood Energy and E.ON, sustainable developer Blueprint, and manufacturer Siemens, we will show how empowering communities to generate, store and distribute their own energy can deliver this vision.

EVENT PARTNERS: Chemical Industries Association, GSK, The University of Nottingham

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FUTURE OF SUSTAINABLE CHEMISTRY: CAN CHEMISTRY SAVE THE WORLD?

1015-1115 Macmillan Room

SPEAKERS: Professor Pete Licence (Director of The GlaxoSmithKline Carbon Neutral Laboratory, The University of Nottingham); Darren Budd (Commercial Director UK & Ireland, BASF); Helen Sneddon (Head of Green Chemistry, GSK) Professor Sir Martyn Poliakoff (Chemistry, The University of Nottingham)

Chemistry forms the fabric of every part of our lives and The University of Nottingham's world-class research is developing sustainable new molecules and materials to provide green solutions to global challenges. Join Nottingham's Professor Sir Martyn Poliakoff, Professor Pete Licence and experts from industry as we explore how these discoveries and industry-relevant skills can answer the demands for new medicines, improved food science, sustainable agriculture, new fuels and greener manufacturing processes.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Chemical Industry Association, GSK

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Professor Pete Licence performing a chemistry experiment, The University of Nottingham.



FUTURE OF TRANSPORT INNOVATION: “PLANES, TRAINS AND AUTOMOBILES” – HOW THE MIDLANDS CONTINUES TO CHANGE THE WAY THE WORLD MOVES

1145-1245 Macmillan Room

SPEAKERS: Andrew Everett (Chief Strategy Officer, Transport Systems Catapult); Professor Andy Long (Pro-Vice Chancellor, Faculty of Engineering, The University of Nottingham); Professor Herve Morvan (Director of the Institute for Aerospace Technology, The University of Nottingham); Professor Sarah Sharples (Associate Faculty Pro-Vice Chancellor for Research & Knowledge Exchange, The University of Nottingham); Dr Henner Wapenhans (Head of Technology Strategy, Rolls-Royce)

The world relies on transport systems to keep it moving and efficient travel is at the heart of a successful economy. In its central location, the Midlands has a proud history of innovations in transport. Across road, rail and air, The University of Nottingham and its industrial partners are making transport quicker, greener, smarter and more cost-effective. With partners Rolls-Royce and the Transport Systems Catapult we showcase the latest innovations and the relationships that underpin their success.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, Rolls-Royce, Transport Systems Catapult

CONTACT: Tanya McCallum

FUTURE OF FOOD: NOTTINGHAM INNOVATIONS AND GLOBAL FOOD SECURITY ... AS TOLD THROUGH ONE RISOTTO

1215-1315 Jubilee Room

SPEAKERS: Sat Bains (Chef-proprietor, Restaurant Sat Bains); Professor Joanne Hort (The SABMiller Professor of Sensory Science, The University of Nottingham); Dr Debbie Sparkes (Associate Professor Agronomy, The University of Nottingham); Professor Mark Gillot (Sustainable Building Design, The University of Nottingham); Sir Peter Kendall, (Chair of Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board)

Nottingham's double Michelin-Starred chef Sat Bains will serve a risotto, using ingredients linked to research at the University's UK and Malaysia campuses. Sat's risotto will be a delicious entrée into a debate with our academics around food, sustainable crops for the future, energy and how we can address a key challenge of our time – Global Food Security. Join Professor Joanne Hort, Dr Debbie Sparkes and Professor Mark Gillot, MPs and leading food industry figures in sampling Sat's risotto and finding out how research at Nottingham is shaping the future of food.

EVENT PARTNERS: Restaurant Sat Bains, The University of Nottingham, Westminster Kitchen

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FUTURE OF JUSTICE: MAKING JUSTICE REAL FOR CHILDREN

1230-1330 Wilson Room

SPEAKERS: Professor Aoife Nolan (International Human Rights, University of Nottingham) [Chair]; Kate Aubrey-Johnson (Director of the Youth Justice Legal Centre, Just for Kids Law); Professor Harry Ferguson (Social Work, The University of Nottingham); Dr Vicky Kemp (School of Law, The University of Nottingham); Helen Lincoln (Executive Director for People Operations, Essex County Council); Rt. Hon. Lord Tom McNally (Chairman, Youth Justice Board for England and Wales); Sir Keir Starmer MP (former Director of Public Prosecutions); Professor Ellen Townsend (Psychology, The University of Nottingham); Dr Elvira Perez Vallejos (School of Computer Science, The University of Nottingham)

How can we better protect young people and secure their rights? Join former Director of Public Prosecutions Sir Keir Starmer MP, leading policymakers, practitioners and academic experts to explore how The University of Nottingham research can provide innovative solutions to reducing self-harm among young people in custody, offer digital solutions to the challenge of providing children with information on their legal rights, and improve frontline child protection practice.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham

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FUTURE OF HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGIES: WHAT IS THE SECRET TO GETTING PEOPLE BETTER, FASTER?

1500-1600 Macmillan Room

SPEAKERS: Louise Scull (Chair, Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust); Beth Beeson (Consultant Clinical Engineer, Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust, Director of CHEATA); Professor Ian Hall (Director of Clinical Research for the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, The University of Nottingham); Mark Campbell (Associate Director – Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme, National Institute for Health and Care Excellence - NICE); Professor Steve Morgan (Biomedical Engineering, The University of Nottingham); Darren Clark (Chief Executive, Medilink East Midlands); Matthew Clemence (Senior Scientist, Philips Healthcare)

From Nobel prize-winning MRI to the latest in medical devices, The University of Nottingham is at the cutting edge of healthcare technology. Bringing to market these new innovations can be challenging. In collaboration with the NHS, we will show how Nottingham has pioneered a system to speed up access to new technologies, and a panel of stakeholders will discuss how to best deliver excellence for patients.

EVENT PARTNERS: The University of Nottingham, NUH Trust

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CITY OF SCIENCE & HEALTHCARE INNOVATION



CULTURE, HERITAGE & SOCIETY



GLOBAL CONNECTIONS



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NOTTINGHAM RESEARCH FUTURES



MORNING

East Midlands Trains
0630-0822
NIPD Express

Midlands Engine Breakfast
0850-1030
Dining Room A

NTU Thinkubator®
0900-1200
CR16

NTU Thinkubator® Reception
1215-1400
Churchill Room

Sir Martyn Poliakoff Ministerial
Periodic Table Live
0830-0900
Old Palace Yard

STEM Skills for the Future
1000-1050
Jubilee Room

E.ON Energise Anything
1100-1150
Jubilee Room

Exercise the Mind
1200-1300
CR19

Integrating Energy Storage
1100-1200
CR18

Nottingham – A Global Cultural Leader
0930-1030
Thames Pavilion

Why do they hate us? Politicians and Fiction
1200-1330
CR12

Introducing the National Justice Museum
1330-1430
CR21

Financial Resilience in Nottingham
1000-1200
CR21

Tackling Misogyny
1300-1400
CR7

Ending Slavery
1345-1445
Wilson Room

The D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership Nottingham in Parliament Day
0800-1700
One Great George Street, Stephenson Room

Global Science Diplomacy: Universities and Soft Power
1230-1445
Terrace Pavilion

Valuing and Developing community languages
1315-1430
CR2

Connected: From the Midlands to the World
1630-1800
Dining Room A

Zero Tolerance to FGM
1630-1800
CR10

Political Football: Delivering Health Innovation through Football
1200-1600
New Palace Yard

Westminster Target Practice: Arrows Demonstration with Archery GB and Robin Hood
1130-1300
Speaker's Green

Westminster Wickets: Cricket Anywhere with Trent Bridge
1400-1600
Speaker's Green

Parliamentary Ping Pong
1200-1600
New Palace Yard

Future of Energy
0900-1000
Macmillan Room

Future of Sustainable Chemistry
1015-1115
Macmillan Room

Future of Transport Innovation
1145-1245
Macmillan Room

Future of Food
1215-1315
Jubilee Room

Future of Justice
1230-1330
Wilson Room

Future of Healthcare Technologies
1500-1600
Macmillan Room

AFTERNOON

Pitching to Parliament
1400-1500
Boothroyd Room

Brexit Britain Needs Talent
1530-1700
Chomondoley Room

Why Public Transport in Nottingham is the best in the UK
1400-1445 1500-1545
Dining Room B

The UK Biobanking Time Bomb
1430-1530
CR5

Health and Life Science Innovation Showcase
1615-1800
Strangers' Dining Room

Citizens, Scientists, Spiders and Other Species
1530-1700
CR-G

University Challenge: HoC vs UoN
1545-1630
Boothroyd Room

Pathways to Politics
1800-1845
CR5

Nottingham Pathways to Politics Alumni Reception
1900-late
Old Star Pub, Westminster

University Westminster Reception
1900-2200
Terrace Pavilion

Tony's Last Tape
1945-2100
Jubilee Room

Nottingham: Home of Sport Reception
1800-2000
River Room

EVENING

Export or Die
1730-1900
CR9

City of Talent and Enterprise Business Reception
1900-2130
Thames Pavilion & Dining Room A







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