



ICG@15 – 23rd to 25th June 2017

Programme

Thursday 23rd: *Mini-Conference, DS 2.14*

Chair: Rob Crittenden

2:00	Oscar Ramos (IAP, Paris)	<i>Testing Lorentz Invariance by Binary Black Holes</i>
2:30	Francesco Pace (Manchester)	<i>On the Implementation of the Spherical Collapse Model</i>
3:00	Tea & Coffee	
3:30	Chris Clarkson (QMUL)	<i>TBA</i>
4:00	Roy Maartens (ICG & UWC)	<i>Testing standard cosmology with the SKA and other galaxy surveys</i>

Friday 24th: *Alumni Careers Talks, DS 2.14*

Chair: Bob Nichol

12:30	Lunch	DS2.13
1:30 to 3:00	Alumni Talks	Prina Patel (Vocalink): <i>TBA</i>
		Heather Campbell (University of Surrey): <i>TBA</i>
		Rafal Szepietowski (BNY Mellon): <i>Increasing returns by managing risk</i>
		James Etherington (Crowd Connected): <i>From galaxies to connected crowds</i>
3:00	Panel Discussion	Speakers and Russell Johnson (Rank Group)
3.30 to 4.00	Cream Tea	DS2.13



Saturday 25th: Family Day

9:00	<u>Southsea parkrun</u> – free 5km run from Southsea Esplanade, near Pyramids (<i>optional!</i>)
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Popular Talks: DS 2.14

Chair: David Wands

10:00	Tea and Coffee on arrival (DS2.13)	
10:30	Roy Maartens	<i>A Brief History of the ICG</i>
10:50	Alkistis Pourtsidou	<i>The Unbearable Lightness of Dark Energy</i> (suitable for age 14+)
11:10	Sesh Nadathur	<i>Spots on the Sky: a Cosmic Detective Story</i> (suitable for age 14+)
11:30	Break	
11:45	Sam Penny	<i>A Universe of Dwarf Galaxies</i> (suitable for age 10+)
12:05	Ed Macaulay	<i>The Very Loud Universe</i> (suitable for age 14+)

Astrodome Shows: DS Hub

10:50	The Night Sky Tonight
11:45	The Night Sky Tonight

Due to limited capacity, please book a show on arrival

BBQ

1:00	Southsea Common outside <u>Rees Hall</u> – food and soft drinks provided
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