

Thursday August 24, 2017

9:00 am - 5:00 pm	**Optional Day Tours [Depart Midland Hotel lobby]**
10:30 am - 5:00 pm	**Conference Registration [Midland Hotel Lobby]**
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm	**UK Members' Meeting [Lancaster Suite]**
6:00 pm - 6:30 pm	**Welcome Drinks Reception [Alexandra Foyer]**
6:30 pm - 10:30 pm	**Welcome Party: Time-Travel to 1977! [Alexandra Suite]**

Friday August 25, 2017

8:00 am - 8:45 am	**Latecomers Registration [Alexandra Foyer]**
9:00 am - 10:15 am	**40 Years! Opening session with surprise interactive entertainment and guest speakers [Alexandra Suite]**
10:15 am - 10:45 am	**Tea Break [Trafford Room]**
10:45 am - 12:00 pm	**General Session: Welcome to the UK [Alexandra Suite]**
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	**Lunch**
1:15 pm - 2:30 pm	**General Session: Organizational Update [Alexandra Suite]**
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	**Tea Break [Trafford Room]**
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	**Guest Speaker, Benedict Allen: "Immersion in Alien Worlds"**

Saturday August 26, 2017

9:00 am - 5:00 pm	**Optional tours / Explore Manchester on your own**
5:30 pm - 11:00 pm	**Gala Banquet In the Sky (Optional/Fee Applies) [Buses depart Midland Hotel at 5:30pm]**

Sunday August 27, 2017

9:30 am - 10:30 am	**FF Workshop Session I (Four workshops)**
10:30 am - 11:00 am	**Tea Break [Trafford Room]**
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	**FF Workshop Session II (Four workshops)**
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	**Lunch**
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	**FF Workshop Session III (Four workshops)**
2:00 pm - 2:30 pm	**Tea Break [Trafford Room]**
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	**British Cultural Workshops Session IV (Four workshops)**

Monday August 28, 2017

9:00 am - 10:00 am	**Guest Speaker, Stefanie Powers**
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	**Tea Break [Trafford Room]**
10:30 pm - 12:00 pm	**Closing Ceremonies**
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	**Departures for Post-Conference Tours & Homestays**
1:00 pm	**Hotel Checkout**