

Thursday 11 October Trinity Centre, Cambridge Science Park, CB4 0FZ		
11.30	Registration Opens	
12.15 – 1.00	Lunch	
1.00	Opening Plenary	Welcome to Cambridge Science Park
1.10		Keynote Address
1.45	Plenary: Panel/Discussion	<p>Success Stories: Inspiration from Members Member case studies on a number of recent successful initiatives to share good practice and innovative ideas with an opportunity to discuss and share your own projects.</p> <p>Presentations will range from collaborative projects between members through to initiatives to deliver new innovation space to create effective communities for entrepreneurial businesses.</p>
3.10	Networking Break	
3.35	Parallel/Small Group Sessions	<p>1 Developing new science parks The session will look in depth at the emerging Harlow Science Park and the partnership working that underpins its development. Brief presentations will also be made to introduce a number of new projects and developments that are underway in the UK.</p> <p>2 Research Campuses and Research Connections Focussing on a number of Research Campuses and Research Innovation Centres this session will look at the mutually beneficial relationships between member locations and research bodies such as the British Antarctic Survey.</p> <p>3 Futures : Emerging technologies This session looks to the future and considers the emerging technologies from the FE, HE and skills sectors. How do we exploit and embrace these emerging technologies?</p>
4.45	AGM	UKSPA Annual General Meeting
5.30	Coach* to Hinxton	Arrive at Wellcome Genome Campus at approx 6.15pm
7.30	Reception	
8.00	Dinner	
	Hotel	Hinxton Hall

* Cars can be left at Cambridge Science Park overnight

Outline programme: All sessions are subject to change and amendment

Friday 12 October		
Wellcome Genome Campus CB10 1RQ		
09.00	Sessions at Genome Campus	Wellcome Genome Campus Science and Community
10.15		Coach to Cambridge Science Park
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	Travel	Coffee on Arrival Trinity Centre, Cambridge SP at 10.45
11.10	Parallel Sessions	<p>4. Incubation that works: Sharing good practice A look at current initiatives, successful projects and planned activities from members that help businesses start, test the market, collaborate and raise finance. A series of case studies will deliver examples of successful incubation and acceleration projects.</p> <p>5. Social Media and Marketing – an effective online presence UKSPA affiliates Sharp Ahead will describe their recent activity to map the digital presence of UKSPA member websites. They will suggest ways of delivering effective digital strategies, illustrated with examples of good practice from UKSPA members.</p> <p>6. Cambridge Connections: Astra Zeneca and Cambridge Biomedical Campus. The Cambridge Biomedical Campus continues to develop at the Addenbrookes Hospital site. This session will look at the development story so far, the ground breaking design of the Astra Zeneca headquarters building and the collaborative opportunities that will push the boundaries of scientific innovation.</p>
12.20	Plenary Discussion	<p>Skills and Talent: Presentations and discussion on encouraging and mentoring new talent for entrepreneurial companies including initiatives that focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young People • Women • Modern apprentices
1.30	Lunch	After lunch sessions in adjacent Cambridge Science Park Bradfield Centre
2.15 -2.45	Bradfield Centre Main Auditorium Cambridge SP	<p>Group 1: Cambridge Science Park – Jeanette Walker TUS Investment – Bio Hub at Cambridge Science Park Bidwells Research – What do companies want?</p> <p>Group 2: Study Tour</p>
2.45 - 3.30		<p>Group 1: Study Tour</p> <p>Group 2: Cambridge Science Park TUS Investment Bidwells Research</p>
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