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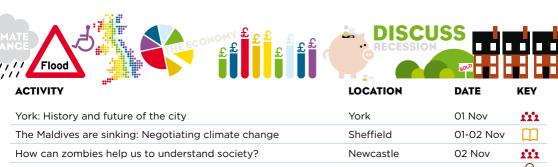


FOR PEOPLE WITH A SPECIFIC INTEREST AND SOME KNOWLEDGE OF THE TOPIC



FOR PROFESSIONALS AS PART OF THEIR WORK

ACTIVITY	LOCATION	DATE	KEY
SCOTLAND AND NORTHERN IRELAND	DEBATE E E E DISCUSS	DISCOVER	
Communities, wellbeing and science	Dundee	29 Oct	111
Raasay, school and depopulation	Isle of Raasay	29 Oct	111
Challenging myths about adolescent self-harm	Glasgow	29 Oct- 05 Nov	Ш
Where's the harm?	Belfast	29 Oct- 05 Nov	iii
Joking and pretending in toddlers	Stirling	30 Oct	111
Scotland's trees: Creativity and wellbeing connections	Aberdeen	31 Oct	Ø
Understandings of place, place-making and home	Glasgow	31 Oct	Ш
Community resilience: Enhancing evidence and practice	Perth	01 Nov	Ø
Supporting vulnerable families through multi-agency service delivery	Glasgow	02 Nov	
Social science for Scotland: Postgraduate impact workshop	Edinburgh	03 Nov	Ø
Evaluating the effectiveness of public services	Edinburgh	03 Nov	
Involving young researchers: Creative and interactive methods	Belfast	03 Nov	Ø
From sustainable buildings to sustainable communities	Glasgow	04 Nov	Ш
Learning, inequality and social cohesion in recession	Stirling	04 Nov	Ø
Research on the road	Newry	04 Nov	Ø
Science city strategies: Lessons for Scotland	Glasgow	04 Nov	\bigoplus
Social science and Scotland's place in the world	Edinburgh	04 Nov	₽
Sustainability reporting for third sector organisations	Edinburgh	04 Nov	$oxedsymbol{oldsymbol{eta}}$
Glasgow school days remembered	Glasgow	05 Nov	111
NORTH EAST AND YORKSHIRE	DEBATE E É É DISCUSS	DISCOVER &	
Britain on trial: Young voices speak out	Leeds	29 Oct	Ш
Discovering family archives and recording family histories	Leeds	29 Oct	111
Privacy.co.OK?	Middlesbrough	29-30 Oct	111
It's the economy stupid - or is it?	Sheffield	31 Oct	
Children, young people and research	Sheffield	01 Nov	111
Climate change and society	Leeds	01 Nov	Ø
Human trafficking in the UK: Raising awareness	Sheffield	01 Nov	111
Voluntary sector feminist principles research methods training	Sheffield	01 Nov	



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The Maldives are sinking: Negotiating climate change	Sheffield	01-02 Nov	Ш
How can zombies help us to understand society?	Newcastle	02 Nov	222
Retail, recession and the regional response	Sheffield	02 Nov	
School choice and children's travel to school	Newcastle	02 Nov	₽
The trouble with being human	Sheffield	02 Nov	111
Conflict: War, what is it good for?	Leeds	03 Nov	Ш
From farm to fork	Sheffield	03 Nov	Ш
Innovation and managers: Incompatible or inseparable?	Leeds	03 Nov	=
Leading and inspiring innovation	Sheffield	03 Nov	
Messages for young researchers	Sheffield	03 Nov	Ø
Projected worlds: Data, digitalisation and decision	Newcastle	03 Nov	222
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Role model platform for young scientists	Newcastle	03 Nov	Ш
Who wants to be an entrepreneur?	Sheffield	03 Nov	Ш
Act your age! Challenging stereotypes	Sheffield	04 Nov	Ш
Prisoners' right to vote	Sheffield	04 Nov	Ш
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Youth services: Listening to youth	Lincoln	04 Nov	Ш
Filming identities	Newcastle	05 Nov	Ш
Social change in York 1900-2011	York	05 Nov	111
The great debate: Facing the future	Newcastle	05 Nov	111
The museum of rock	Sheffield	05 Nov	222
The route to happiness	Sheffield	TBC	111
NORTH WEST	DEBATE E E E DISCUS	DISCOVER	
Culture shock!	Whitehaven	29 Oct	Ш
Meet the Guernsey evacuees of World War Two	Stockport	30 Oct	111
Memories matter and communication counts	Manchester	30 Oct	222
Managing successful business model innovation in manufacturing	Manchester	01 Nov	
Realise your impact	Liverpool	01 Nov	Ø
Lucy to language: Culture, enterprise and innovation	Liverpool	01, 03 and 04 Nov	Ш
What does sport say about society?	Bolton	02 Nov	Ш

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The science of emotions: An interactive exhibition	Manchester	04 Nov	111
Time to end the bias towards inclusion?	Manchester	05 Nov	iii

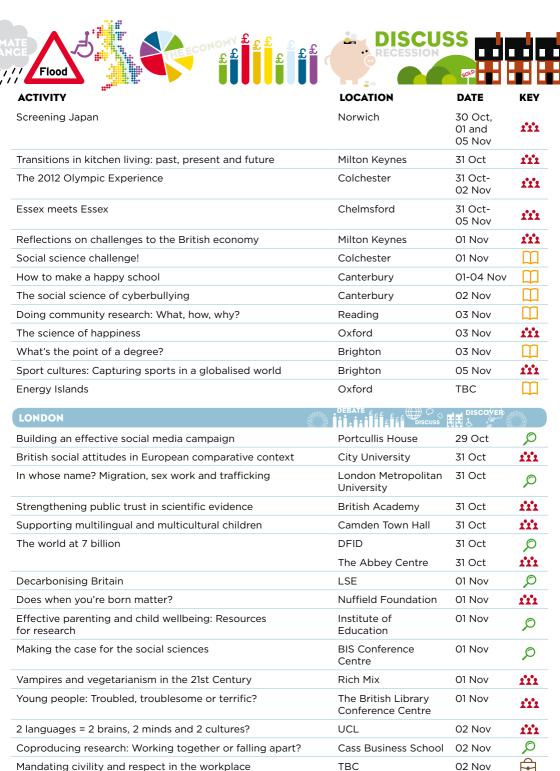






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MIDLANDS	DEBATE E É É DISCUS	DISCOVER	
Counter terrorism and Irish and Muslim communities	Birming ham	01 Nov	Ø
Ethical dilemmas	Birmingham	01 Nov	Ш
Playing and learning with innovative technologies	Birmingham	01 Nov	
Talking the MICCI	Peak District	01 Nov	Ш
Climate change, land use and land management	Peak District	01, 03 and 04 Nov 02 Nov	***
Faith in the city: Communities, regeneration, interaction	Birmingham	02 Nov	111
Music across religious boundaries	Birmingham	02 Nov	111
Can we judge the performance of schools?	Birmingham	02 and 04 Nov	ı"ı
Bringing wisdom to research: Exploring participatory approaches	Birmingham	03 Nov	***
Active travel in Herefordshire	Hereford	05 Nov	111
Choosing universities: What the research tells us	Stoke-on-Trent	TBC	\square
SOUTH WEST AND WALES	DEBATE DISCUS	S HH &	
Practising community-engaged research in Wales	Cardiff	31 Oct	Ø
Pride after prejudice: Challenges for LGBT youth	Bristol	31 Oct	Ø
Translation: From bench to brain	Cardiff	31 Oct- 04 Nov	***
Twilight talks: Educational achievement in Bristol schools	Bristol	01 Nov	111
Bilingual communities of the world	Caernarfon	02 Nov	111
Connecting social science and science in environmental policy	Aberystwyth	02 Nov	₽
Stocks and docks: Transience and transformation	Exeter	02 Nov	111
The future of economics	Bristol	02 Nov	Ш
Who are we? From local to global citizens	Cardiff	02 Nov	Ш
Frankenstein	Exeter	03 Nov	111
Safeguarding the needs of disabled children	Bath	03 Nov	\bigoplus
Twilight talks: The Big Society in Bristol	Bristol	03 Nov	222
Correcting misconceptions about social science	Aberystwyth	04 Nov	***
Energy security: A toxic frame for progressives?	Machynlleth	04 Nov	Ø
Philosophy café: The ethics of artificial meat	Cardiff	04 Nov	111
EAST AND SOUTH EAST	DEBATE E É É É É GASCUS	DISCOVER	
Cannibal forking	Cambridge	29 Oct	111
Religion and public life: The big debate	Canterbury	29 Oct	111
How smart do you shop?	Norwich	30 Oct	iii







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ACTIVITY	LOCATION	DATE	KEY
Women's participation in sport	The Women's Library	02 Nov	Ш
Young people and wellbeing	London Youth	02 Nov	Ш
Celebrating the social sciences	British Academy	03 Nov	Ø
Impact of communication difficulties across the lifespan	City University	03 Nov	lacksquare
Interweave: Exploring society through technologies, tools and textiles	Sackler Centre, Victoria & Albert Museum	O3 Nov	ı t ı
Managing successful business model innovation in manufacturing	Imperial College London	03 Nov	₽
What can festivals do? Festivals, creativity and democracy	TBC	03 Nov	Ø
Capturing urban conflicts exhibition	London Metropolitan University	03-05 Nov	ı"ı
Confidence from uncertainty: Understanding climate predictions	LSE	04 Nov	***
Day 22	DECC	04 Nov	lacktriangledown
Generation 2012: Olympic promises, local dreams	BBC Television Centre / London Olympic site	04 Nov	Ш
Developing vocational excellence	Church House Conference Centre	04 Nov	
Top pay in the UK	LSE	04 Nov	111
Is going to university worth the cost?	Centre for Economic Performance	TBC	Ш
ONLINE	DEBATE DISCUSS	DISCOVER	
Supporting multilingual and multicultural children: e-discussion	Online	31 Oct- 14 Nov	***
Playing and learning with innovative technologies	Online	01 Nov	
FRINGE EVENTS	DEBATE LE LE DISCUSS	DISCOVER	
Capturing urban conflicts	Cambridge	19-23 Oct	111
'Filming Identities' feature film premiere	Newcastle	22 Oct	111
Violent nature	Cambridge	25 Oct	111
Arab Spring: Protests, uprisings and revolutions	Cambridge	26 Oct	111



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