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## **PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS 2025 – 2026**

## **Unless otherwise stated all meetings are at Hough End Centre,**

## Mauldeth Rd. West, Chorlton, M21 7SX

## **Time 18.00 for 18.30**

DATE	SUBJECT & SPEAKER
2025	
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	Interactive Robotics: From Robot Wars to Mars Rover  – Stephen Fearn, Robotics Department, Aberystwyth University.
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>The Roman roads – Engineered to last -</b> Professor Catherine Fletcher, Manchester Metropolitan University.
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	AI and its relevance to Engineering – Professor Hujun Yin, The University of Manchester.
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Research and applications into advanced materials in the UK</b> - Professor Ian Kinloch, The University of Manchester.
2026	
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January	Turning solid drugs to solubles - Liquid formulations to re-imagine old pharmaceuticals — Simon Cohen, CEO Innovate Anti-Infectives
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	From muskets to machine guns - The history and development of firearms and ammunition 1745-1945 — The Armed Historian.
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Victorian Arches</b> – Keith Warrender, Author and Director at Willow Publishing.
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Intelligent Robotics: The use of Intelligent Robotics for assistive living, agritechnology and space exploration - Dr Tomos Fearn, Robotics Department, Aberystwyth University.
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