

# FAS Convention 2016

## Programme



9.30: Welcome and Introduction

9.40: “A Brief History of Cymbeline Observatory” - *Chris Longthorn*

10.40: Break

11.00: “Gravitational Waves: From Einstein’s Equations to a New Era in Astronomy” - *Prof. Andreas Freise*

12.00: Lunch – Telescope Tours & Solar Observing

13.00: FAS AGM

14.00: “50 years since the accidental discovery of the oldest light in the Universe – what have we learnt from it?” - *Dr. Rhodri Evans*

15.00: Break

15.15: “Hunting for exoplanets with small telescopes” - *Dr. Peter Wheatley*

16.15: Break

16.30: “From the Lobster’s Eye to Alien Oceans: ESA’s mission to Jupiter” - *Dr. Nigel Bannister*

17.30: Closing Remarks