

Welcome

Welcome to the BCS Berkshire branch newsletter for March 2023. The following are events happening in the next few months. See [our website](#) for details and other news.

Events

Reading Geek Night – Tuesday 14th March 2023; 7- 9 pm.



Come along and grab a beer/food at the downstairs bar and come share your geekery and enjoy a relaxed evening of talks + networking + beers at Zero Degrees (9 Bridge St, Reading RG1 2LR).

The next event will feature a talk on toastracks and trains, and a pub quiz. Everyone is welcome. For details visit their [website](#) and Social Tech [meetup](#) pages.

The Great Debate, Wednesday 15th March 2023, 19:00 – 21:00 Henley Business School, Whiteknights Campus, Univ. of Reading, RG6 6UR.



BCS co-sponsors this event with the Institution of Engineering and Technology, University of Reading and other institutions. This is part of the annual British Science Week. The subject for 2023 is "Life Without Plastics".

Admission is free; either in-person or online, but early booking is advisable, please visit:

<https://www.bcs.org/events-calendar/2023/march/hybrid-great-debate-2023-life-without-plastics/>.

Staying Connected with BCS Berkshire

You are welcome to join our committee and/or attend [our committee meetings](#). We love to see fresh faces and get your ideas! You can contact us in advance of the meeting at - chair.berkshire@bcs.org.uk.

Please like the [BCS Berkshire Facebook page](#), follow us on Twitter @bcsberkshire and join the [BCS Berkshire LinkedIn](#) group. You can find our events on our [YouTube channel](#) and [Past Events page](#). For the up-to-date list of BCS events please check the [BCS Event listing](#).

Links to our partners' events

The following are links to our partner technology groups within the Berkshire area, feel free to check their events page for other interesting events happening in the region:

- Thames Valley AI Hub <https://www.tvaihub.co.uk/>
- ISC2 <https://isc2tvch.co.uk/events.html>
- Google Developers' Group: <https://gdgreading.dev/go/meet>