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## **BCS Berkshire Branch Newsletter**

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#### Welcome

Welcome to the BCS Berkshire branch newsletter for November 2020. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, all our face-to-face events have been postponed until further notice. There are, however, some online IT events which may be of interest to you.

#### **Online IT Events**

The following are some online events happening in the next few months. Feel free to join and stay safe:

- Reading Geek Nights Virtual Talk & Pub Quiz Evening Tuesday, November 10, 7-9 PM Join us and hear "The Story of Filament Light Bulbs Part 2": A case study of the Robertson carbon filament light bulb factory in Hammersmith, London, by John Holden. For details and the Zoom link for the event please Register here or web site.
- Journey of an AI Project, hosted by Clare Stratford (TV AI Hub) Wednesday, November 11, 2020, 5 - 7 PM. Please register your place at this event by clicking this link <u>https://bit.ly/3jtrU50</u>.
- IoT Security Foundation Conference 2020 The 6th Annual Internet of Things Security Foundation Conference is a four-day virtual event that takes place between Tuesday 1st and Friday 4th December 2020. Visit: <u>https://iotsfconference.com/</u>.

You are reminded that <u>our committee meetings</u> are open to all. Please remember to like the <u>BCS</u> <u>Berkshire Facebook page</u>, follow us on twitter @bcsberkshire and join the <u>BCS Berkshire LinkedIn</u> group. Since our last newsletter, we have posted some content on our <u>YouTube channel</u> and <u>Past</u> <u>Events page</u>.

For the up to date list of BCS events please check the <u>BCS Event listing</u> and for Thames Valley AIHUB events check <u>Meetup</u>.

### Volunteering

#### Promoting a Volunteering Culture

BCS Berkshire would like to encourage members to help make IT good for society by taking up volunteering opportunities available in the region. Have a look at our <u>website</u> for current volunteering opportunities or email us at <u>volunteering.berkshire@bcs.org.uk</u> if you represent, or know of an organisation that needs help, or have any other suggestions.

### **Future Events**

See our website for further updates and events as and when we run them.

