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"This is a time of rapid innovation and technological change spurred on by the challenges that we face.

The CETC helps broadcast this vital message."

Hermann Hauser CBE

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2010/11 Programme

Date	Title	Content	Organiser	Venue
30 Sep 10	New Ways of Doing Business Post Election 2010	Social entrepreneurship and innovative funding	Walter Herriot	RMCC
28 Oct 10	Robotics	How robots are changing our lives and what the future holds	Barry Butler	SJIC
25 Nov 10	From Dusty Displays to Interactive Excitement	How technology has revolutionized the ways museums and galleries show their exhibits	Chris Moore	RMCC
24 Feb 11	Motor Industry and the "green agenda" & AGM at 5.30 pm	The motor industry and its challenge to build commercially viable carbon neutral cars.	Thak Patel	SJIC
31 Mar 11	IdeaSpace - Visit	A new concept in virtual office provision	Guy Mulley	Hauser Forum
28 Apr 11	The Recognition Challenge	Recognition technology and database search techniques used by governments, commerce and security organisations	Tim Eyre	RMCC
26 May 11	Smart Grid Advances	Technologies and products for electricity demand management	John Read	SJIC
30 Jun 11	Advances in Allergies	The latest understanding on how allergies occur and developments in treatment	Louise Rushworth	RMCC
28 Jul 11	New Materials	Latest discoveries and advances in new materials for hi-tech applications	Nigel O'Dea	SJIC
25 Aug 11	Garden Party	An evening to celebrate the completion of the year's calendar - theme to be decided!	Jamie Murray	TBC

Venues

SJIC = St John's Innovation Centre

RMCC = The Ramsey Moon Conference Centre (part of TWI) on Granta Park

Directions and maps are on the www.cetc.info website

Meetings

Meetings take place on Thursdays starting at 6.00 pm with canapés and drinks followed by a 6.30 pm start to the seminar. The meetings are normally over by 8.45 pm

About the Club

The Cambridge Enterprise & Technology Club provides a networking forum for business people, academics, technologists and service providers, together with a unique opportunity to learn about cutting edge technologies. The Club was founded as part of a Department of Trade & Industry initiative in the late 1980's to improve business skills.

The Club's meetings usually take the form of evening seminars, preceded by a buffet. A highlight of the Club's year is the annual Garden Party. Although the Club has a formal structure and programme of events, we strive for an informal atmosphere that allows members and guests to meet and talk with one another.

We hold monthly meetings on a range of topics, with an emphasis on subjects relevant to local businesses. There is a focus on new technologies and their applications. Many of our members have experience in companies that have grown rapidly by developing new products and by expanding into new markets, so there is plenty of knowledge to share. We usually invite at least two expert speakers to make presentations at each seminar and a notable feature of the Club is the ensuing Question & Answer session. As a result there is ample opportunity for discussion and members are able to learn from each other's experiences as well as from the experts.

The Club is a not-for-profit organisation, with no political affiliation. We are governed by a written constitution and managed by an elected committee of the members. We are very fortunate to be given generous financial support by NatWest Bank. We also receive valuable sponsorship from St John's Innovation Centre, TWI and Webtec Products Ltd.

Membership runs in line with the programme year and can either be 'Individual' or 'Corporate'. Additional guests can be invited by members for a nominal fee.

Meetings are free for members; Non-members pay a meeting fee.

Full details of membership entitlements and current fees are on the adjacent page, as well as the club's website.

Membership Rates

You can join CETC either as an individual or corporate member:

Individual Membership: £45.

This allows free attendance at any of the CETC seminars held throughout the year. Single membership entitles one named individual to attend each of the meetings. No alternative person can be substituted. Members may bring guests to seminars for a charge of £8 per meeting, paid in advance.

Student Membership: £25

Has exactly the same rights as the Individual member.

Corporate Membership: £90

Corporate membership allows attendance of up to three staff or guests at any of the CETC seminars free of charge throughout the year. Additional staff or guests are charged £8 per seminar, paid in advance.

Non-Member Event Charges

Non-members £12 per meeting, £5 for students, paid in advance.

Joining CETC

To join CETC, go to www.cetc.info, click the 'JOIN CETC NOW' link.

The Secretary can be contacted on 07771 710968 and by e-mail at administration@cameurotech.org.uk and the Chairman at chairman@cameurotech.org.uk

If you would like to pay by bank transfer, then please see bank account details on the membership page of the CETC website.

Membership Benefits

Members of CETC receive the following benefits:

- Opportunities to attend quality free technology and business seminars once a month
- A chance to network with other business people including entrepreneurs, VCs, consultancies and academics during seminars
- An annual garden party held in August
- Passporting to other Cambridge events

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