



...the next giant leap

25th–26th February 2012,
Grand Central Hotel, Glasgow.

Daily Confucius: Virtue is not left to stand alone. He who practices it will have neighbors.
— Confucius

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SATURDAY

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Time	Main (Victoria)	Alternative (Clyde)
1000	Opening Ceremony	
1030	Advanced Space Concepts – key to the new space economy <i>Colin McInnes</i>	The Perils and Pitfalls of Publishing <i>Christine Davidson (mod), Lawrence Osborne, Charles Stross, Neil Williamson, Andrew J Wilson</i>
1130	Has Science Ruined Science Fiction? <i>Steve Cooper (mod), Sasha Haworth, Tony Naggs, Morag O'Neill</i>	Media Mars <i>Domar Wuer (mod), BigFriendlyDave, Gaspode, Lucky Kaa, Ming</i>
1230	Settling Mars <i>Andy Nimmo</i>	Tribble Pursuit <i>Tig</i>
1330	Killer Klips <i>Ksimes</i>	Versus – the ultimate fantasy death-match <i>Dyllanne (mod), Dalg, DougS, Ken O'Neill, Tlanti</i>
1430	Guest of Honour <i>Charles Stross, interviewed by Andrew J Wilson</i>	(closed)
1600	The Great Satellite 3 Debate <i>Christine Davidson (mod), DougS, Gaspode, Ian Sorensen, Mad Elf</i>	Rover Workshop <i>Alex Holden</i>
1700	More Inadvisable Rocket Science <i>Phil Wellings</i>	
1800	The Talk of the Steamie <i>Dyllanne (mod), Ksimes, Martin Easterbrook, Vincent Docherty, Elaine Gallagher</i>	The ASBO Drinks of Scotland <i>Emma P</i>
1900	(closed for turnaround)	
2000		Wordsmiths – readings by local writers <i>Led by Neil Williamson and Andrew J Wilson</i>
2100	Red Planet Disco featuring War of the Worlds <i>Psychochicken</i>	

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Time	Main (Victoria)	Alternative (Clyde)
1000	The Chinese Space Programme <i>Robert Law</i>	Get Stuffed! <i>Dexter (mod), Batty, Fluff, Harold (assisted by Gaspodia (mod), Serena</i>

		<i>Culfeather, Feorag NicBhríde, Catriona Beel)</i>
1100	Literary Mars <i>Mark Meenan (mod), David Dryden, ED Buckley, Heather Turnbull, Yvonne Rowse</i>	<i>i</i> You'll Never Get to Mars in That! <i>Alligator Descartes</i> <i>i</i>
1200	Science Guest <i>Jon Davies</i>	<i>i</i>
1300	Has Science Fiction Become Mainstream? <i>Alice Lawson (mod), Charles Stross, Dave Ellis, Ian Sorensen</i>	<i>i</i> Jetan <i>Mad Elf, Madrory</i> <i>i</i>
1400	3D Surface Maps <i>Alligator Descartes</i>	<i>i</i> Mars Attacks <i>Munchkin</i> <i>i</i>
1500	Room 101 <i>Charles Stross</i>	<i>i</i> Science Fiction in Anime and Manga <i>Mad Elf (mod), Nojay, Madrory, Mike Quinn, Roger Octon</i> <i>i</i>
1600	Paths to the Planets <i>ED Buckley</i>	<i>i</i> Space Station Zebra <i>Throgg the Despicable and Cuddles</i> <i>i</i>
1700	The Future Exploration and Exploitation of Mars <i>Michael Davidson (mod), Colin McInnes, Graham Dale, Robert Law, Simon Bradshaw</i>	<i>i</i> Book and Comic Auction <i>Mark Meenan and Vincent Docherty</i> <i>i</i>
1800		
1830	Closing Ceremony	
1900	(closed for turnaround)	
2030	Dead Dog Party and Pub Quiz <i>Dalg</i>	<i>i</i>