

### **BCS Berkshire Branch Newsletter**

September 2020

### Welcome

Welcome to the BCS Berkshire branch newsletter for September 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. You are also encouraged to attend our virtual AGM on 29th September.

### **Online IT Events**

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

- Reading Geek Night Online Talk & Pub Quiz Evening, Tuesday 8th September, Details & registration: https://rdggeeknight.wordpress.com/ (also via meetup.com > Social Tech)
- > Al & Machine Learning in Healthcare, Wednesday 16th September, Details & tickets: https://www.tvaihub.co.uk/ (also via meetup.com > Thames Valley Al Hub)
- Service Mess to Service Mesh Thursday 17th September, 6:00 7:30 pm. Details & registration: <a href="https://devsecops170920..eventbrite.co.uk/">https://devsecops170920..eventbrite.co.uk/</a>
- Cloud Security, Friday 25th September, For updates and joining instructions contact membership@isc2chapter-thamesvalley.co.uk or visit: <a href="https://isc2tvch.co.uk/">https://isc2tvch.co.uk/</a>.
- ➤ Berkshire branch annual general meeting, Tuesday 29th September, 7:00pm 9:00pm. Details and registration: <a href="https://www.bcs.org/events/2020/september/webinar-berkshire-branch-annual-general-meeting/">https://www.bcs.org/events/2020/september/webinar-berkshire-branch-annual-general-meeting/</a>
- Climate Change, Energy and Data Centres Reaching Net Zero, Wednesday 7th October, 6:30pm 9:00pm. Details and registration:
  <a href="https://www.bcs.org/events/2020/october/webinar-climate-change-energy-and-data-centres-reaching-net-zero/">https://www.bcs.org/events/2020/october/webinar-climate-change-energy-and-data-centres-reaching-net-zero/</a>

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 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**

October 2020 talk on "Insider Threat & Mitigation". See our website for further updates and events as and when we run them.







