

Oxford University
Speculative Fiction Group **OUSFG**

Science Fiction & Fantasy



We're a friendly, diverse group of people who enjoy SF, fantasy, horror and other genres. We meet twice a week during term, on Sundays and Wednesdays.

Sun 1st Week (11th Oct), 3-6pm

Freshers' Drinks! In the Massey Room in Balliol College, which is at the far left corner of Garden Quad. Drop in for obligation-free drinks & nibbles, introductions and conversation!



Wed 1st Week, 8pm

Desert Planet Books: what are the ten SF books most worth reading and why? Come along for a lively discussion in New College (directions from our website). Audience contributions are encouraged, but don't feel you have to say anything!

Library

Sundays are **library meetings**, held from 8pm till late, every Sunday from 18th October, in our librarian's room in Keble. These evenings are an opportunity to socialise, and chat about life, the universe and everything, whilst also perusing OUSFG's library of over **2,400 books**.



Discussions and Videos

Discussion and video meetings are held on Wednesdays from 8pm in New College. We regularly have visiting speakers: this term **Frances Hardinge** (one of many former OUSFG members turned famous author!), who wrote *Verdigris Deep*, *Gullstruck Island* and the award-winning *Fly by Night*, is coming in 7th week. Other discussion topics this term include the ever-popular **philosophy in SF**, and how **aliens** and their societies would *really* evolve. Movies this term are **Watchmen** (3rd week) and **Coraline** (5th week) – see our online termcard for more info!

Special Events

Special events mark the end of each term. This term is the Christmas Party, whilst Hilary and Trinity see the OUSFG Banquet and our Punt Party, complete with our very own traditional Punt Party Panto.

Directions

For full directions to venues, as well as loads of other information, visit our website and subscribe to our low-traffic email announcement list.

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