

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 (7th Oct), 3-6pm



Freshers' Cakes! In Wadham's New Seminar Room A, staircase 4 at the back-right corner of the main quad. Drop in for **obligation-free CAKE** (not a lie!), 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. Audience contributions are encouraged, but don't feel you have to say anything! The venue is still to be confirmed, but we'll let you know at Freshers' Cakes and also via the website and announcement list.

Library

Sundays are **library meetings**, held from 8pm till late, every Sunday from 14th October, in our librarians' rooms in Univ, meeting outside Univ at 8pm. These evenings are an opportunity to socialise, and chat about life, the universe and Everything, whilst also perusing OUSFG's library of **over 2000 books**.



Discussions and Videos

Discussion and video meetings are held on Wednesdays from 8pm. Discussion meetings this term include an exploration of the **Boundaries between SF and Fantasy**, a collaborative story-writing evening, and the ever-popular **Geek Craft** session. Movies this term include **Mirormask** and **Repo! The Genetic Opera** as our Hallowe'en special. We regularly have visiting speakers: this year we're trying to arrange for the return of **Charlie Stross** (*The Laundry*, *Merchant Princes* etc.), and our last visiting author was **Philip Reeve** (best known for *Mortal Engines*).

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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