THE YORKSHIRE VISION NETWORK

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8ᵗʰ Annual Meeting: June 5th 2015 at the York Medical Society.

Dear Colleague,

We would like to invite you and/or members of your research group to the 8ᵗʰ annual meeting of the **Yorkshire Vision Network** (YVN) which will be held at the Medical Society, York on June 5ᵗʰ 2015. The aim of the YVN is to establish research links between scientists and clinicians from Yorkshire Universities and Hospitals in order to pursue exciting new lines of enquiry and to exploit the combined resources for vision research that are available across the region.

The programme for the meeting is given below. We are very pleased that **Professors Ione Fine and Tim Meese** have accepted our invitation as our external speaker.

Time	Event
10:00	----------- *Registration & Coffee* --------------
10:25	Opening remarks Tony Morland
10:30	**Alexis Makin** (University of Liverpool)
	'A neural signature of perceptual goodness'
11:00	**James Stone** (University of Sheffield)
	'The Eye: An Un-Intelligent Design'
11:30	**Tim Meese** (Aston University)
	'Battenbergs and Swiss cheese: Food for thought in spatial vision'
12:30	*------ Lunch & Posters------*
14:00	**Elizabeth Milne** (University of Sheffield)
	'Orientation discrimination and high frequency neural oscillations in autism spectrum conditions
14:30	**Declan McKeefry** (University of Bradford)
	'The causal roles of extrastriate motion areas in the processing of different motion stimuli'
15:00	**Mike Burton** (University of York)
	'Arguments against a configural processing account of face recognition'
15:30	*------ Posters, Yorkshire Tea, Parkin & Fat Rascals ------*
16:00	**Ione Fine** (University of Washington)
	'Pulse trains to percepts: the challenge of creating a perceptually intelligible world with sight recovery technologies'
	------------------ Beer reception -------------------

There will be a registration fee of £30 (£20 for students). The deadline for registration is 1st June 2015. Registration after this date will be £50 (£30 for students).

Posters

There will be a display of posters during the conference so if you or any members of your research group wish to display their work please contact one of the members of the organising committee. Please note there is limited space so the poster allocation will be on a first come first served basis.

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Location:

The York Medical Society is located in the centre of York at: 23 Stonegate (Y01 2AW)
(see: http://www.yorkmedsoc.org/index.asp)

Dinner:

This year we are hoping to head to **Brigantes** (a Pub near the station) for drinks and or dinner.

If you would like to attend the meeting, please complete the section below and return it *to:*

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PLEASE RESPOND BY 1st June 2015

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8th Annual Meeting Registration Form

Name: *Contact address & email:*

[ ]   *I wish to attend the 8th Annual YVN meeting (and enclose registration fee £30)*

[ ]   *I'm a student and wish to attend the YVN meeting (and enclose a registration fee of £20)*

[ ]   *I would like to bring a poster to the YVN, if space is available*

I enclose a cheque to the value of £   made payable the University of York

* For details of Red Chilli, please see http://www.redchillirestaurant.co.uk/york_gallery.asp