

SCIENTIFIC / ENGINEERING SOUTH CUMBRIA AREA 2026-2027 PROGRAMME

2.09.26 Wed	The MAIB Current Activities and Future Challenges Spk: Simon Graves Hybrid Talk: 'Opportunity to attend in-person or online.'	RINA	25.11.26 Wed	'Best Before' and 'Use By Dates' For Body Armour? - Food for thought? Spk: Dr. Eluned Lewis, QinetiQ	PESC / IET IMechE	3.03.27 Wed	The Stability of Large Sailing Yachts Spk: Jerry Turner	RINA
9.09.26 Wed	Our Sun and Climate Change Spk: Dr. Robin Catchpole, Research Astronomer, Cambridge University	PESC/ IMechE/ IET	30.11.26 Mon	Historic Vessel Conservation - Theory and Practice Spk: Stephen Beresford	RINA	10.03.27 Wed	Thorium : The Future for Nuclear ? Spk: Prof. Tim Abram, University of Manchester Followed by IMechE AGM	PESC / IET IMechE
16.09.26 Wed		BDAE	6.1.27 Wed	H.M.S. Ocean Spk: John Hudson	RINA	17.03.27 Wed		BDAE
5.10.25 Mon	Titanic Revisited Spk: Stephen Payne	RINA	13.01.26 Wed	Bulletproof Evidence? Forensic Investigations of Firearms Offences Spk: Isobel Colclough, Forensic Investigator	PESC / IET IMechE / CQI IHEEM	21.04.27 Wed	AGM Followed by	BDAE
14.10.26 Wed	Mosquito Reconstruction	PESC/IET IMechE/ICE	20.01.27 Wed		BDAE	19.05.27 Wed	WW2 Battles of Coral Sea & Midway Spk: Dr. Scott Lindgren, Naval Historian	PESC / IET RINA IMechE IMarEST
21.10.26 Wed		BDAE	3.02.27 Wed	Whatever happened to Our Shipbuilding Industry? Spk: Paul Stott	RINA			
4.11.26 Wed	Fifty Years in Shipbuilding Spk: Alan Phizacklea	RINA	10.02.27 Wed	Geological Disposal Facility Spk: John Codery Chief Technical Officer, Nuclear Waste Services	PESC / IET IMechE			
18.11.26 Wed	BDAE BURSARY EVENING	BDAE	17.02.27 Wed		BDAE		Talks start at 19.30 and are FREE and open to the public unless otherwise stated	
			24.02.26 Wed	Motorbike Talk Details TBA ??????	IMechE / PESC / IET		All Talks Held at The Town Hall, Duke Street, Barrow-in-Furness, LA14 2LD unless otherwise stated. For up to date information see below www.theforumbarrow.co.uk www.pesc.org.uk www.bdae.org.uk	

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