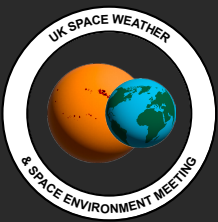
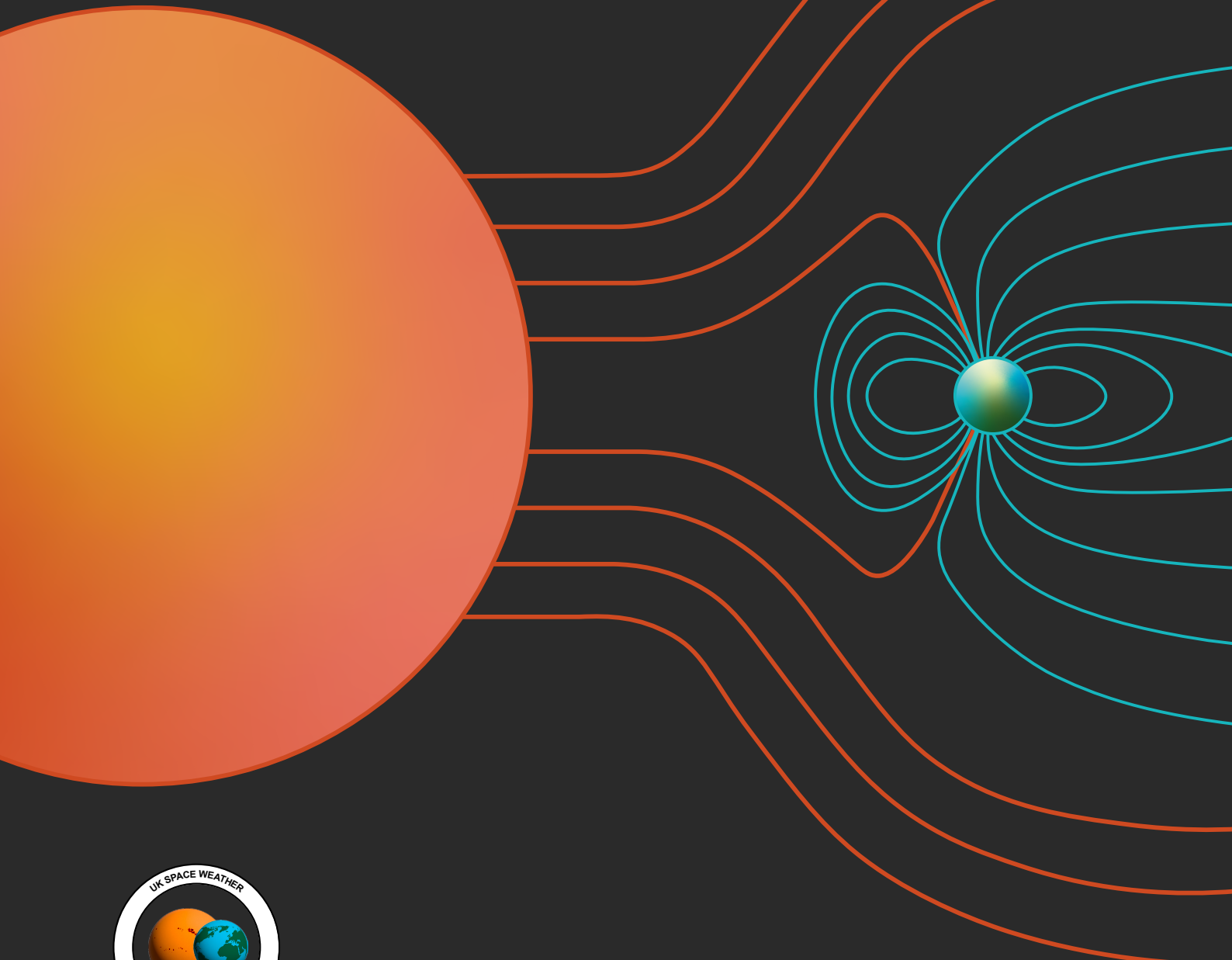


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**UK Space Weather and  
Space Environment Meeting II:**  
Celebrating 10-years of 24/7 space-weather  
operational forecasting in the UK

**9–12 September 2024**

Sandy Park Conference & Banqueting Centre, Exeter, UK

# UK Space Weather and Space Environment Meeting II: Celebrating 10-years of 24/7 space-weather operational forecasting in the UK.

This is the second UK-focussed meeting and falls a decade after the stand-up of the Met Office Space Weather Operations Centre (MOSWOC). This meeting will provide an opportunity to look back and celebrate, at a time when much important new capability has been delivered through the SWIMMR (Space Weather Instrumentation, Measurement, Modelling and Risk) programme. Utilising SWIMMR outputs, we are poised for a major uplift in our ability to Assess, Prepare for and Respond to severe space weather events.

With a UK core, the meeting will be outward looking, where we welcome international participation and is one of an ongoing series planned for forthcoming years. This in recognition of the spirit of multinational collaboration which needs to be at the heart of enhanced understanding of, and resilience to space weather.

The long-term purpose of this new series of UK Space Weather & Space Environment Meetings is to bring together space safety scientists, engineers, forecasters, end-users, and policy makers across the various UK interests and activities. This year's meeting will have focus on next steps beyond the SWIMMR Programme, of embedding enduring Research to Operations to Research (R2O2R) and seizing opportunities to drive further advances going forward.

We very much look forward to welcoming you to Exeter this September!

## Local Organising Committee

- Elise Allthorpe-Mullis, UKRI STFC RAL Space, UK
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- Mark Gibbs, Met Office, UK
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- Vivien Thomas, Institute of Physics, UK

## Benefits to sponsors and exhibitors

- Demonstrate the range and quality of your products and services to a specialised audience
- Provide invaluable exposure and connect with industry and academic representatives
- Target new customers and develop existing relationships
- Showcase new or upgraded product ranges, as well as reaffirm your current offer
- Exhibiting can build positivity, trust, and loyalty
- Contributes significantly to the promotion and finances of the conference, reducing the overall cost of managing the event and enabling a higher level of participation, particularly young researchers, and therefore helping to develop the physics community.

## Sponsorship

We invite sponsorship from organisations working within the space sector or within industries and operations which can be impacted by space weather, such as, satellite operators, the aviation and marine sectors, power grid technicians, communications, and navigation specialists. We would also be keen to have sponsorship partners who support the work of scientists and engineers, or those involved in machine learning, AI, researchers involved in the development and mechanics and materials for use in space, and space tourism.

Bespoke packages are available upon request, please get in touch to discuss this option further.

### Platinum sponsor – £12500 + VAT\*

- Acknowledged as a platinum sponsor on the website and material (priority listing)
- Product placement on the event website – highlight equipment and services
- 200–250 word profile on the website with an opportunity to display a video
- Logo and Social Media links on the website
- Digital sponsorship – your logo will be displayed on opening and closing slides at the conference
- A table-top stand in the exhibition area which includes catering for five representatives (to include access to the talks and posters, refreshments, lunches, evening receptions and the conference dinner)
- A4 full colour advert in the digital book of abstracts (advert to be displayed at the front of the booklet)
- Opportunity to promote three jobs within your organisation.

#### Plus one of the following:

- **Option A:** Audio-visual.
- **Option B:** Delegate Bags – your logo will be printed on the delegate bags (one colour print).
- **Option C:** Conference Dinner – acknowledged as a sponsor in the programme and at the event.

### Gold sponsor – £8300 + VAT\*

- Acknowledged as a Gold sponsor on the website and material
- Product placement on the event website – highlight equipment and services
- 150–200 word profile on the website with an opportunity to display a video
- Logo and social Media links on the website
- Digital sponsorship – your logo will be displayed on opening and closing slides at the conference
- A table-top stand in the exhibition area which includes catering for four representatives (to include access to the talks and posters, refreshments, lunches, evening receptions and the conference dinner)
- A4 full colour advert in the digital book of abstracts
- Opportunity to promote two jobs within your organisation.

#### Plus one of the following:

- **Option D:** Badge lanyards and a conference water bottle. These items will be branded with the sponsor's logo.
- **Option E:** Poster sessions sponsor – acknowledged as a sponsor in the programme, at the event and on poster numbers.

### Silver sponsor – £7500 + VAT\*

- Acknowledged as a Silver sponsor on the website and material
- Product placement on the event website – highlight equipment and services
- 100–150 word profile on the website with an opportunity to display a video
- Digital sponsorship – your logo will be displayed on opening and closing slides at the conference
- A table-top stand in the exhibition area which includes catering for three representatives during the exhibition (to include refreshments, lunch and evening receptions)
- A4 full colour advert in the digital book of abstracts.

#### Plus one of the following:

- **Option F:** Sponsor a poster reception – acknowledged as a sponsor in the programme and at the event.
- **Option G:** Sponsor the pre-dinner reception – acknowledged as a sponsor in the programme and at the event on the delegate bags (one colour print).

### Bronze Sponsor – £5000 + VAT\*

- Acknowledged as a Bronze sponsor on the website and material
- Product placement on the event website – highlight equipment and services
- 100–150 word profile on the website
- Digital sponsorship – your logo will be displayed on opening and closing slides at the conference
- A table-top stand in the exhibition area which includes catering for two representatives during the exhibition (to include refreshments, lunch and evening receptions)
- A5 full colour advert in the digital book of abstracts.

#### Plus the following:

- **Option H:** Sprout Pencils – logo will be printed on Sprout Pencils which will be included in the delegate pack.

### Virtual Sponsor – £2000 + VAT\*

- 200 word profile on your organisation
- Logo and Social Media links on the website
- A4 full colour advert in the book of abstracts.

### Booking a sponsorship package

To book a sponsorship package, please email [vivien.thomas@iop.org](mailto:vivien.thomas@iop.org) confirming your preferred package.

Sponsorship is allocated on a first come-first served basis.

Please refer to our terms and conditions at [iop.org/conferences](http://iop.org/conferences) prior to booking your package.

## Exhibition

The exhibition is a great opportunity for you to meet with conference participants, discuss your latest developments and techniques, and promote your products and services. The exhibition will be an integral part of the event programme and delegate experience, and time will be allocated for exhibitors to meet and interact with attendees as well as other vendors.

### Exhibition package:

Exhibit over the full conference programme.

- 6ft table and two chairs
- 1x complimentary registration which includes:
  - Access to the sessions, which also include poster, exhibition and networking
  - Lunch and refreshments each day
  - Conference Dinner
  - Drinks reception
- Content on the website which includes:
  - 150 (max) word profile
  - Video content (max. 2 minutes)
  - Social media links
  - Company logo with a link to your homepage
  - Opportunity to promote 1 job from within your organisation.

### Rates

The cost to exhibit is £500 + VAT if booked on or before 30 June 2024. The price thereafter will be £650 + VAT.

### VAT

VAT is charged at the UK's prevailing rate of 20%.

If the rate is altered as a result of government legislation, charges may be adjusted accordingly. The Institute of Physics VAT registration number is 461-6000-84.

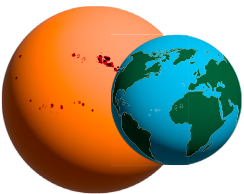
Sponsors from outside the UK can reverse charge VAT on supply of a valid VAT registration number.

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