

47th International Annual SPR Conference

Derby Mickleover Hotel, 8-10 November 2024

FRIDAY 8th November

Afternoon	Arrivals
19:30	PRESIDENT'S DRINKS RECEPTION
20:00	DINNER

SATURDAY 9th November

Chair: Ashley Knibb

09:00 - 09:30	Christof King	SETTING THE CAMERA TRAPS – WHAT IT MAY TAKE TO CAPTURE THE DIVINE.
09:30 - 10:00	Corrine Gretton-West, Callum E. Cooper, Haley Morris-Cafiero & Jose Neves	VISUALIZING EXCEPTIONAL HUMAN EXPERIENCES THROUGH PHOTOGRAPHIC ART
10:00 - 10:30	Ciaran Farrell	EXPERIMENTING WITH GHOSTS: EMPIRICISM, STONE TAPES, & ENCOUNTERS; LESSONS FROM MY EARLY GHOST ADVENTURES
10:30 - 11:00	TEA/COFFEE	
11:00 - 11:30	Richard Broughton	FIFTY YEARS AMONG THE RNGS, AND WHY WE KNOW THEY ARE NOT CONSCIOUSNESS DETECTORS

THE LATEST FROM THE LABS

Chair:

11:30 - 12:00	Deborah Patton, Matthew Hopkins, David Vernon & Chris A. Roe	TESTING THE THEORY OF 'FIRST SIGHT' USING RETROACTIVE PRIMING TASK, EXPERIMENT 2: SITUATIONAL FACTORS
12:00 - 12:30	Abby L. Pooley & Caroline Watt	QUANTITATIVE LANGUAGE ANALYSIS OF PSI GANZFELD MENTATIONS
12:30 - 13:00	Kirsty L. Allan, Callum E. Cooper, Glenn Hitchman & Chris A Roe	CLARIFYING THE SOLUTION... PHASE 1 DATA UPDATE OF AN EXPERIMENT INVOLVING SENSORY ISOLATION IN FLOATATION TANKS AS A METHOD OF PROMOTION PSI PHENOMENA
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH	

EXPERIMENTAL AND THEORETICAL

Chair: Chris Roe

14:00 - 14:30	Louise N. Spiers, Chris A. Roe, Matthew Hopkins, Martin Jollivalt & Renaud Evrard	ARE THERE DIFFERENT PARANORMAL & ANOMALOUS EXPERIENCES IN INDIVIDUALS WITH EPILEPSY AND WHICH ONES DO THEY REPORT?
14.30 - 15.00	Simon Duan	COMPUTER SIMULATION OF PSYCHOKINESIS: NEW EXPERIMENTAL TOOL FOR PSI RESEARCH
15:00 - 15:30	Timothy Winey	PSYCHIC PHENOMENA, TORSION FIELDS AND PILOT WAVES?
15:30 - 16:00	TEA/COFFEE	

DYING, DEATH & BEYOND

Chair:

16:00 - 16:30	Kelly A. Curtis, Neil Dagnall & Ken Drinkwater	HOW EXPOSURE TO DEATH AND DYING IMPACTS BELIEFS ABOUT DEATH
16:30 - 17:00	Natalia Lavin, Callum E. Cooper & Chris A. Roe	ANOMALOUS EXPERIENCES IN THE FUNERAL INDUSTRY
17:00 - 17:30	Kate Cherrell	GRAVE MATTERS: USAGE OF BURIAL SPACES BY PARANORMAL INVESTIGATORS
20:00	DINNER	
AFTER-DINNER TALK: PAUL GILBERT, OBE		

SUNDAY 10th November

HISTORY AND LEGACY

Chair:

09:00 - 09:30	Michael Potts	AUGUSTINE'S SKEPTICAL VIEW OF APPARENT APPARITIONS OF THE DEAD
09:30 - 10:00	Wolfhardt Janu, Peter Merry & Kirsty L. Allan	THE P.E.A.R. LEGACY, THE TECHNOLOGY AND THE FUTURE OF SYNTROPY
INVITED PRESENTATION		
10.00 - 10.30	William Van Gordon	
10:30 - 11:00	TEA/COFFEE	

CASE STUDIES, COLLECTIONS AND METHOD

Chair: Malcolm Schofield

11:00 - 11:30	Chris A. Roe	TERMINAL LUCIDITY IN ADULTS: A NEW CASE COLLECTION
11.30 - 12.00	Michael Nahm	LUCID AWARENESS IN SEEMINGLY UNCONSCIOUS PATIENTS: A CASE REPORT AND ITS IMPLICATIONS
12:00 - 12:30	Elaine Rycroft, Callum E. Cooper	DOES PERSONALITY SURVIVE BODILY DEATH? IDENTIFYING BEST

	& Chris A. Roe	PRACTICE IN INVESTIGATING CLAIMS OF REINCARNATION
12:30 - 13:30	LUNCH	
SPIRIT AND THE END OF THE TUNNEL		Chair:
13:30 - 14:00	Fil Kinnersley, Chris A. Roe, Glenn Hitchman & Louise Spiers	PSYCHIC OR SPIRIT: LEARNING TO DISCERN
14:00 - 14:30	Ashlee Lewis-Earl & Chris A. Roe	THE TRUTH IN THE LIGHT: CONDUCTING A SYSTEMATIC ANALYSIS OF THE FENWICK NDE CASE COLLECTION
14:30 - 15:00	Anusnigdha	TO BELIEVE OF NOT TO BELIEVE: THE ROLE OF PERSONAL EXPERIENCES AND OTHER PSYCHO-SOCIAL INFLUENCES ON BELIEF IN THE PARANORMAL
15:00 - 15:30	TEA/COFFEE	
BELIEFS AND PERCEPTIONS		Chair:
15:30 - 16:00	Sabrina Davis, Malcolm Schofield & Chris Howard	PARANORMAL PERSPECTIVES OF PEOPLE FROM BRITISH MINORITY ETHNIC BACKGROUNDS: AN INTERPRETATIVE PHENOMENOLOGICAL ANALYSIS
16:00 - 16:30	Alvaro Alvarez & Vicente Salvador	IS THERE ANY FACTOR THAT INDICATES TO US THAT THE PERCEPTION OF CERTAIN ANOMALOUS INCLUSIONS GOES BEYOND PAREIDOLIA?
16:30	Closing Remarks	