



SCTE® Autumn Lecture & AGM

The SCTE returned to the National Motorcycle Museum on October 13 for its annual Autumn Lecture and AGM.

Attended by SCTE members and industry partners from all over the UK and Europe, the Fibre Roll Out theme was explored by (clockwise from left) Reece Simmons of Welsh altnet Broadway Partners, Syd Kassim of VIAVI Solutions, Kelly Fournier of IQGEO (formerly Comsof) and Terry Daniell and Georgina Rudak of Trenches Law.

Our speakers were there to represent various facets of the fibre deployment supply chain, from network design, wayleaves, rural deployment and testing. Attended by around 50 SCTE members and industry partners, it was an excellent day's networking and a real education. Our AGM followed at the end and we were delighted to welcome so many attendees to help with the governance of our Society. Thanks for coming!

Our next lecture takes place in March 2023, detailed to be confirmed shortly. Want to be a speaker? Drop us a line, details below.



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Triumphant return for IBC at the RAI in Amsterdam

Returning to Amsterdam to IBC again after a three year hiatus was a great feeling all round. Surprisingly busy with over 37,000 visitors from 170 countries over the weekend, the mood was ebullient, friendly and very positive. The seminars taking place, big brands in evidence, cutting-edge technology on display, the demonstrations ongoing by the 1000-plus exhibitors across 13 halls made the show an assault on the senses. There was evidence the pandemic isn't behind us entirely but only a few masks were in evidence, perhaps sensibly given the numbers of delegates and the crowded halls at times, but the choice was an individual one. The conference and show was well organised and the communications excellent.

"It was great to see, feel and hear the buzz of a live IBC once more," said Michael Crimp, IBC's Chief Executive Officer. "The quality of visitors has been outstanding and there was a real sense of positivity. We are stronger together."

The IBC Daily featured our president Anthony Basham on the second day and the app that IBC provided was an invaluable tool to navigate around.

We were delighted to congratulate SCTE a member Simen Frostad's Bridge Technologies for winning the award for Best Stand at IBC this year. Simen told us, "We consider IBC to be 'home turf' and so it was particularly special to be back. And we wanted to do it right. The booth was the first piece of the equation. With a prime location in the front corner of Hall One we became a show landmark."

