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34th EMESP PRESTIGE LECTURE 2021 (ONLINE)

Title: Jodrell Bank: Icon of British Engineering - Past, Present and Future

Speaker: Professor Teresa Anderson MBE

Date: Tuesday, 9 November 2021

Time: 19.00 hours (GMT)

Registration (now open to all): <https://bit.ly/PrestigeLecture2021>



This year's EMESP Prestige Lecture will explore the development of **Jodrell Bank**, from its early days, through the building of the Lovell Telescope, to the present day.

It will also provide an introduction to the engineering that underpins every aspect of the site's heritage, its current operation and its future aspirations. In recent years, Jodrell Bank has become the home to the HQ of the global ['Square Kilometre Array'](#) project; has set-up the ground-breaking 'bluedot' festival of science, arts and culture; and is working towards the opening of the new First Light Pavilion in 2022.

Professor Teresa Anderson MBE is Founder and Director of the University of Manchester's Jodrell Bank Discovery Centre. She was also co-founder of the award-winning 'bluedot' festival of science, music, culture and the arts.

In 2013, Teresa was awarded an MBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours list for services to Astrophysics. In 2014, she was jointly awarded (with Professor Tim O'Brien) the Institute of Physics Kelvin Medal for Public Engagement with Physics.



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