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April 2017						
4th April 2017				Enterprise Research Centre Workshop East Midlands Chamber – Manufacturing and Engineering Conference – 4 April http://www.emc-dni.co.uk/events/9267/manufacturing-and-engineering-conference Rt Hon Greg Clark has been invited to be the keynote speaker (or Sir John Peace, Chair of the Midlands Engine), and there will be senior representatives from Rolls Royce and Vodafone amongst others presenting during the event. Steve Rothberg has agreed to open from a Loughborough University for around 10mins.		ERA Ops Board 1-330 BGS Board Room
7th April 2017						TIA Tender Presentation Session
12th April 2017						TIA meeting Leicester 1-3.30
24th April 2017						Midlands Health Innovation Dinner, Lboro
27th April 2017						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technician’s Forum Papin Prize judging 1-3 Warwick • MI Research Efficiency Warwick • ERA QRM Innovate UK 10-3 Warwick Senate House Chamber
28th April 2017						MI Chair handover session, Nottingham
May 2017						
11th May 2017						MI EMG/ERA meeting Birmingham
15th May 2017						TIA meeting Aston 10-1230
17th May 2017				Birmingham – Fraunhofer UMSICHT Joint Research Platform Launch Wednesday 17 May 2017 Elgar Concert Hall, Bramall Music Building (R12 on the campus map) University of Birmingham The University of Birmingham and Fraunhofer UMSICHT are delighted to invite you to attend the official launch of the Joint Research Platform. The Joint Research Platform will establish		

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				closer ties with cutting-edge renewable energy technology in the UK and Europe. Both organisations will promote mobility of research staff and students to encourage knowledge exchange, and facilitate the development of new science with a primary focus on speeding up renewable energy technology routes to market.		
18th May 2017						GCRF Water Lboro
30th May 2017						MI/ERA VAT Meeting Lboro
31st May 2017			Technician's Forum 2017 - Open to all Higher Education Institutions, hosted by MI (in partnership with the Science Council).			
31 May – 1st June 2017				Fourth Fuel Cell and Hydrogen Technical Conference University of Birmingham Location TBC www.fch2.co.uk		
June 2017				Enterprise Research Centre Workshop		
6th June 2017						ERA Skills Working Group 1030-1230 Nottingham A21 Trent
9th June 2017						MI Board/MI Away Day
12th June 2017						TIA meeting Notts 10-12.30
13th June 2017						ERA Ops Board 1-330 Loughborough Jennings Council Chamber – Buffet Oak Lounge – both Hazlerigg Building
15th June 2017						MI Research Efficiency Group Nottingham
19-25th June 2017				EU Sustainability Week		Each institution events – programme TBC
21st June 2017				Venturefest West Midlands		MI Comms Notts
July 2017		Special Issue of The Energy Journal (International Association for Energy Economics) planned for Autumn 2017 – co-				There will be five papers included from ERA institutions (Birmingham, Loughborough, Warwick and Nottingham) focussed on energy economics and similar areas.

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6 th July 2017						ERA Comms 10-12 Loughborough 201.2.12 Hazlerigg Building
12 th July 2017						EMG Phone call
24 th July						TIA meeting Cranfield 12-2.30
31 st July 2017						ERA QRM with Innovate UK 10-3 Nottingham A19 Trent
August 2017						
30 th August 2017						ERA Skills Warwick 1030-1230
September 2017						
1 st September 2017						EMG Warwick 10-12
4 th September 2017						MI EMG/ERA Notts
5 th September 2017						ERA Ops Board 1-330 Nottingham A19 Trent
6 th September 2017						MI Comms Lboro
13 th September 2017						REC Bham 10-12
20 th September 2017						ERA Comms Warwick 1030-12
October 2017						
6 th October 2017						MI Board Birmingham
31 st October 2017						ERA QRM with Innovate UK Birmingham Room 114 School of Chemical Engineering
November 2017						
9 th November 2017						REC 10-12 Aston
14 th November 2017						ERA Skills 1030-1230 BGS
28 th November 2017						ERA Ops Board Aston University EBRI Seminar Room
December 2017						
4 th December 2017						MI EMG/ERA Loughborough
6 th December 2017						ERA Comms Leicester 11-1
11 th December 2017						MI Comms Warwick 1330-1530