**Bradford Science Festival 2019**

**July 18th- 21st 2019**

The Bradford Science Festival is all about engaging families and young people with the science that is everywhere in exciting and inspiring ways and using the City of Bradford and Bradford people as inspiration for Finding the Surprising Science in the City!

We will be turning familiar venues and attractions into an Interactive Science wonderland.

**We will deliver a Science Festival packed with fun and engaging science learning experiences that are accessible and open to all.**

**Contributor Proposal Form**

The National Science and Media Museum invites visitors to come out and play, create and experiment with science at the Bradford Science Festival 2019. A science festival designed to WOW families and young adults with exciting events, experiences and experiments.   It’s all taking place in Bradford’s stunning City Park, in the Science and Media Museum plus other accessible but familiar venues in the City Centre.

**We welcome proposals for the Festival which:**

* Are bold, surprising and ambitious
* Connect Bradford Families and young people with the latest in scientific research and promote participation and enjoyment
* Inspire our visitors to explore and be playful with science, making science relevant to them
* Demonstrate high quality in their production and delivery
* Promote originality in the development of the project, the format of the event and the use of new venues in Bradford
* Promote best practice of physical and intellectual accessibility
* Involve new audiences not traditionally engaged with science
* Develop new partnerships

"The important thing is not to stop questioning. Curiosity has its own reason for existing."

Albert Einstein

**Contact Details**

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| **Name** |  |
| **Organisation(s)** |  |
| **Telephone** |  |
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| **Website (optional)** |  |

**Event Proposal**

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| **Name of event/project** |  |
| **Potential date(s)**  **Please tick as appropriate** | * Launch event 18th July 2019; 18:00- 21:30 Aimed at adults * Saturday 20th July 2019; 10:00 -17:00 Aimed at families * Sunday 21st July 2019; 10:00 - 17:00 Aimed at families |
| **Potential time(s) if a mixture of activities please add details in additional information** | * All day * Scheduled shows/activities   Please state how many each day \_\_\_\_\_  Please state how long each show is \_\_\_\_\_  Additional information |
| **Preferred audience** | * Adults * Families * Children |
| **Type of event**  **(Please tick all that apply)** | * Show * Experience/immersive event * Workshop/making event * Hands on experiments * Other   Please specify \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Please describe your activity/proposal in no more than 50 words.** |  |
| **Please explain in no more than 500 words how your proposal meets the programme criteria for Bradford Science Festival 2019 including**  **what is the main STEM focus of your proposal?** |  |

**Venue**

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| **Do you have a preference for where your activity could be delivered?**  **At this stage this is just a preference which will be taken into account during planning. If you have no preference, please do not complete this section.** | **National Science and Media Museum**  Make Space  Wonderlab  Wonderlab: Studio  Level One: Landing  Level One: Picnic  Foyer  Café  Kodak |
| **Pictureville / Cubby Broccoli Cinema** |
| **City Park**  Water lab  Bradlab  Chemistry Zone  Space Zone  Centenary Square |
| **Broadway** |

**Funding**

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| **What is the estimated cost of delivering your activity?** |  |
| **How will this be funded?** |  |

**Quality / Documentation**

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| If your application is to present an existing work or event, please supply:   * Up to 10 high res images * Film and video on a showreel (max duration 5 mins). Showreels should preferably be uploaded to YouTube or Vimeo. * Audio work (max duration 5 minutes) can be uploaded to Soundcloud   Please send a direct link to your media to [Bradfordsciencefestival@scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk](mailto:Bradfordsciencefestival@scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk)  **Please clearly mark your name and work on the documentation submitted.**  If your application is at concept stage, please supply documentation showing previous work through the same methods outlined above.  **Additional Information**  Should you wish to supply any additional information please send this via email along with this document.  If you have successfully delivered your proposed activity at our festival previously there is no need to send examples of the content. |

**Please tick to confirm you have read the accompanying event organisers information.**

Kindly return all forms to [Bradfordsciencefestival@scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk](mailto:Bradfordsciencefestival@scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk) by the 28th February 2019 Thank you for your proposal.

**Community Contributor Process**

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| 21-25 January 2019 | Community Contributor proposal form goes live |
| 28 January – 27 February 2019 | Festival team available to speak to /email potential contributors and answer questions to offer guidance and support |
| 28 February 2019 | Deadline for Community Contributor proposals submitted |
| 4 – 15 March 2019 | Shortlisting Community Contributor proposals |
| 18 – 22 March 2019 | Emails with contractor packs issued to successful proposals |
| 18 -22nd March 2019 | Unsuccessful contributors will be informed by email |
| 25 – 29 March 2019 | Feedback for none successful proposals available |
| 26 March 2019 | Festival Programme confirmed |

**Additional dates will be issued to successful contributors which outline the dates for submission of contractor forms and the option of attending a training and networking event.**