

## **E&PDE Conference**

**Loughborough University, Loughborough Design School**

**3 – 4 September 2015**

### **EARLY REGISTRATION RECEPTION**

**Wednesday, 2 September**

This year's conference will begin with a Reception for delegates in the Design School 18.00-20.00.

Delegates will be able to register in advance and enjoy some refreshments and networking in the award winning building that is the venue for this year's Conference.

In addition to being given the opportunity to complete your registration, you will be given the opportunity to learn more about IED, a co-host of the Conference. Caroline Simcock, Dyson and IED member will give a short presentation about IED - who they are, what they do and how they help Engineering Designers to attain professional qualifications. Caroline will give a short talk about IED's new professional qualification - Chartered Technical Product Designer (CTPD) level which will be available to all Product Designers from July 2015. Libby Meyrick, Chief Executive at IED, will be at hand to speak with delegates interested in gaining the qualification.

Delegates will also have the opportunity to take a conducted tour of the building and join in fun activities such as Scalextrix (slot car) racing.

### **CONFERENCE DINNER**

**National Space centre, Leicester**

**Thursday, 4 September**

**18.30 - coaches will leave the Design School**

Delegates will be collected from Loughborough Design School and taken by coach to The National Space Centre in Leicester for an interesting evening.

There will be pre-dinner drinks in the 42m Rocket Tower followed by a presentation in the Patrick Moore Planetarium where you will be taken to the edge of the Universe and back again by one of the Centre's multimedia animated shows. Delegates will then take their seats for a sumptuous meal in the main exhibit area of the Centre (The Hub).

The delegates will have every opportunity to explore all the exhibits and interactive areas in the Hub before being returned to Loughborough. Arrangements for the return will include an early and late coach.



Rocket Tower

*Let's fly to the universe and back together in September!*

*Make a note of the date!....*

***We look forward to seeing you.***