Loncon 3, the 72nd World Science Fiction Convention
14-18 August 2014 at ExCeL, London Docklands

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Loncon 3 rates to rise on 1 March; payment instalment plan closes

LONDON, UK. 18 February 2014: On 1 March 2014, membership rates to join Loncon 3, the 2014 World Science Fiction Convention, will rise as follows:

- Full Adult Attending membership rates increase from £115 ($185, €145) to £125 (US$205, €160).
- Family membership rates, for two adults and two or more children, increase from £260 ($430, €330) to £280 ($470, €360).

Only a little time is left to buy a membership, or to upgrade from a Supporting to an Adult Attending membership, at the current prices.

As part of the convention's policy to encourage families and children to attend Loncon 3, the following Attending membership rates, are unchanged (ages based on the person's age as of 14 August 2014):

- Infants (0-5 years old) at £2 (US$3, €3)
- Children (6-15 years old) at £30 (US$50, €40)
- Young Adults (16-25 years old) at £65 (US$110, €85).

The rate for a Supporting membership is also unchanged at £25 (US$40, €35).

These rates are good to 14 July 2014, when all rates will increase to our at the door prices.

Also note that the payment instalment plan to help fans to spread the cost of their membership to Loncon 3 will close to new participants on 1 March 2014.

Loncon 3 is expected to attract more than 7,000 fans at London's ExCeL centre including hundreds of writers, editors, artists, and other professionals from across the genre. The convention celebrates science fiction and fantasy in all its forms and, in particular, the work of Guests of Honour Iain M Banks, John Clute, Chris Foss, Malcolm Edwards, Jeanne Gomoll, Robin Hobb, and Bryan Talbot.

Full details of how to become a member of Loncon 3 are available at http://www.loncon3.org/memberships/

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For more information, please contact media@loncon3.org

ABOUT THE WORLD SCIENCE FICTION CONVENTION
Founded in 1939, the World Science Fiction Convention is one of the largest international gatherings of authors, artists, editors, publishers, and fans of science fiction and fantasy. The annual Hugo Awards, the leading award for excellence in the fields of science fiction and fantasy, are voted on by Worldcon membership and presented during the convention.

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Hi there,

Thank you again for your support of Loncon 3, the 72nd World Science Fiction Convention. We do hope that we will see you at the ExCeL Convention Centre in London's Docklands from Thursday 14th to Monday 18th August 2014, to celebrate science fiction and in particular the work of our Guests of Honour, Iain M Banks, John Clute, Chris Foss, Malcolm Edwards, Jeanne Gomoll, Robin Hobb and Bryan Talbot.

Please check our website – http://www.loncon3.org – to see the latest list of well-known writers, artists and others from within the science fiction community who will be attending. It’s quite an array!

We wanted to let you know that the rates for full Adult Attending membership and Family membership of Loncon 3 will increase as of 1 March.

As a Friend of the London in 2014 bid, you still have a £45 discount for an Adult Attending membership. But there is only a little time to upgrade from your current Friend status to a full Attending membership at the present rate of £45, before that increases to £55.

To upgrade, simply go to http://www.loncon3.org/memberships/membership_upgrade.php and fill in your details.

So, upgrade soon – and we will see you in August!

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We wanted to remind you that as a Young Adult Friend of the London in 2014 bid, you still have a £15 discount for a Young Adult Attending membership. It will cost you only £25 to upgrade and be able to attend the convention.

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