

ICCM Learning Convention and Exhibition 2023

Monday 18th – Wednesday 20th September

Chesford Grange Hotel, Chesford Bridge, Kenilworth, CV8 2LD

Programme

Monday 18th September

- 11.00 Delegate registration opens
- 11.15 Exhibition opens
- 12.30 Lunch in the exhibition
- 13.30 Opening of Convention by ICCM President Heather White
President's Address
- 13.45 ICCM AGM
- 14.00 ICCM – The Future
Martin Birch and Julie Dunk
ICCM
- 14.30 And I Would Walk 500 Miles
Dave Jennings and Barry Ellis
Association of Greater Manchester Authorities (AGMA) Bereavement Services, Andys Man Club and Once Upon a Smile charities
- 15.00 Refreshments in the Exhibition
- 15.30 WORKSHOP: Increasing sales without looking like you're selling
Carole Henderson and Ian Henderson
Flourishh by 2H Ltd
- 17.00 Opportunity to visit the exhibition
- 19.30 Dinner and Quiz

Tuesday 19th September

- 09.30 Trends in Crematorium Design
Mark Doohan
Benchmark Architects
- 10.00 Always Look On The Bright Side of Life – the Use of Music in Contemporary Funerals
Vick Bain
vbain consulting
- 10.30 Refreshments in the Exhibition
- 11.00 I Can See Queerly: get confident with LGBTQIA+ inclusion

Cath Brew

Drawn to a Story

11.45 Compassionate Bereavement City

Alan Sheldon

Liverpool City Council

12.30 Lunch in the Exhibition

13.30 WORKSHOP: Luck runs out, but safety is good for life. Let's think inside the box

Peter Smith and Richard Smith

Teleshore Group and Memsafe Ltd

14.30 Cemetery of the Year Awards – Presentation of Awards by Memorial Awareness Board

15.00 Refreshments in the Exhibition

Opportunity to visit the Exhibition

18.30 Wine reception

19.00 ICCM Awards

Dinner and Disco

00.30 Evening ends

Wednesday 20th September – Green Wednesday

09.30 50 Shades of Green

Ben Whitworth

The Mazwell Group Ltd

10.00 Why Won't My Roses Grow?

Simon Holden

Faunus Group Ltd

10.30 Refreshments in the Exhibition

11.15 How Can the Funeral Industry Achieve Net Zero

Jo Little

Planet Mark

11.45 Sustainable Sympathy Tributes

Dee Watkins

Seed2Design (paper delivered by Judith Dandy)

12.15 Cremator Technology: the Future

Justin Smith

The CDS Group

12.45 Close of Convention 2023

13.00 Final lunch

Please note that the programme may be subject to changes beyond the control of the event organisers.