

British Diary

Wednesday, September 2

132nd Annual Meeting (eight days) British Association for the Advancement of Science, at Durham.

Man/Computer Interaction (three-day conference) Institution of Electrical Engineers, and the Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers, at the National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, Middlesex.

Sunday, September 6

RF Electrical Measurement Practice (thirteen-day vacation school) Institution of Electrical Engineers, and the Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers, at the University of Kent, Canterbury.

Monday, September 7

Basic Concepts in Modern Control Theory (five-day vacation school) Institution of Electrical Engineers, at the University of Birmingham.

Control Mechanisms of Growth and Differentiation (five-day symposium) Society for Experimental Biology, in conjunction with the Society for Developmental Biology, at Eliot College, University of Kent, Canterbury, and Wye College (University of London), Wye, Ashford, Kent.

Computational Physics (three-day conference) Institute of Physics and the Physical Society, at Imperial College, London SW7.

Third International Broadcasting Convention (five days) Institution of Electrical Engineers, and the Institution of Electronic and Radio Engineers, at Grosvenor House, London W1.

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