



The Jeremiah Horrocks Autumn Lecture

# **Will We Ever Talk To Aliens?**

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**Foster Lecture Theatre 2**

**University of Central Lancashire**

## **FREE EVENT**

The search for extra-terrestrial life is accompanied by enormous optimism, including the idea that we will one day, with sufficient technology, communicate with other intelligences. However, will we ever talk to aliens or are we forever destined to detect only microbes beyond the Earth? Even if we want to, will we ever visit other stars?

Charles Cockell is Professor of Astrobiology at the University of Edinburgh and the Director of the UK Centre for Astrobiology. He received his PhD in molecular biophysics at the University of Oxford and worked for four years at the NASA Ames Research Centre.

**Join us for this informative and engaging talk to find out more.**

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