



JOIN US IN THIS EXCITING EVENT

The **London Mathematical Society** will open its 150th Anniversary Celebrations with a Launch event entitled *Mathematics: Unlocking Worlds*, at The Goldsmiths' Hall, London on the afternoon of Friday 16th January 2015. The event will illustrate that mathematics is for everyone and everybody uses it whether consciously it or not.

The Launch will showcase the exciting ways in which mathematics touches so many parts of our daily lives and will be given by mathematicians at the cutting-edge of mathematics research. Whether it is inventing the XBox KINECT motion sensor, or linking signals to masts that make mobile phones work, or even making of TV classics such as Dr Who and Sherlock and blockbuster films such as Harry Potter and the Life of Pi, mathematics is always at the heart of our lives. More information about the day can be found at the **LMS Unlocking Worlds** web page.

The Society is keen to encourage as many people as possible to take part and the event will be **live-streamed** and all the talks will be posted on our website so they can be viewed after the event and can be accessed via the webpage which goes live nearer the time. There will also be an opportunity to get involved in a number of activities following the event, including a Q&A session with some of the speakers and some great competitions.

The event is suitable for a wide audience from secondary school and college students and the wider academic community, to anyone curious about mathematics; talks will be at a similar level to the Royal Institution Christmas Lectures so there should be something for everyone.

Please encourage other schools and anyone you think might have an interest in mathematics to join the online conversation on Twitter at @LondMathSoc.