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The United Kingdom Crowd Management Association's Inaugural Conference

12th & 13th March 2024







DAY ONE

Tuesday 12th March 2024

12:00-13:00 Registration and Coffee

13:00 Welcome to Tees Valley

13:10 Keynote Address: The Wembley 2020 Disorder: What Have We Learnt and What Did We Miss – Baroness Casey

Baroness Casey was asked to carry out an independent review of events surrounding the UEFA Euro 2020 Final 'Euro Sunday' at Wembley. We are delighted that she has agreed to address the UKCMA conference regarding the findings and missed opportunities.

14:00 Changing Crowd Behaviours

Our panel will explore the deterioration of crowd behaviour since COVID and will explore factors such as the use of social media to direct mass disorder.

15:00 Tea Break

15:30 New Guidance for Small Venues

Following on from the tragedy at Brixton Academy, what has been learnt, and what advice can the industry share with venue owners and those programming them.

16:30 Drinks Reception and Networking

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DAY TWO

Wednesday 13th March 2024

- 09:30-10:00 Registration and Coffee
- 10:00 Welcome to Day Two
- 10:15 Keynote Address: The Challenges of Policing Events and Festivals Laurence Taylor, Deputy Assistant Commissioner (DACSO), Metropolitan Police
- 11:00 The Ex-Factor: Who Owns the Grey Space?
- 12:00 Lunch
- 12:50 New Legislation: Changes in the Law after the Manchester Arena Inquiry

BREAKOUT SESSIONS:

- 14:15 Working with SAGs
- 14:15 How to Effectively Use the Purple Guide
- 14:15 Crowd Movement At Large Festivals
- 15:15 Whatever the Weather: Changing Weather Patterns and Weather Cancellations
- 15:15 The Night-Time Economy: The Future for Music and Small Venues
- 15:15 Building the Right Team: Procurement vs Experience