



# LEADERSHIP DAY

HOTEL VOCO, MANCHESTER

## AGENDA

# 04.11.24

MANCHESTERTECHFESTIVAL.CO.UK



# AGENDA AM

08:30 AM - 09:10 AM

Arrival & Registration

09:10 AM - 09:15 AM

Take Seats in Main Hall

09:15 AM - 09:30 AM

Welcome & Opening Remarks  
Main Stage



Amy Newton  
Manchester Tech Festival Founder

09:30 AM - 10:00 AM

The Remote Dilemma  
Main Stage



Rob Sandbach  
Indiespring

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Organisations starve on a diet of low-hanging fruit  
Main Stage



David Cox  
Equal Experts

10:30 AM - 10:50 AM

Coffee and Networking

10:50 AM - 11:00 AM

Welcome Back Remarks  
Main Stage



11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

WTF is a Product Strategy anyway?  
Main Stage



Holly Donohue  
Product Rebel

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Music industry to tech: A mixtape of leadership lessons  
Main Stage



Amul Batra  
Northcoders Group PLC

12:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Rise Up!  
Main Stage



Roman Dibden  
Rise Up



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## PM

12:15 AM - 01:15 PM

### Lunch

Concourse

01:15 PM - 01:30 PM

### Welcome Back Remarks

Main Stage



01:30 PM - 02:30 PM

### What even is a CTO?

Main Stage



**Kanika Selvan**  
Beetroot Consulting



**David Crawford**  
C-Level Tech Leader & NED

02:30 PM - 03:00 PM

### Deepening Empathy for deeper human connection

Main Stage



**Gem Hill**  
Selfcare Backpack

03:00 PM - 03:15 PM

### Coffee and Networking

Grab a coffee and network in our breakout area

03:15 PM - 03:30 PM

### The Manchester 80 Campaign

Main Stage



**Amy Newton**  
Manchester Tech Festival Founder

03:30 PM - 04:00 PM

### Against All Odds

Main Stage



**John Green**  
CD Law Solicitors

04:00 PM - 04:10 PM

### Lightening Talks

Take to the MTF Stage and have your 99 seconds of fame

04:10 PM - 04:15 PM

### Closing Remarks

Main Stage

04:15 PM - ONWARDS

### Exclusive Drinks Reception

Hotel Voco