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TIMINGS	SESSION DETAILS
10:15 - 10:55 40mins	<b>MASTERCLASS: BBC Verify 'Filter the Fakes'</b> In a time when trusted news and navigating an overwhelming amount of information is more challenging than ever, the BBC Verify's masterclass aims to enhance your news literacy and critical thinking skills. The aim is to encourage you to start thinking more critically about what you read, watch and hear online and on social media, and to consider the source of this information and whether to believe it or share it.
11:45 - 12:30 45mins	<b>INTERACTIVE VIRTUAL WORKSHOP: You're the Producer- Stopping a Viral Misinformation Storm</b> Take on the role of a BBC Verify producer as you investigate a viral rumour. Discover how journalists verify breaking news, spot AI-altered audio, and make responsible publishing decisions in a fast-moving digital world.
13:20 -14:00 40mins	<b>MEDIA CAREERS PANEL: Insights into working in the creative industry</b> Curious about what it's really like to work in news and media? This session pulls back the curtain on BBC Verify, BBC News, and the wider creative industry-including exciting opportunities like BBC apprenticeships. You'll hear directly from a panel of industry pros as they share their career journeys, behind-the-scenes stories, and practical tips to help you kick-start your own path in media.
14:10 - 14:50 40mins	<b>PRODUCTION Q&amp;A: TV formats: Shortform and Social Content with RuPaul's Drag Race UK</b> Step into the world of television formats with this insightful masterclass focusing on BBC hit RuPaul's Drag Race UK from the perspective of Shortform and Social Content. You'll meet and hear from the BBC Three team who make attention grabbing shortform content for Drag Race UK audiences, on screens large and small.

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