

SCTE

80TH ANNUAL GALA DINNER & AWARDS 2025



TICKETS, TABLES AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



SATURDAY 21 JUNE 2025

BLACK TIE | MUSIC AND DANCING

HIS MAJESTY'S ROYAL PALACE AND FORTRESS THE TOWER OF LONDON



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2025 heralds the Society's 80th anniversary and we will certainly be celebrating this epic achievement in style! So, to commemorate this, our very special year, we have really pushed the boat out - yet again - and booked a return visit to the Tower of London for this milestone in the SCTE's history.

Programme for the Evening

During the evening, we will have exclusive use of the Tower of London and the packed schedule will kick off with a 'walk and talk' Tour conducted by Yeoman Warders (otherwise fondly known as "Beefeaters") who will escort guests through the Tower grounds telling anecdotes along the way.

Guests will then have a private viewing of the Jewel House where you will be able to see the priceless treasures in the Royal Collection including the spectacular Crown Jewels – the most powerful symbols of the British Monarchy today. At the heart of the Tower of London is the White Tower – the oldest part of the Tower and one of the most important historic buildings in the world – it was built to awe, subdue and terrify Londoners and to deter foreign invaders. Here, guests will be able to view the Royal Armouries Collections and explore the Norman architecture during the Champagne Reception, a fabulous start to the evening I'm sure you will agree!

A sumptuous banquet with wine and liqueurs then follows in the New Armouries with entertainment, a souvenir gift for every attendee and the presentation of the Society Awards. The evening continues with an after-party at the adjacent Doubletree by Hilton Tower of London Hotel with a midnight buffet, fun casino and dancing until 1.00 am. Wow, wow and wow I hear you say and you'd be absolutely right – this is certainly an SCTE Dinner not to miss!

The Tower of London – a splendid example of a castle, fortress, prison, palace and finally museum - is indeed a totally unique venue so, please join us for what will undoubtedly be another spectacular and truly memorable evening.

Ticket Prices

Bookings for tickets from individual members can be made immediately along with table bookings and sponsorship opportunities from Corporate Members and sponsoring companies. The 2015 SCTE Dinner at the Tower was a sell-out almost before it was advertised and we expect a similar response for this very special Dinner for our 80th anniversary, so in order to avoid disappointment, you are encouraged to book promptly.

Tickets are again highly subsidised by the SCTE as a benefit of membership and are available as follows:-

- Corporate Members can book tables for **£2,000 plus VAT** (Note: Tables are round seating a maximum of 10 guests).
- Individual SCTE Members can book tickets at **£120 (inc VAT)** per person (maximum 2 tickets per member).
- Individual non-SCTE Members can book a limited number of tickets at **£250 (inc VAT)** per person.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Sponsorship opportunities for the SCTE's 2025 Gala Awards Dinner will include:

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| ■ Dinner Wine £1,750 | ■ Flowers on tables £750 |
| ■ Champagne Reception SOLD | ■ Fun casino £750 |
| ■ After Party (music and midnight buffet) £1,500 | ■ Photography SOLD |
| ■ Gifts for attendees £1,200 | ■ Chocolate gifts £500 |
| ■ Jewel House Private Viewing £1,000 | ■ Brandies and Liqueurs £500 |
| ■ Yeoman Warders "Walk and Talk Tour" £750 | ■ Menus SOLD |
| ■ Reception Entertainers £750 | ■ Place Cards SOLD |

These sponsorships help greatly towards the costs of the above items and also assist the Society in keeping ticket prices to a reasonable level. All sponsors will be acknowledged on the menu cards, during the dinner speeches, in reports on the SCTE website and in our "Broadband" journal.

Contact Details

If you would like to book any Dinner tickets or to reserve any of the sponsorship opportunities detailed above, please contact the SCTE Secretary, Beverley Walker, on Tel: **+44 (0) 1923 815500** or by email on **bev@theSCTE.eu** without delay.