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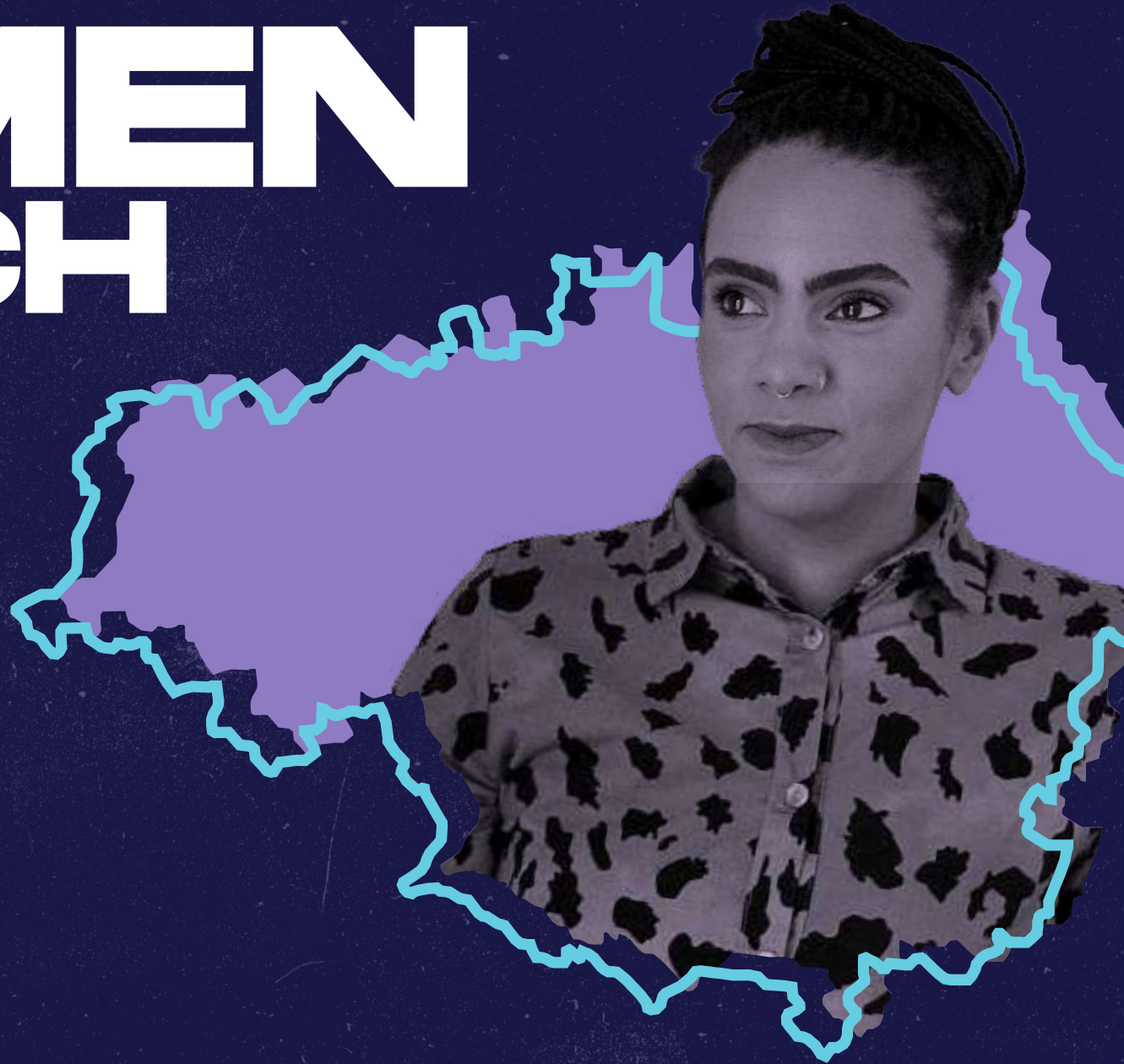
# WOMEN IN TECH

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## AGENDA

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8:30 AM - 09:10 AM

### Arrival & Registration

Friends Meeting House, Manchester

09:15 AM - 9:30 AM

### Introduction & Opening Remarks

Main Stage



**Lord Mayor**  
Councillor Yasmine Dar



**Lauren Gibson**  
Women in Tech [Unfiltered]

9:30 AM - 10:00AM

### Pet to Threat

Main Stage



**Kanika Selvan**  
Beetroot Consulting

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

### The Silent Struggle

Main Stage



**Toni Phoenix-Coles**  
Define Talent

### Climbing the Tech Ladder

Room G3



**Becki Howarth**  
KrakenFlex

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

### Coffee, Networking & Tech Expo

Grab a coffee in the concourse, network in the breakout room or visit the Tech Expo

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

### Allies & Mentors

Main Stage

11:30 AM - 12:15 PM

### Fireside Chat: Fighting the System

Main Stage



**Vernon Richards**  
Ada Health



**Sobia Iqbal**  
The Big Life Group



**Kanika Selvan**  
Beetroot Consulting

### Want Funding as a Woman Founder?

Room G3



**Ayan Mohamed**  
Digitech Oasis

12:15 PM - 1:10 PM

### Lunch

Served in the concourse



1:10 PM - 1:15 PM

**Return to main stage**  
Main Stage

1:15PM - 2:00 PM

**Fireside Chat & Q&A: Leading Whilst Menopausal**  
Main Stage



**Janet Coulthurst**  
6Point6 | Part of Accenture



**Clare Sudbery**  
Subery Software Engineering

**How to ensure you become a Badass Freelancer**  
Room G3



**Roxana Lawton**  
In4 Group

2:00 PM - 2:30 PM

**Growing and Losing a Pair**  
Main Stage



**Ruth Mills**  
Naimuri

2:30 PM - 2:45 PM

**Coffee, Networking & Tech Expo**  
Grab a coffee in the concourse

2:45 PM - 3:15 PM

**Team Member to Manager: A Career Change**  
Main Stage



**Princess Mavuru**  
Capgemini

3:15 PM - 3:45 PM

**Keeping the Balls in your Court**  
Main Stage



**Jennifer Dootson**  
Lightbulb Moments

**Where are all the Black Women in Tech?**  
Room G3



**Kanika Selvan**  
Beetroot Consulting



**Sherelle Fairweather**  
Manchester City Council

3:45 PM - 4:00 PM

**Coffee, Networking & Tech Expo**  
Main Stage



**Emma Grant**  
Manchester Digital

4:00 PM - 4:30PM

**“Manchester Tech Festival will fail. And when it does, it will be career ending for you”**  
Main Stage



**Amy Newton**  
Manchester Tech Festival

4:30 PM - 4:45 PM

**99 Second Talks - Women Led Businesses**  
Main Stage

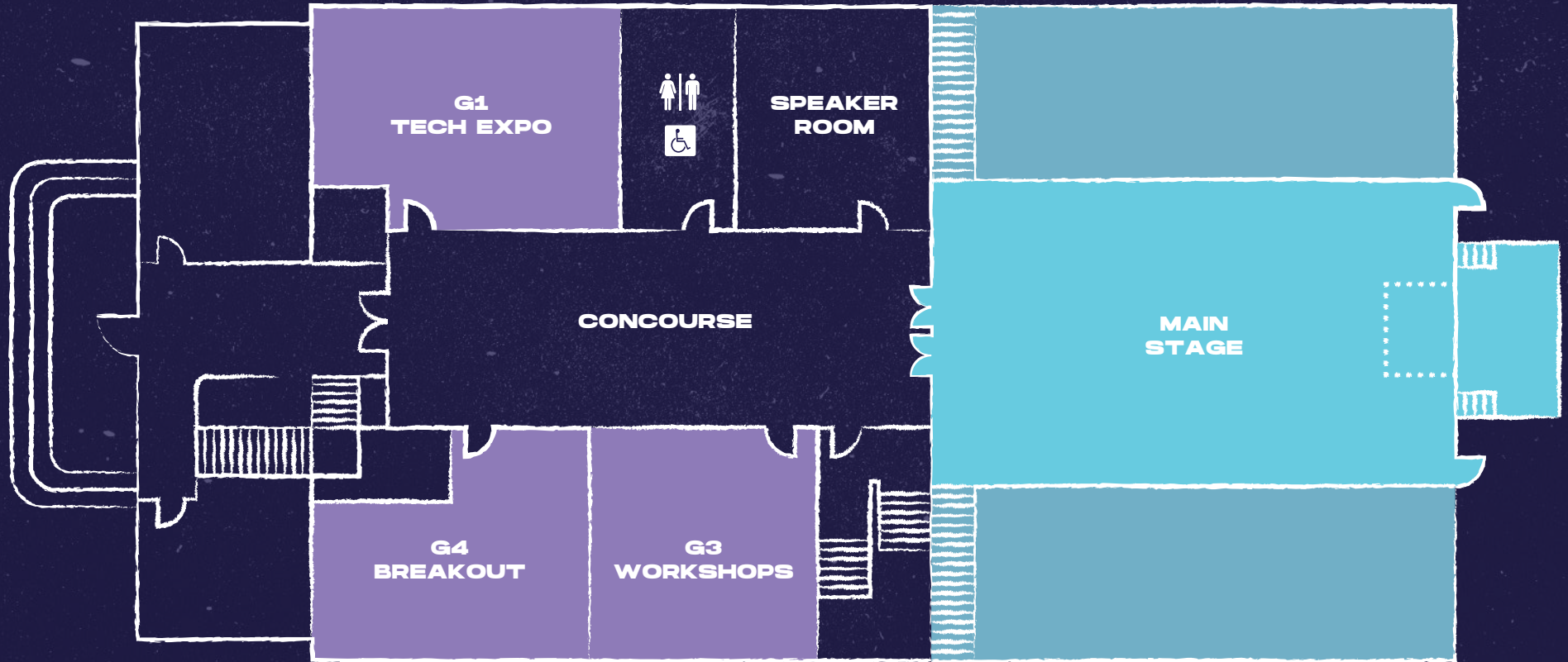
4:45 PM - 5:00 PM

**Wrap up and Close**  
Join us at DiSH MCR for our After Party!



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## VENUE MAP



### PATRONS



### SPONSORS

