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FRIDAY 5 - SUNDAY 7 DECEMBER 2014
A three-day journey into Sci-Fi with
film screenings, events & discussions

**METROPOLIS 2001 (aka OSAMU TEZUKA'S METROPOLIS) (PG)
+ INTRODUCTION**

Saturday 6 December 6.30pm Free screening in the Sci-Fi Salon (The Lounge)

Official Trailer http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0293416/?ref_=nv_sr_2

Director: Rintaro **Voice Cast:** Toshio Furukawa, Scott Weinger, Yuka Imoto **Origin:** Japan, 2001 **Duration:** 105 mins

Leora Hadas, PhD Research Student in Film and Television Studies, Department of Culture, Film and Media, University of Nottingham will introduce this screening.

Based on the famous manga by Osamu Tezuka, *Metropolis 2001* is an anime reinterpretation of Fritz Lang's classic film. Set in the near future, Metropolis is a city-state where humans and robots exist in a strictly segregated and discordant society. Detective Shinsaku Ban and his nephew Kenichi search for rebel scientist Dr Laughton and his latest creation, the beautiful Tima, who may hold the key to city's future harmony. With stunning visuals (especially the intricately crafted cityscapes) this futuristic parable also has echoes of Stanley Kubrick's enigmatic outlook, and Ridley Scott's *Blade Runner*.

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