

Eaquals Members Meeting
Participants' Information Pack



Eaquals Training for Excellence
23-24 November 2018, Edinburgh

On-site Registration	Conference Venues
You will need to register at the Eaquals registration desk Friday morning at the Royal Society of Edinburgh . You will receive your conference pack with the printed conference programme and your name badge. Please wear it throughout the event.	Royal Society of Edinburgh 22-26 George St, Edinburgh EH2 2PQ British Study Centres Edinburgh 62-66 George St, Edinburgh EH2 2LR
Registration Desk	Contact: info@eaquals.org
For any queries during the event the Eaquals staff at the registration desk will be there to help you.	Mobile: +36703160016 (Anna Andor)
Programme Overview	
Friday 23rd November	Saturday 24th November
Click here to download the event programme via the website	

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Social Events	Local Information
(Pre-booking required for each event/activity)	Time zone: GMT
22nd November Dinner at Brown's , Edinburgh	Weather: At this time of year, the average temperature for Edinburgh is a fresh 6°C, created by highs of 9°C during the daytime and lows of 3°C on an evening. Be prepared for precipitation and a bracing Scottish breeze!
23rd November Dinner at The Principal Hotel , Edinburgh	Electricity: 230 volts /- 10%. The three-pin rectangular plug system is used. Adapters are very easy to find.
24th November Dinner at Voodoo Rooms , Edinburgh	Money: GBP (£). Scottish and British notes accepted. Credit cards are widely accepted.
Please remember to highlight special dietary requirements on your registration form.	Smoking: is prohibited in public places.

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Your Trip to Edinburgh

Getting to George Street from Edinburgh International Airport

There are several [bus routes](#) servicing the city centre from Edinburgh Airport. You can take the Airlink 100 from Stand D at the airport. The bus runs every 10 minutes and takes approximately 30 minutes to reach Edinburgh Waverley Bridge, the central train station. Single GBP4.50, Return GBP7.50.

Taxis are readily available at EDI, the journey time to the city centre is approximately 25 minutes and costs around GBP20.

Useful Links

Tourism information:

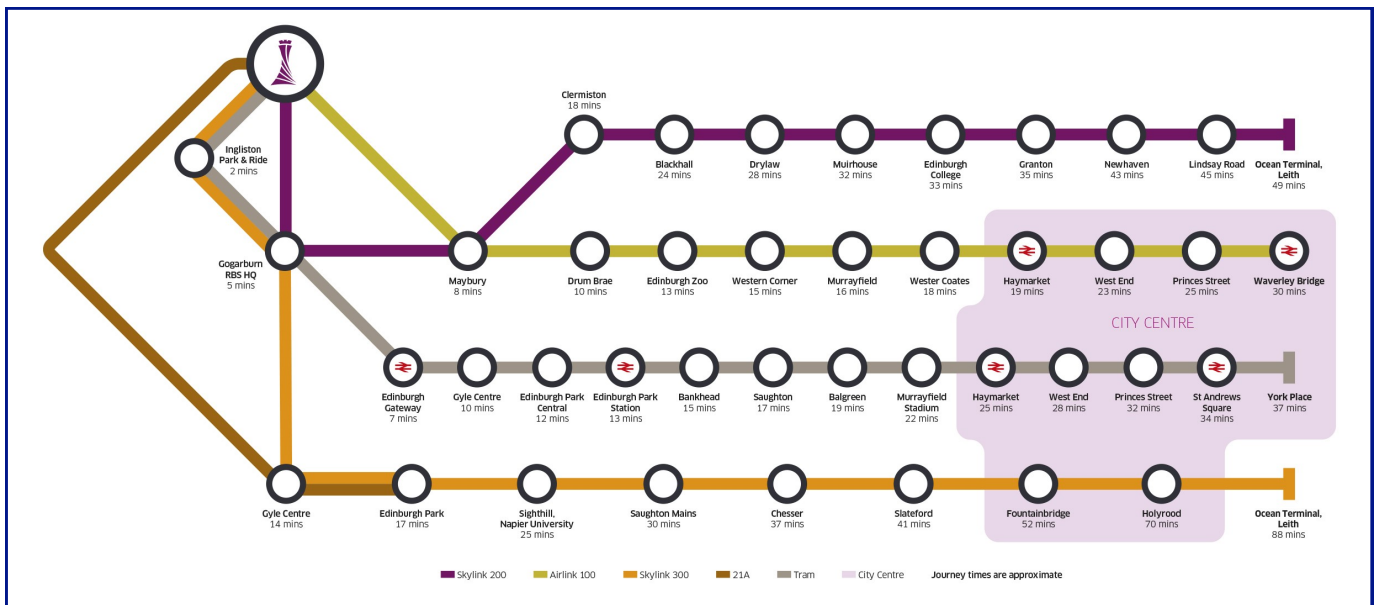
www.edinburgh.org

Public transportation:

www.transportforedinburgh.com

Museums & galleries:

www.edinburghmuseums.org.uk



Bus Routes from Edinburgh International Airport



Eaquals Locations in Edinburgh



Key:

1	The Royal Society of Edinburgh
2	British Study Centres,
3	Browns, 131-133 George St, Edinburgh
4	The Principal Hotel, 19-21 George Street, Edinburgh
5	Voodoo Rooms, 19a West Register Street, Edinburgh
6	Walking Tour meeting point

Visiting Edinburgh:

A bustling and vibrant city, steeped in history.



Top Edinburgh Attractions (taken from www.edinburgh.org)

1. Edinburgh Castle

Situated at the top of the Royal Mile on top of Castle Rock, Edinburgh Castle is the number one visitor attraction in Scotland and the most iconic building in the city.

Perched on top of an extinct volcano, the Castle and its Esplanade offers unparalleled views of Edinburgh. Once inside you can explore some of the oldest and most important buildings of the city, including St Margaret's Chapel, The National War Memorial and the Half Moon Battery. The regal Crown Square is a real highlight, where you will find the magnificent Grand Hall and Scotland's Crown Jewels - including the famous Stone of Destiny.

2. The Real Mary King's Close

The Real Mary King's Close is buried deep beneath Edinburgh's Royal Mile. The city's deepest secret; a warren of hidden streets that has remained frozen in time since the 17th Century.

For years, the hidden Closes of Old Town Edinburgh have been shrouded in myths and mysteries, with blood curdling tales of ghosts and murders, and of plague victims being walled up and left to die.

Come and hear these enthralling stories on a tour of Mary King's Close, found tucked away just off the Royal Mile. The guides will give you a fascinating insight and tell some of the more fascinating tales woven into this hidden part of the city...

3. National Museum of Scotland

Discover the delights of the natural world, explore world cultures and enthuse at treasures from around the world. Featuring a diverse range of art and design exhibits, interactive displays and games, a visit to the National Museum of Scotland will appeal to all ages.

The huge variety of galleries and exhibitions in this grand and visually stunning building means that you could quite easily spend an entire day here.

4. Palace of Holyroodhouse

The Palace of Holyroodhouse is The Queen's official residence in Scotland. Every year, around the end of June, The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh stay here and participate in official engagements in the city and beyond.

Various areas of the Palace are open for public viewing, where visitors can trace historical links through time and learn about its legendary former inhabitants. Have a look at the State Apartments, including the Throne Room and the Morning Drawing Room, where The Queen gives private audiences to the likes of the First Minister of Scotland and the Lord High Commissioner.

You can also take a look at Mary, Queen of Scots' Chambers, where she resided after her return from France in 1561, which offers a fascinating insight into how our monarchs lived during that time.

5. The Scotch Whisky Experience

Take a barrel ride as you actually become part of the whisky making process. From the gently swaying fields of barley all the way through the distillery equipment to the steaming and bubbling Pot Still.

Experience for yourself the varying aromas of our regional whiskies and whether you like fruity, sweet or smoky flavours our experts will help you select your perfect dram. Enter the vault containing the world's largest collection of Scotch Whiskies and enjoy a special tutored nosing and tasting of your dram.

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