

Dear workshop participants,

We look forward to welcoming you next week to the FDA research workshop on 10 -12 September 2012 at the Orangery, Goldney Hall.

This email gives you some practical information to assist you in your arrival in Bristol.

TRAVEL

If you are flying to the UK, you will probably be landing at Bristol, London (Heathrow or Gatwick), Birmingham, Cardiff or Manchester.

To get to the city of Bristol from airports:

- from Bristol airport - take the Airport Express bus to Bristol Bus Station, or take a taxi.
- from Heathrow - best to take the National Express bus to Bristol bus station; alternatively take the Heathrow Connect or Heathrow Express (faster, more expensive) train services into London Paddington, then the main line train to Bristol Temple Meads station.
- from Gatwick, Birmingham or Manchester airports: take the main line train to Bristol Temple Meads station.
- from Cardiff airport: take the main line train from Rhose station to Bristol Temple Meads station.

From Bristol Temple Meads train station or Bristol Bus Station, to hotels or the venue: a taxi is probably most convenient, but the First bus services 8 are also convenient for the Clifton (eg Avon Gorge Hotel) the route goes up Park Street to the Triangle, then goes to the west along Queen's Road.

Links for timetables and fares:

Bristol Airport Express:

<http://www.bristolairport.co.uk/getting-to-bia/by-airport-express-link.aspx>

National Express: <http://www.nationalexpress.com/coach/Airport/index.aspx>

Heathrow Connect: <https://www.heathrowconnect.com>

Heathrow Express: <http://www.heathrowexpress.com>

Main line trains: <http://www.nationalrail.co.uk>

Bristol bus service 8: <http://www.firstgroup.com/ukbus/southwest/bristol/timetables/>

VENUE

The workshop location is the Orangery, Goldney Hall and will be equipped with a data projector and projector screen. Please refer to the workshop website for directions to the location <<http://www.sustain.bris.ac.uk/ws-fda/location.html>>.

Daily refreshments and lunch will be provided for all participants, as well as free wifi for the duration of the workshop.

MAPS

Goldney hall (orangery):

http://www.multimap.com/maps/?qs=BS8+1BH&countryCode=GB#map=51.45205,-2.61543|16|4&bd=useful_information&loc=GB:51.45205:-2.61542:16|BS8%201BH|BS8%201BH

REGISTRATION

Registration will take place from 12:15 on Monday 10 September at the Orangery, Goldney Hall. Lunch is provided. <<http://www.sustain.bris.ac.uk/ws-fda/programme.html>>

CONFERENCE DINNER

The conference dinner on Tuesday 11 September has been booked at the Riverstation restaurant <http://www.sustain.bris.ac.uk/ws-fda/dinner.html>. Please confirm your attendance and any dietary requirements.

Information on local restaurants can be found on the workshop website <http://www.sustain.bris.ac.uk/ws-fda/restaurants.html>

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us on fda-organisers@bristol.ac.uk

We wish you a pleasant journey and look forward to meeting you on Monday 10 September.

With best wishes
FDA Organisers