

Important Travel Information:

Due to infrastructure works for the new Aston Student Villages, Aston Street will be closed to through traffic until further notice.

Vehicle access to Aston Business School Conference Centre will only be possible from Woodcock Street during this time; the Lakeside Centre will not be affected as no road access is available to the venue from Aston Street.

Please view the full maps and directions below and follow Woodcock Street ONLY for access to Aston Business School Conference Centre; access to the venue from the James Watt Queensway end of Aston Street will not be possible during these works.

Hotel and event venues

Transport maps and directions



The Greener Way to Meet!

Conference Aston boasts an exceptional location, benefitting from extensive transport links; we would like to promote using public transport when visiting our venues. Mainline stations are indicated on the map below and overleaf and all stations are within walking distance.

If you walk from New Street station, the average person will burn approximately 66 calories! That means you can enjoy a biscuit with your coffee when you arrive and not feel guilty!

Taking the train instead of the car means you reduce your carbon emissions by up to two thirds!

Rail travel

New Street, Snow Hill and Moor Street train stations are all within 20 minutes walk of the venue or a 5 minute taxi journey. Please visit www.thetrainline.com to find appropriate routes into Birmingham.

On foot from the stations

We have provided interactive Google walking maps from the stations, available for download from www.conferenceaston.co.uk

Bus routes

A number of bus services operate to the University campus throughout the day. The map overleaf gives details of all bus services to the venues; for further information, please visit www.travelwm.co.uk/bus where a route planner is available.

Taxi drop off points

All of the venues have taxi drop off points. Be sure to say to your driver that they should go to either Aston Business School Conference Centre or the Lakeside Centre on the Aston University campus.

Satellite navigation devices

The official postcode for the venues is B4 7ET, however on some systems this will not direct you to the right location; ensure you set your system to Aston Street which is where Aston Business School Conference Centre is located and then use the map overleaf to find the local pay and display car parks.

For further information, please visit www.conferenceaston.co.uk

Birmingham city centre road map and directions

BIRMINGHAM CITY CENTRE ROAD SYSTEM

- KEY:**
- Driving Route to Millennium Point Car Park from M6
 - Walking Route to Campus from New Street Station

- 1 New Street Station
- 2 Snow Hill Station
- 3 Moor Street Station
- 4 Fire Station
- 5 Bullring Shopping Centre
- 6 ICC
- 7 Town Hall
- 8 Children's Hospital
- 9 Millennium Point
- 10 Jewellery Quarter
- 11 Car Parking at millennium point
- 12 Reception
- 13 The Mailbox



From M6 North and South

Exit at Junction 6 and follow A38M towards City Centre.

Take lane 2 of the A38M for almost 2 miles and take the 3rd exit off, immediately after the underpass, before the flyover and Aston University will be on your left hand side.

Stay in the left-hand lane alongside the University and at the round-about (with the old Fire Station on the left) take the 1st exit. Follow the map overleaf for local car parks and directions to the appropriate venue.

From M42 East Midlands

From the M42 join the M6 northbound heading towards Birmingham Central. Leave the M6 at junction 6, A38M central and follow the directions from M6 North and South above.

From M5 South-West and City Centre

Leave the M5 at Junction 3 and follow the A456 for about 5 miles towards the City Centre.

As you approach the City, the road broadens to three lanes. Take the outside lane following signs for the ICC and Broad Street. Take the under pass into Broad Street.

Drive all the way along Broad Street and at the roundabout merge right and then stay in the left Lane, take the 2nd exit following the signs for Inner Ring Road, North and M6, Lichfield A38.

Keep in the outside lane and take the underpass (St Chad's Circus Queensway) signed Lichfield A38.

At the end of the underpass, exit left immediately before the flyover.

At the round-about take the 3rd exit off (past the old Fire Station). Follow the map overleaf for local car parks and directions to the appropriate venue.

From M40 Oxford and the South

Take M40 northbound and join the M42 westbound towards the M5. Travel north on the M5, leaving at junction 3 and follow directions from M5 South-West above.

Pay and display car parks are close by; please refer to the map overleaf for details of location and charges.

For guests staying overnight within Aston Business School Conference Centre, a luggage drop off point is available at the main entrance. Please proceed to pay and display car parks thereafter as detailed in the map overleaf.

Conference Aston

- 1 Aston Business School Hotel and Conference Centre
 - 2 Lakeside Centre
 - 3 Aston University Main Building
 - 4 Woodcock Sports Centre
 - 5 Aston University Day Hospital
 - 6 Gem Sports Hall
 - 7 Students' Guild
 - 8 Lakeside Residences
- Millennium Point Car Park
 Faraday Wharf Car Park

Other information

- Cycle parking
- Motorcycle parking
- Cycle & motorcycle parking
- Conference Aston/ Aston University building
- Residential building
- Other building

Car park charges

Millennium Point

Monday to Saturday (all visitors)

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| Up to 1 hour | £1.00 |
| Up to 2 hours | £1.90 |
| Up to 3 hours | £2.80 |
| Up to 4 hours | £3.50 |
| Up to 5 hours | £4.00 |
| Over 5 hours | £4.50 |

Sunday All day (all visitors) £2.80

Night rate 5:30pm to 7:00am £1.00

Faraday Wharf

Faraday Wharf car park is located approximately five minutes walk from campus. The charge is approximately £5 for a full day's parking and less for shorter periods.

Route information

- University area University paths. Shared use
- Signed cycle route
- Bus lane (cyclists can use bus lanes)
- Surfaced routes
- Canal towpath
- Toucan / Pedestrain crossing
- Canal access ramp/steps

Bus services

- Corporation Street: 65, 67, 67A, 104, 104A, 105, 108, 110, 112, 114, 115, 116, 902, 904, 905, 914, 915, X73
- James Watt Queensway: 33, 34A, 51, 52, 52A, 56, 56A, 67, 67A, 107, 115, 116, 158, 852, 904, 934, 951A, 993, 997, 997A, 997B, X51, X56
- Jennens Road: 14A, 54, 55, 56, 66, 66A, 90, 94, X74, Fort Dunlop
- Woodcock Street: 14A, 14B, 56, 66, 66A, 814
- Lancaster Street: 33, 34A, 51, 52, 52A, 56, 56A, 107, 852, 886, 934, 993, 997, X56

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