

October 2010

19 – 22 October 2010, Arena & Convention Centre Liverpool, UK

Joining instructions

**Arena and Convention Centre Liverpool (ACC Liverpool)
Kings Dock
Liverpool Waterfront
Liverpool
L3 4FP**

Contact details during event:

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This year the ISSOTL conference is being organised and hosted by the Oxford Centre for Staff and Learning Development, from Oxford Brookes University. Professor Chris Rust, the Conference Chair, is pleased to be hosting the event and to welcome you to this world-class facility in this vibrant city.

ACC Liverpool is a landmark regeneration project on the Liverpool waterfront, a centrepiece of the European Capital of Culture celebrations in 2008. It sits at the heart of the city on Kings Waterfront, alongside the Grade I listed Albert Dock and adjacent to the World Heritage site at Pier Head. Views along the river are unsurpassed from the upper echelons and there is a wealth of amenities within 15 minutes' walk, including Liverpool One shopping centre, the Cavern Club, hundreds of bars, restaurants and cafés, the famous Mersey Ferry and excellent hotels.

How to get there

By train

From the south...

Virgin Trains operate hourly, direct services from London Euston to Liverpool Lime Street (with a journey time of just over 2 hours). Other long-distance rail services also operate into Liverpool Lime Street station.

ACC Liverpool is a 20-minute walk from Lime Street or a short taxi ride. You can also transfer at Lime Street onto the underground Wirral Line trains to James Street station (10 minute walk) or catch the CityLink Route C4 (7am – 8pm) directly to ACC Liverpool. If travelling from outside Merseyside, you can catch an underground train to James Street station from Lime Street station, inclusive of the cost of your ticket.

Ring Traveline Merseyside 0871 200 22 33 for up to date information about your bus, train or ferry service. The Traveline is open from 0800 - 2000 every day of the week.

By bus

Most Liverpool city centre bound buses will call at either Queen Square bus station (a 15-minute walk) or Liverpool ONE Bus Station, which is only a 5 minute walk to ACC Liverpool.

The CityLink Route C4 bus links Queen Square bus station, James Street rail station and Liverpool ONE Bus Station to ACC Liverpool. CityLink Route C4 operates every 20 minutes on Mondays to Saturdays and every 30 minutes on Sundays, between 0700 – 2000, with a maximum fare of £1 per journey. Merseytravel prepaid tickets, National Concessionary bus passes and Arriva day tickets are all valid on this service.

By plane

Flying into Liverpool John Lennon Airport ...

A taxi from the airport to the city centre will take approximately 20 minutes or the express bus service Route 500 will take approximately 25 minutes, dropping you off within a five minute walk of ACC Liverpool.

By car

For all car journeys it's best to follow the white writing on brown background tourist route signs for the Albert Dock. These signs are visible on the major routes into the city. ACC Liverpool is directly adjacent to the south side of the Albert Dock.

From the North...

Leave the M6 at junction 26 and follow signs for M58 Liverpool. Follow to end of M58 and then take signs for A59 Liverpool. Continue to follow Liverpool City Centre until picking up signs for the Albert Dock. ACC Liverpool's car park is signposted Waterfront on the city wide 'available spaces' signage.

From the South...

Leave the M6 at junction 21A and take the M62 to Liverpool. At the end of the M62 follow signs for Liverpool City Centre along Edge Lane, picking up and following signs for the Albert Dock. ACC Liverpool's car park is signposted Waterfront on the city wide 'available spaces' signage. New car parks have opened in the Liverpool One complex.

Please note that because ACC Liverpool is a new building some satellite navigation devices may not instantly recognise it – this can be rectified by one of the following actions:

- i) Use the postcode L3 4BX, with the following co-ordinates - [LAT:53.396007](#) [LONG:2.99118](#) (all satellite navigation units have this function).
- ii) Enter the city as 'Liverpool' and the road name as 'Queen's Wharf'.

Car Parking

There is a 1,600 space multi-storey car park on site at ACC Liverpool.

Prices for the ACC Liverpool car park are as follows, but on event days prices may vary.

£2 for up to 1 hour

£3 for up to 2 hours

£5 for up to 5 hours

£8 for up to 9 hours

£10 for up to 24 hours

There are 70+ disabled spaces in the multi-storey car park, dispersed on each level.

For full details of all local bus, rail and ferry services call Traveline on 0871 200 22 33 or click on the Mersey Travel link under 'related stuff'.

Map (see attachment)

The conference venue can be found at **02** on the attached city centre map.

The preferred hotels are located at the following no's:

04	Crowne Plaza
06	Express by Holiday Inn
11	Hilton Liverpool
16	Jurys Inn
28	Atlantic Tower by Thistle
21	Premier Inn, Albert Dock
14	Ibis

Accommodation

Unfortunately new reservations for ISSOTL are now closed.

For new reservations only please contact The Mersey Partnership by e-mail conferences@merseyside.org.uk or by telephone on 0151 237 3938.

Rooms can also be booked at www.visitliverpool.com

Amendments to existing reservations and cancellations must be made directly with the accommodation provider concerned. Please telephone the accommodation provider giving your name, name of conference (ISSOTL10) and the date of your arrival.

Wireless activity

Please see the conference staff for access to Wi-Fi Internet access. A login and password is needed to connect to the Internet.

Notes for Presenters

Meeting Rooms

Each meeting room is equipped with a computer, data projector and screen for your use. Please bring your presentation on a memory stick and email a back up to: flsmith@brookes.ac.uk quoting presentation with session ID, room no, lead author name in subject line. Example, "presentation C09 11A parker". If you require any additional equipment, please let Fiona Smith, the Program Chair know by 13 October 2010.

Language, Acronyms and Jargon

This international conference welcomes participants from all over the world, so presenters must be aware that English will not be some participants' first or even second language, and acronyms, jargon and localised terminology are to be discouraged or explained if used.

Presentation information

To ensure smooth running of the conference please do everything you can to help sessions run to time. Presenters are asked to try and make the sessions as interactive as possible. The concurrent sessions are 90 minutes long, and papers have been linked together where possible by theme and threads.

Short Papers should be no more than **30 minutes** including discussion. These are grouped into 3 papers per session.

Longer papers should be no more than **45 minutes** including discussion. These are grouped into 2 papers per session.

Featured papers should be up to **90 minutes** long including discussion.

Panel should include 2-3 individual presenters, be no more than **90 minutes** long including 15 minutes discussion.

Pre-Conference Workshop should be **2 hours** long.

Conference Workshop should be **90 minutes** long.

Roundtable should be **10-15 minutes** presentation followed by discussion and feedback. There is no audio/visual equipment available for roundtable sessions. The conversation topic will be displayed on a placard at each roundtable. Attendees will not sign up in advance and may move from one table to another.

Posters can be put up from 15.00 on Wednesday 20 October in preparation of the poster session. Conference staff will be on hand to help and materials will be supplied for displaying the posters.

Chairing sessions

Where there is more than one paper being presented in a single session, we ask that the last presenting author, chair the preceding presentation/s to keep the session to time.

Notes for Delegates

On arrival at the Convention Centre, please go to the ISSOTL conference registration desk and register. You will need your conference pass to access the Convention Centre throughout the duration of the conference. The conference booklet will be given out at registration, this contains the detailed conference programme and other important information.

There will be student helpers throughout the conference to assist wherever possible, and conference staff are available throughout the conference to assist with any questions.

Accessibility

The BT Convention Centre is fully accessible for all delegates, with easily accessible drop-off points, accessible toilets, lifts and entrances in all areas.

Delegates driving to the BT Convention Centre will find accessible parking available in the adjacent car park, although it is not free for Blue Badge holders. A number of spaces are available for ease of use and visitors may also be dropped off at the drop off point on the river side of the building. Lifts in the car park feature a mirror to aid reversing out of the lift and have both visual and audible floor indicators. The route from the car park to the entrance is accessible for wheelchair users, although assistance may be needed as the route does include some ramps.

Induction loops and seating

Once inside the building, the reception desk and Visitor Services area both feature a fixed loop hearing system. There are 12 designated spaces for wheelchair users in the auditorium at the BT Convention Centre

ISSOTL 10 Programme Meeting

Programme for Tuesday 19th October 2010

- 08:00 – 09:00 **Council for Undergraduate Research (CUR) Registration**
Convention Centre Foyer of Convention Centre
- 09.15 – 16.30 **CUR Special Interest Group**
Room 12 Pre booked event
- 10.00 – 11.30 **Pre-Conference Workshop Registration**
Convention Centre Foyer of Convention Centre
- 11.00 – 13.00 **Session A, Pre-conference workshops**
Pre booked events
- 13.30 – 18.00 **General Registration**
Convention Centre Foyer of Convention Centre
- 13.30 – 15.30 **Session B, Pre-conference workshops**
Pre booked events
- 16.00 – 17.30 **Session C, Panel Discussions**
See conference booklet, open to all delegates
- 17.30 – 18.45 **Opening Keynote by Professor Graham Gibbs**
Hall 1A
- 19.00 – 21.00 **Optional Walking Tour of Liverpool**

This evening guided walk starting and finishing from Liverpool ACC, is set to be an entertaining and informative tour along Liverpool's historic waterfront and into parts of the city centre. See the city at night including the two Cathedrals, Albert Dock, Pier Head, and the Cavern Club where the Beatles started their musical career, the Town Hall and much more. Take in some interesting facts on the history of this fascinating city and familiarise yourself with the city whilst enjoying your walk. Suitable footwear and outdoor clothing are recommended for this activity.

Please sign up for the walk at registration. Numbers limited to 50 on a first come first served basis.

- 19.00 – 22.00 **Dinner by own arrangement**

Programme for Wednesday 20th October 2010

- 09.00 – 10.00 **Session D – Concurrent Session 1**
- 10.30 – 11.00 **Break**
Hall 3

11.00 – 12.00 <i>Hall 1A</i>	Plenary Session by Professor Michèle Lamont
12.00 – 13.30 <i>Hall 3</i> <i>Hall 3A</i>	Lunch and ISSOTL Membership Meeting Lunch Membership Meeting
13.30 – 15.00	Session E – Concurrent Session 2
15.00 – 15.30 <i>Hall 3</i>	Break
15.30 – 17.00	Session F – Concurrent Session 3
17.00 – 18.30 <i>Upper Level Foyer</i>	Session P - Drinks Reception and Poster Session
19.00 – 22.00	Dinner by own arrangement

Programme for Thursday 21st October 2010

09.00 – 10.00 <i>Hall 1A</i>	Plenary Session by Professor Janette Ryan and Jude Carroll
10.00 – 10.30 <i>Hall 3</i>	Break
10.30 – 12.00	Session G - Concurrent Session 4
12.00 – 13.00 <i>Hall 3</i>	Lunch
13.00 – 14.30	Session H - Concurrent Session 5
14.30 – 15.00 <i>Hall 3</i>	Break
15.00 – 16.30	Session I - Concurrent Session 6
16.30 – 18.00	Session J – Roundtable Session
18.00 – 19.00	Free time
19.00 – 22.30 <i>Hall 3</i>	Conference Dinner. Including Lifetime Achievement Award to Professor Lewis Elton and entertainment by the Beatles tribute band, the Fab Beatles. This event is optional and for pre-booked delegates and guests only. Dinner by own arrangement for all other delegates.

Programme for Friday 22nd October 2010

09.00 – 10.30	Session K - Concurrent Session 7
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10.30 – 11.00
Hall 3

Break

11.00 - 13.00
Hall 1A

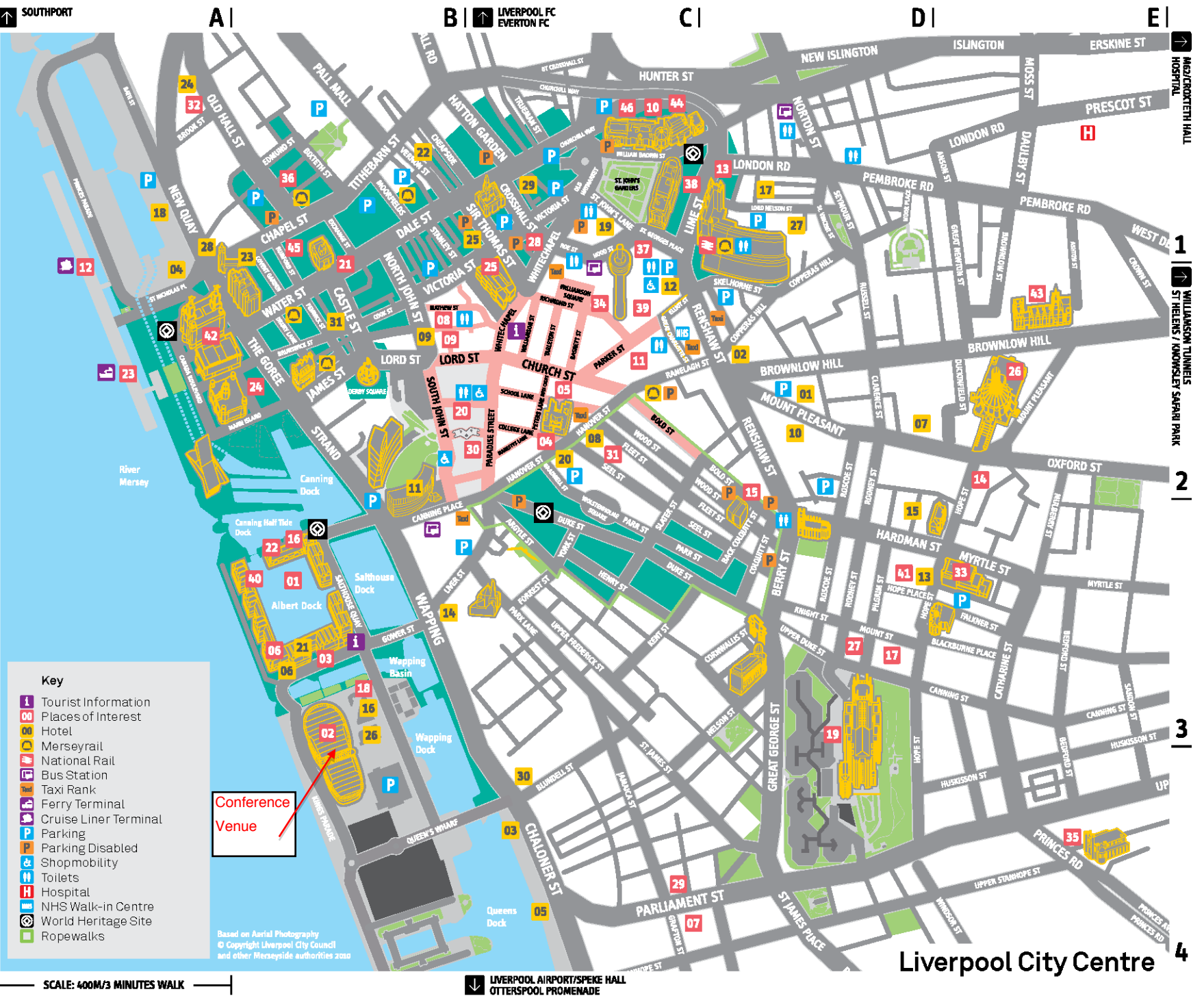
Closing Plenary by Professor Ray Land and Professor J.H.F. (Erik) Meyer. ISSOTL Society Awards.

13.00 -

Conference Closed.

- 01 Albert Dock
- 02 Arena and Convention Centre Liverpool
- 03 Beatles Story
- 04 Bluecoat Display Centre/Gifts
- 05 Bluecoat
- 06 Bugworld Experience
- 07 Cain's Brewery Tours
- 08 Cavern Club
- 09 Cavern Walks
- 10 Central Library
- 11 Clayton Square Shopping Centre
- 12 Cruise Liner Terminal
- 13 Empire Theatre
- 14 Everyman Theatre
- 15 FACT
- 16 International Slavery Museum
- 17 LIPA
- 18 Liverpool Big Wheel
- 19 Liverpool Cathedral
- 20 Liverpool ONE Shopping
- 21 Liverpool Town Hall
- 22 Maritime Museum
- 23 Mersey Ferries
- 24 Mersey Tunnel Tours
- 25 Metquarter
- 26 Metropolitan Cathedral
- 27 Mr Hardman's Photographic Studio
- 28 National Conservation Centre
- 29 NOVAS Contemporary Urban Centre
- 30 Odeon Cinema
- 31 Open Eye Gallery
- 32 Passport Office
- 33 Philharmonic Hall
- 34 Playhouse Theatre
- 35 Princes Road Synagogue
- 36 Register Office
- 37 Royal Court Theatre
- 38 St. George's Hall
- 39 St. John's Shopping Centre
- 40 Tate Liverpool
- 41 Unity Theatre
- 42 Underwater Street
- 43 Victoria Gallery & Museum
- 44 Walker Art Gallery
- 45 Western Approaches
- 46 World Museum Liverpool

- 01 Aachen Hotel
- 02 Britannia Adelphi
- 03 Campanile
- 04 Crowne Plaza
- 05 Dolby
- 06 Express by Holiday Inn
- 07 Feathers
- 08 Hanover Hotel
- 09 Hard Days Night Hotel
- 10 Hatter's Hostel
- 11 Hilton Liverpool
- 12 Holiday Inn, City Centre
- 13 Hope Street Hotel
- 14 Ibis/Formule 1
- 15 International Inn
- 16 Jurys Inn
- 17 Lord Nelson Hotel
- 18 Malmaison
- 19 Marriott
- 20 Novotel
- 21 Premier Inn, Albert Dock
- 22 Premier Inn, City Centre
- 23 Racquet Club
- 24 Radisson Blu
- 25 Sir Thomas Hotel
- 26 Staybridge Suites
- 27 The Liner
- 28 Thistle (Atlantic Tower)
- 29 Travelodge
- 30 Youth Hostel
- 31 62 Castle Street



SCALE: 400M/3 MINUTES WALK

LIVERPOOL AIRPORT/SPEKE HALL
OTTERSPOOL PROMENADE

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