



# International Centre for Mathematical Sciences

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[www.icms.org.uk](http://www.icms.org.uk)

## Workshops

- Organised at ICMS in Edinburgh
- Normally 5 days duration
- Attended by leading academics from around the world
- Interdisciplinary – covering all areas of sciences with significant mathematical content
- Encourage the participation of young researchers
- Keen to promote adventurous research

## Research in Groups

- 2 to 3 researchers collaborate at ICMS
- Promotes international collaboration
- Flexible periods of residence – approximately 10 to 30 days

## Benefits

- Substantial funding package available (£23K)
- Contributions to the travel and subsistence of a proportion of the participants.
- ICMS staff undertake all non-scientific administration connected with the workshop.
- Evaluations will be solicited and collated by ICMS staff.
- ICMS organise living accommodation and office space for researchers-in-groups.

## Venues in Edinburgh

- **14 India Street**  
Historic building used for small workshops of less than 35 participants.  
Birthplace of James Clerk Maxwell.



- **15 South College Street**  
Used for larger workshops.  
Fully accessible with a tiered lecture theatre accommodating up to 108 participants.



# Other funding mechanisms – Bridging the Gaps

- Academic staff in the Edinburgh Research Partnership
- Should involve participants from both engineering and the mathematical sciences
- Can also involve other academics or industry partners
- Example activities include working in groups on an interdisciplinary project, mathematician/engineer in residence, problem scoping workshops
- Deadline end of 2009
- Simple application procedure with rapid response
- <http://www.maxwell.ac.uk/bridgegaps/>

# Other funding mechanisms – Smith Institute

## Internships scheme

- PhD student with academic mentor and technology translator support
- 3-6 month duration
- Cost to the company ~ £6000 for 6 month project

## Study Group

- Week long meeting with industrial presentations on the first day and the results reported back on the final day
- Next Study Group will be held in the Spring of 2010

<http://www.industrialmaths.net>