

ISLAND V – Important information

Shuttle bus

14:00 Coach leaves from University Avenue beside the [Wolfson Medical Building](#)¹.

Approx. **14:30** Coach leaves from **Glasgow Airport**. It will be in Bute Road. Stances 12-21 on the map:

<https://www.glasgowairport.com/media/2461/gla-airport-map-services.pdf>

18-19:00 Stop near Fort William town centre for dinner. A map and list of local eating/watering places will be provided.

Approx. **22:00** Arrival at conference venue.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j1ST6TpgL6s&list=PLAMIQkChPZHfNbR81Bqf04FXI5IL-eXAq>

The contact person for the coach is Chris Athorne: +44 7876 360549

How to get from Glasgow airport to the University

We recommend that if your flight touches down later than 12:00 you await the coach at the airport.

If you arrive earlier you are free to wait at the airport or to come in to Glasgow University to meet the coach at 14:00. There are taxi services (approx. GBP 25) into the city as well as (cheaper) bus services to Partick (<https://bustimes.org/services/77-glasgow-braehead-and-glasgow-airport>) where there is a subway connection to Hillhead (marked on the map) close to the coach departure point.

What to do if you miss your connection or are delayed

If you are delayed by a short while, there will be a car with a small number of places 4-5 leaving the airport no later than **16:00** – contact Claire Gilson: +44 7715 392166

If you are delayed by a significant amount and cannot meet any of these options you will need to make your own arrangements, see below.

Option 1) Citylink bus from “Glasgow Airport” (or Glasgow bus station if you are downtown) to “Broadford Armadale Road End” <https://www.citylink.co.uk/journeyplanner.php> (approx. 5-6h)

Please note you need to call/email one of the local organisers in order to be picked up from the bus stop. This is the easiest option and probably also the fastest.

Option 2) Catch a train from Glasgow Queen St Station to Mallaig (2 trains per day about 5h)

<https://www.scotrail.co.uk/scotland-by-rail/great-scenic-rail-journeys/west-highland-line-glasgow-oban-and-fort-williammallaig>

and then take the ferry from Mallaig to Armadale

<https://www.calmac.co.uk/article/2982/Skye-Mallaig---Armadale>

Make sure that your train is scheduled to arrive well before the ferry leaves. You need to call one of the local organisers in order to be picked up from the ferry terminal in Armadale. It is about 2 miles away from the conference location

Option 3) If convenient and affordable you can try to catch a connecting flight to Inverness (INV) and take the CityLink bus from Inverness to Broadford Armadale Rd End instead.

¹ <https://www.google.com/maps/place/Wolfson+Medical+School+Building/@55.8729209,-4.295317,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x488845ce233319a9:0x209ab64d929dae13!8m2!3d55.8729209!4d-4.2931283>