Conference Accommodation

Participants must make their own arrangements for accommodation when attending conferences and other events at the Institute of English Studies and the Centre for Manuscript and Print Studies.

London is a large city with a range of accommodation options. We recommend that participants stay in the Bloomsbury area where the Institute is located. Bloomsbury is within walking distance of many of London’s attractions, for instance the British Museum, the British Library, Covent Garden and Soho. Several London Underground lines are in the immediate vicinity of the Institute: the Northern Line (Goodge Street, Euston and Kings Cross Stations), the Piccadilly Line (Russell Square), the Central Line (Holborn or Tottenham Court Road), the Victoria Line (Warren Street) and the Metropolitan, Hammersmith & City and Circle Lines (Euston Square).

Below are details of some accommodation options in the Bloomsbury area. Where prices are given these are accurate to the best of our knowledge at the time of publishing, but you should check with the relevant hotel or B&B for up-to-date rates and reservation information.

**London Goodenough Club**, 23 Mecklenburgh Square, London WC1N 2AD (from £97)
Tel: 020 7769 4727; Fax: 020 7837 9321; web: [www.lgt.org.uk](http://www.lgt.org.uk)
The Goodenough Club has recently been refurbished; offers high-standard accommodation aimed at visiting academics; is used by visitors to the School of Advanced Study and has had good feedback from guests. Prices range from £90 for a single room and £120 for a double.

**HALLS OF RESIDENCE:**

**University of London Intercollegiate Halls of Residence** (from £34)
The University of London has eight Intercollegiate Halls of Residence located in Central London offering basic accommodation during University vacations for group and individual bookings at inexpensive rates. Six are located in Bloomsbury within walking distance of the Institute of English Studies:

- **College Hall**, Malet Street, is the nearest (rooms from £36.50 per night B&B)
- **International Hall**, Lansdowne Terrace, is 5-10 mins walk away (room only from £30 per night for UK students; £35 for others. B&B and dinner options available)
- **Connaught Hall**, Tavistock Square, is 5-10 mins walk away (rooms from £34 per night B&B)
- **Canterbury, Commonwealth and Hughes Parry Halls** (known collectively as the Garden Halls) are 10 mins walk away in Cartwright Gardens (rooms from £34 per night B&B)
  + (further away)
- **Lilian Penson Hall**, Talbot Square W2 (near Paddington): £40 bed only but canteen available
- **Nutford House**, Brown Street W1H (near Marble Arch): from £37 per night B&B

**University College Halls of Residence** (from £33.50): 
Home to UCL students during term time, the following halls also offer vacation accommodation within walking distance of Senate House:

- **Schafer House**, Drummond Street NW1 (near Euston station: 20 mins): from £33.50 room only
- **Frances Gardner House**, Wren Street, Grays Inn Road WC1X (20 mins): from £43.50 room only
- **James Lighthill House**, 3 Penton Rise, Grays Inn Road WC1X (20 mins): from £43.50 room only
  + (further away)

**Goldsmid House**, 24 Gillingham Street SW1V (near Victoria Station): from £43.50 room only
NB: The University College Halls listed above cater for individuals and groups. Other UCL halls listed on their website cater for groups only.

For London hotels and discount options try LateRooms.com.

The following hotels are all within 15 minutes' walking distance of Senate House:

**Euro Hotel**, 53 Cartwright Gardens, Russell Square, London WC1H 9EL (from £58)
Hotel Reservations: +44 (0)20 7387 4321
Web: [http://www.eurohotel.co.uk/rates.htm](http://www.eurohotel.co.uk/rates.htm)

**The George Hotel**, 58-60 Cartwright Gardens, London WC1H 9EL (from £45)
Tel: 020 7387 8777; Fax: 020 7387 8666; E-mail: reception@georgehotel.com;
Web: [www.georgehotel.com](http://www.georgehotel.com)

**Crescent Hotel**, 49-50 Cartwright Gardens, London WC1H 9EL (from £57)
Tel: 0207 387 1515; email: general.enquiries@crescenthoteloflondon.com;
Web: [www.crescenthoteloflondon.com/](http://www.crescenthoteloflondon.com/)

**St Margaret's Hotel**, 26 Bedford Square, London WC1B 5JL (from £55)
Tel: 020 7636 4277, 020 7580 2352; Fax: 020 7323 3066;
Email: reservations@stmargaretshotel.co.uk; enquiries@stmargaretshotel.co.uk;
web: [www.stmargaretshotel.co.uk](http://www.stmargaretshotel.co.uk)

The Imperial Group: Please advise the name of the hotel when sending a fax or an e-mail.
Email: info@imperialhotels.co.uk. Tel: +44 (0)20 7278 7871 / 7872 / 7873. Fax: +44 (0)20 7837 4653
Web: [http://www.imperialhotels.co.uk/](http://www.imperialhotels.co.uk/)

**Imperial Hotel** (from £84)
Russell Square, London WC1B 5BB
Call: +44 (0)20 7837 3655

**President Hotel** (from £75)
Russell Square, London WC1N 1DB
Call: +44 (0)20 7837 8844

**Bedford Hotel** (from £80)
Southampton Row, London WC1B 4HD
Call: +44 (0)20 7636 7822

**Royal National Hotel** (from £75)
Bedford Way, London WC1H 0DG
Call: +44 (0)20 7637 2488

**Tavistock Hotel** (from £68)
Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9EU
Call: +44 (0)20 7636 8383

**County Hotel** (from £43)
Upper Woburn Place, London WC1H 0JW
Call: +44 (0)20 7387 5544

**Travelodge London Euston Hotel**, 1-11 Grafton Place, London NW1 1DJ (from £99.95)
Tel: 0871 984 6332; Fax: 0207 383 7881.

**Hotel Russell**, 1-8 Russell Square, London WC1B 5BE (from £116)
Web: [www.londonrussellhotel.co.uk](http://www.londonrussellhotel.co.uk)

**The Montague on the Gardens**, 15 Montague Street, London WC1B 5BJ (from £175)
Tel: 020 7958 7731; Fax: 0207 612 8430; Email: bookmt@rchmail.com;
Web: [www.montaguehotel.com](http://www.montaguehotel.com)
(Please quote reference number 183 602 to obtain negotiated rates.)

**Holiday Inn Bloomsbury**, Coram Street, London WC1N 1HT (from £225)
Tel: 0870 400 9222; Fax: 020 7837 5374; Email: bloomsbury@ichotelsgroup.com;

**My Hotel Bloomsbury**, 11-13 Bayley Street, London WC1 3HD (from £210)
Tel: 0207 667 6000; Fax: 0207 667 6001;
Web: [http://hip.hotels-london.co.uk/myhotel-bloomsbury.hotel](http://hip.hotels-london.co.uk/myhotel-bloomsbury.hotel)

The **London Tourist Board** (LTB) can also help with booking accommodation. The LTB room booking service costs £5 if made by telephone and takes fifteen percent of the room fee in advance. The staff will make a booking in the area and at the price range you require. The LTB have offices located at Heathrow airport in the underground station concourse for terminals 1, 2 and 3 (daily 8am-6pm), in the forecourt of Victoria station (daily 9am-5pm), in Liverpool Street underground station (Mon-Fri 8am-6pm; Sat & Sun 8.45am-5.30pm) and near Piccadilly Circus in the British Travel Centre, 12 Regent St (Mon-Fri 9am-6.30pm; Sat & Sun 10am-5pm). Credit card holders can also book through the LTB by phone on 020 7923 2020 (Mon-Fri 9.30am-6pm) or [online](http://www.ichotelsgroup.com/h/d/hi/925/en/hd/lonbl?irs=null).

Also, the **British Hotel Reservation Centre** has desks at both Heathrow underground stations (020 8564 8808 or 020 8564 8211), at Stansted Airport (01279 662 929) and at Victoria (020 7828 1027); they offer their services free of charge. They also have a 24 hour booking line on 020 7828 0601. To look at other accommodation options and offers in London [click here](http://www.ichotelsgroup.com/h/d/hi/925/en/hd/lonbl?irs=null).

You might also like to try the following websites:

- [www.hotel-assist.com](http://www.hotel-assist.com)
- [www.smoothhound.com](http://www.smoothhound.com)
- [www.studios92.co.uk](http://www.studios92.co.uk)