



**Proteomics Standards Initiative
19-20 October 2002
EMBL-EBI, Hinxton, Cambridge, UK**

Logistics

The Meeting

The Proteomics Standards Initiative Meeting will be held on Saturday 19 and Sunday 20 October 2002. It will take place in the Sanger Centre building opposite the EMBL-EBI building in rooms 202/203 and 209/210. We ask you to arrive for lunch, on Saturday 19 October, which will be served at 12.30. The meeting will end on Sunday 20 October at approximately 16.30.

Travelling to the Wellcome Trust Genome Campus, Hinxton

<http://www.ebi.ac.uk/Information/Travel/travel.html> has travel information for the region around the Wellcome Trust Genome Campus. Please see the website for information on public transport.

The closest airports to the Wellcome Trust Genome Campus are London Stansted Airport (30 minutes from here), London City Airport and Luton Airport (both 50 minutes from here). Heathrow and Gatwick are both more than 2 hours from Hinxton. Consequently, we advise you book a flight that lands in London Stansted, London Luton or London City Airport. Low cost airline "Go", Ryanair, KLMuk, Virgin Express, KLM's Buzz, SAS and Lufthansa all land in Stansted and fly from most larger European cities.

Some URLs for no-frills airlines landing in Stansted:

<http://www.ryanair.com>

<http://www.buzzaway.com>

<http://www.go-fly.com>

Buses operate from every airport to Stansted and Cambridge. To plan your bus journey to Cambridge see <http://www.gobycoach.com/?w=1024&j=1>

If travelling by train the closest stations are in order: Whittlesford, Great Chesterford, Audley End and Cambridge. Beware there are no taxis waiting outside Whittlesford or Great Chesterford station.

Please be aware that public transport to Hinxton is not very good so you might want to take a taxi from Stansted, Cambridge or Audley End to Hinxton. Prices for taxis are approximately as follows: Heathrow - Hinxton £80; Luton - Hinxton £45; London City - Hinxton £50; Stansted - Hinxton £22; Cambridge - Hinxton £15; Audley End - Hinxton £12.

Airport Pick-up

When you have made your travel arrangements and if you wish to have assistance in booking a taxi to collect you from the airport, please fax your travel details to Liz Ford (Fax: +44 1223 4468). Please note that EBI will not be paying for your taxi trip. We will simply arrange for you to be met at the airport by a driver carrying a sign with your name. At the airport the driver will be waiting at the passenger exit after baggage claim and customs.

The car service we will be using is Academy Cars (Tel: 08000-191022 / 01440-763111). Please call Academy Cars directly if you cannot be at the pick-up point at the agreed time, otherwise EBI will be charged for the trip and the cost will be passed on to you.

For prices see the section 'Travelling to the WT Genome Campus, Hinxton', above.



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Accommodation

Your accommodation will not be paid for out of the meetings' budget so you are kindly asked to settle your account on departure. Please be aware of penalties to be paid in case you cancel a booked room. Ask about cancellation policy when you book your own room. B&Bs have a cancellation policy that might ask for full payment if you cancel within 7 days before scheduled arrival.

Below are the recommended places to stay:

1. **Hinxton Hall on-site accommodation** (the Residential Block as well as the Hall) Tel: +44-1223-495-003 or Fax: +44-1223-495-114 or email: sharon.willis@hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk
The residential rooms cost £45 per night with breakfast when booked as part of an EBI workshop/meeting arrangement. The rooms in the Hall cost £71 per night with breakfast when booked as part of an EBI workshop/meeting arrangement. Hinxton Hall requires a credit card number as guarantee when you do the reservation. They do not accept American Express and Diners credit cards. VISA and Master Cards are welcome.
2. **Duxford Lodge Hotel**, Ickleton Road, Duxford; Tel: +44-1223-836444, Fax: +44-1223-832271 - £71-£78 per night incl. breakfast. Approximately 10 - 15 minutes drive from Hinxton Hall. No public transport.
3. **The Crown House Hotel**, Great Chesterford; Tel: +44-1799-530515, Fax: +44-1799-530683 - £62.50-£85 per night incl. breakfast. Approximately 10 minutes drive from Hinxton Hall. No public transport.
4. **B&B accommodations near the EBI**. B&Bs do not accept credit cards, Eurocheques etc. Please pay by cash. Rooms from £25 per night incl. breakfast.
Joyce Fordham, The Lordship Farm; Tel: +44-1799-530242
Penny, New Inn House; Tel: +44-1799-530463
Gloria Jackson, Tel: +44-1799-530984

The workshop dinner

On the Saturday evening we will organise a dinner in a restaurant in the area. Please let us know on your registration form if you wish to partake in the dinner or not and if you have any special dietary requirements. You will not be charged for the dinner.

Once you have signed up for the dinner on your registration form, a place is booked for you. **You can cancel your dinner booking up until one week before the Workshop.**

Registration

We kindly ask you to make sure that your completed Registration Form reaches Liz Ford by fax at **the latest at 17.00 on Tuesday 8 October 2002.**

For any queries please contact Liz Ford, ford@ebi.ac.uk, Tel. +44 1223 49 4626

Kindest regards

Liz Ford