

Registration on arrival at the Conference, The Inn at Woburn, Sunday 15th July 2012, from 2pm

We have made arrangement to hold light refreshments on the afternoon, Sunday 15th July 2012, from 2pm at The Inn at Woburn. This will allow us an opportunity to complete the formalities of face to face registration prior to Monday morning.

We would be pleased if you could join us for this and trust that you will see this as an opportunity to meet up with colleagues from other parts of the world in a relaxed environment.

Accommodation

We have made special arrangements for conference participants at hotels in Woburn village and at the Hub, in central Milton Keynes. The details of these are as follows.

Please note for all hotel suggestions:

Room rates, for each of the hotels mentioned above, will be available until 1st May 2012 at which point any unallocated rooms will be returned to the individual hotels for resale. Bookings made after this date will be a market rates.

Please note that, for all hotels mentioned, the specific hotel's terms and conditions will apply; please see their web site for cancellations and other terms. All bookings should be secured by offering credit card details. Payment will be taken on departure.

Delegates might find that some web sites offer rates which are lower than those which we have been able to negotiate, for one or more of the nights during the Conference. These offers will require payment up front and will not be cancellable.

The Hub, Milton Keynes

The Hub is situated in Central Milton Keynes, just 10 miles from the Conference venue. The Hub is an outdoor piazza square with a wide range of restaurants, bars and cafes to eat and drink in the evening. Both hotels which are offered below back onto this square, and are situated next to each other. A great location to socialise at the end of the day

Delegates who stay in this location will be transported by coach to and from the Conference each morning and evening.

The Jury's Inn

Jurys Inn Milton Keynes Hotel, Midsummer Boulevard, Milton Keynes, MK9 2HP
Tel:+44 1908 843700, Fax:+44 1908 843777

This is a new and modern hotel with spacious and comfortable rooms, all with en-suite and can accommodate three adults, two adults and two children, or just one person in complete comfort.

25 rooms have been reserved at this hotel. To view photos of the rooms and hotel's communal areas, bar and restaurant please take a look at the web link <http://miltonkeyneshotels.jurysinns.com/>.

To take advantage of the reduced rates which have been negotiated for IWPCTM Conference delegates please phone the hotel direct, on the phone number above, and quote reference code **CRAN15712A**.

This will secure a rate of £82.50 per room per night, for 5 nights, from Sunday 15th July to Friday morning 20th July 2012, single occupancy, on a bed and breakfast basis. The room rate for double occupancy is £91.00

Encore Ramada

Ramada Encore Milton Keynes, 312 Midsummer Boulevard, Milton Keynes, MK9 2EA,
Telephone: +44 1908 545 50, Fax: +44 1908 545 530 Email:
reservations@encoremiltonkeynes.co.uk

This is another new and modern hotel. The concept is simple - stylish, vibrant and upbeat with comfortable contemporary accommodation.

50 rooms have been reserved. To view photos of the rooms and the hotel's bar and restaurant please look at the web link <http://www.encoremiltonkeynes.co.uk/>

To take advantage of the reduced rates which have been negotiated for delegates please phone the hotel direct and quote the reservation number '**146 219**'.

This will secure a rate of £85.00 per room per night, for 5 nights, Sunday 15th July to Friday morning 20th July 2012, single occupancy, on a bed and breakfast basis. The room rate for double occupancy is £95.00.

Other information about the centre of Milton Keynes and what it has to offer:

Both of these hotels offer a great location, if delegates are travelling with others, who will not attend the Conference as there is much to offer in the immediate area of Central Milton Keynes, together with great train links south to London, north to Birmingham or coach links west to Oxford and east to Cambridge for days out.

Central Milton Keynes railway station is just 5 minutes walk away from each hotel (south east of the hotel, along Midsummer Boulevard). This will provide an opportunity for delegates to visit London during their stay, if they so wish. Virgin trains now offer a direct route to London, Euston station in 35 minutes. It is likely to be an exciting time to travel to London, in the run up to the opening of the Olympic Games.

In the opposite direction, walking north west along Midsummer Boulevard from the hotel, you will find yourselves in the main shopping centre, 'The Centre: MK', web link <http://www.thecentremk.com/> . This is packed with shops, department stores and places to eat and coffee shops.

Continuing along Midsummer Boulevard is Campbell Park, one of MK's many big and varied open park spaces. From here you can enjoy a walk along the tow path of the historic Grand Union Canal.

Within easy walking distance you can reach Xscape, web link <http://www.xscape.co.uk/milton-keynes> (next to the shopping centre) which offers the UK's largest indoor snow slope for skiing and tobogganing, an indoor climbing wall, 'Airkix' indoor skydiving, 10 pin bowling alley, cinema screens, and other entertainment, bars and restaurants and sports retail shops.

Woburn Village

Woburn village is a wonderfully relaxing place to stay and enjoy the Conference. It has many pubs and restaurants for you to socialise in during the evenings. Come and enjoy, what we hope will be, a warm sunny week in England in this historic village setting.

Delegates who stay in the village may choose to either pick up the shuttle coach, morning and evening (from outside The Inn at Woburn), for transport to the Sculpture Gallery or to use the public footpath if they prefer a morning and evening walk - the choice is yours. The distance is 1.4 miles and took a couple of the organising committee 25 minutes to walk the very good path in fine weather. The route will be available at registration for the Conference.

The Inn at Woburn

The Inn at Woburn, George Street, Woburn, Bedfordshire, MK17 9PX
Tel: +44 1525 290441: Fax: +44 1525 290432: Email: inn@woburn.co.uk

Few hotels blend the traditions of the 18th Century as effortlessly with contemporary comfort as The Inn at Woburn. The hotel has 48 splendid en-suite bedrooms with delightful interiors designed to complement the hotel's character and individual setting. In addition, across the courtyard, there are 7 charming cottages available for guests. Whichever you choose, we can assure you of a relaxing and comfortable stay.

The hotel has reserved its rooms for Conference delegates. We are pleased to offer a much reduced bed and breakfast rate of £89 per room, per night, single occupancy. Or, for double occupancy on the same basis the daily rate is £104.

5 cottages have been reserved, just across the courtyard from the main hotel building. All are beautifully fitted and furnished to the same high standard as the hotel's other rooms and with a cosy atmosphere and the feeling of something different. These are offered at a much reduced bed and breakfast rate of £139 per room per night, single occupancy. Double occupancy, again on the same basis, B&B, £154 per room per night.

To view photos of the rooms and the hotel's bar and restaurant please look at the web link

<http://www.woburn.co.uk/inn/>

To take advantage of the reduced rates which have been negotiated for delegates please phone the hotel direct and quote 'IWPCTM'.

Overnight guests of the hotel are entitled to one free entry to Woburn Safari Park and Woburn Abbey, including the grounds and Deer Park during their stay.

The Bell Inn

21 Bedford Street, Woburn, Bedfordshire, MK17 9QB

Tel +44 1525 290 280: Email 4316@greeneking.co.uk

This delightful English country inn has recently been beautifully restored to its former glory. The building housing the pub and restaurant dates back to the 17th century with exposed beams and studwork. The bar area and guestrooms were added during the Victorian era and interiors have been chosen to blend with these two distinct periods.

All 25 bedrooms are en suite, tastefully decorated and are equipped with modern facilities. All rooms have TV, telephone, hairdryer, iron/ironing board and tea/coffee making facilities. There are four ground floor bedrooms.

To view photos of the rooms and the hotel's bar and restaurant please look at the web link <http://www.oldenglishinns.co.uk/woburn/>

To take advantage of the reduced rates which have been negotiated for delegates please phone the hotel direct and quote the reservation number 'IWPCTM'.

This will secure a rate for a single room of £50 per room per night, for 5 nights, from Sunday 15th July to Friday morning 20th July 2012, on a bed and breakfast basis. Double rooms are available at a rate of £60 per room per night, either double or single occupancy.

The rates at the Bell Inn are only available to the end of February 2012.

Other information about Woburn village and what it has to offer:

There are many pleasant walks to be had around the Woburn Estate and up into the Apsley Heath. To look at aerial cartographical views of Woburn and the surrounding area please use the following link <http://www.bing.com/maps/?FORM=Z9LH4> and type in 'Woburn' or 'Woburn Abbey' to pin point key areas. Zooming in and out of the map will give a good gauge of the proximity to Central Milton Keynes and the surrounding villages. Also visible are the railway lines and motorways for transfers to and from airports.

The prestigious Woburn Golf Club is near by. The village also offers a Lido swimming pool, which might be of interest to some of you or those travelling with you.

Woburn's main web site offers a host of information on what's available on the estate and in the village and surrounding area. For more information please see the link <http://www.woburn.co.uk/>

Suggestions for eating out in Woburn village are:

- Paris House
- Olivier's Restaurant at The Inn at Woburn
- Galloway's Restaurant
- The Black Horse
- Woburn Brasserie
- The Bell
- Saponi Italian Restaurant
- Caprioli Delicatessen & Tea Rooms
- The Magpies Hotel
- Loch Fyne

Mobile phone reception

Please note that mobile phone signals are poor at the Conference venue and also in Woburn village however internet access is freely available.

Mobile phone reception for all major networks is widely available in The Hub, Central Milton Keynes.