

Intro meeting to the WASP study trip to the UK 2022

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Purpose of this trip

- To show you interesting research that can inspire you in your work
- To help you build up an international network
- To introduce you, your work, and WASP to the host universities

















High-level Agenda

	Monday 10 October	Tuesday 11 October	Wednesday 12 October	Thursday 13 October	Friday 14 October
START	BUS to KCL LEAVES AT 08:00 Departs: Mercure Hotel Paddington	BUS to Cambridge LEAVES AT 07:00 Departs: Mercure Hotel Paddington (note: bring own breakfast)	BUS to Oxford LEAVES AT 7:30 Departs: Mercure Hotel Paddington	BUS TO Cranfield LEAVES AT 07:50 Departs: Mercure Hotel Paddington	BUS TO Imperial South Kensington Campus LEAVES AT 09:00 Departs: Mercure Hotel Paddington
MORNING	KCL Coin Street Community Builders,108 Stamford St, London SE1 9NH	AstraZeneca Cripps Court Auditorium, Magdalene College, Cambridge	Oxford Robotics Institute Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford 09:30 - 12:20	DARTEC Cranfield Building 105, Cranfield University, Cranfield, Bedfordshire MK43 OAL	Imperial College 58 Prince's Gate, London, SW7 2PG 09:30 - 12:30
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LUNCH	Lunch 12:30 - 13:30	Lunch & Workshops 12:00 - 14:00	Lunch 12:20 - 13:30	Packed lunch on Bus	Lunch 12:30 - 13:30
		Bus to ARM Departs at 14:00		Bus to Cambridge Departs 12:00	Bus to White City Campus Departs at 13:30
AFTERNOON	KCL Coin Street Community Builders,108 Stamford St, London SE1 9NH	ARM 110 Fulbourn Rd, Cambridge CB1 9NJ, UK	Oxford Robotics Institute Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford	Cambridge University Dept. Engineering, Fen Causeway, Cambridge	Imperial College Translation and Innovation Hub (I-Hub), 84 Wood Lane, London, W12 OBZ
	13:30 - 17:00	14:00 - 17:00	13:30 - 16:45	14:00 - 17:00	14:00 - 18:00
		BUS to Cambridge Departs at 17:15	Free Time	BUS to London Departs at 17:30	
DINNER	KCL Light Dinner and Mingle 17:00 - 18:00	Dinner in Cambridge Find your own restaurant 17:30 - 20:00	Pre-drinks @ Talbot Hall Dinner @ Deneke Dining Hall 18:30 - 22:00	Dinner in London Find your own restaurant	Dinner in London Find your own restaurant
END	FREE EVENING (Possible Musical)	BUS to London Departs at 20:15	BUS to London Departs at 22:00	FREE EVENING	FREE EVENING



Hotel / travel information (1)

Arriving from Heathrow:

- Get Heathrow Express (recommended)
- OR Elizabeth Line (takes longer but cheaper)

Arriving from Stanstead:

- Get the Stanstead Express
- OR National Express (coach / bus service)

Arriving from Gatwick:

- Gatwick Express to Victoria
- Tube from Victoria to Paddington (Circle or District line)



Hotel / travel information (2)

We have two hotels:

- Mercure Paddington
- Mercure Hyde Park

https://www.google.com/maps/@51.5194648,-0.1798831,15.62z

Hotels are very close to Paddington Station

National rail strikes on 8th October!

https://tfl.gov.uk/cdn/static/cms/documents/standard-tube-map.pdf



Food

- What meals are included?
- Bring your own breakfast on Tuesday
- Has everyone told us of dietary requirements, allergies, etc.?
- Bring snacks, fruits, water,... for the bus trips
- Wear suitable clothes at the dinner at Oxford



Practical Information (1)

What is included and what isn't

- Meals and transportation in the program are included.
- Social activities not in the program are not included.
- Extra costs added to hotel bills to be paid by own credit card and are not included.

Are activities in the schedule mandatory, or can I do private activities if I would like to?

It's very important to come to the bus at the time given.

If you miss the bus, you have to pay tickets yourself to catch up/go back to the hotel

Social activities

Musical is suggested for Monday evening as we are in the right area.



Practical Information (2)

The visa situation

- If you have not received a decision yet; make sure you book refundable tickets.
- Keep the Excel sheet regarding your visa status up-to-date.

Send us (in particular Linda) an e-mail if you will not be able to join the trip

Make sure you bring an insurance certificate (Kammarkollegiet)

Bring an adapter for the trip (socket EU to UK)

Permission to take photos and publish them?

• The hosts might take photos of us, and publish them using various media. Will try to handle this formally correct, but please help us and **contact us immediately** if you do not consent to this, or have any concerns regarding it!



Questions?

Do you have any questions you would like to ask now?

Admin questions: Linda

Questions about academics/trip: Daniel, Paul, Christian, Elin

