

## **Delegate Joining Instructions**

With two weeks to go, I am now contacting you with some more details. We are delighted we will all be together for the **BRS Annual Meeting** and we look forward to seeing you on Wednesday 6 July for the first day of the meeting.

## **Registration desk**

The registration desk will open at 12:30 on Wednesday 6 July for you to sign in and collect your delegate badge and conference bag. The first lecture will commence at 13:20 in the Main Lecture Theatre (G36).

Please note the Muscle and Bone Workshop will start at 13:20.

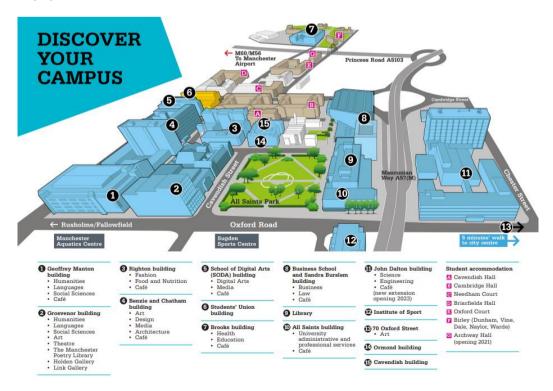
The full course programme can be found on the BRS website <u>here</u>.

A cloakroom will be available throughout the meeting.

## Venue

## Manchester Metropolitan University – Business School Address: All Saints, Oxford Road, Manchester M15 6BH

The main speaker presentations will be held in G36 The Rare Bone Disease Workshop and Clinical Cases Session will be held in G35 The Satellite Symposia will be held in G34



www.boneresearchsociety.org e: events@boneresearchsociety.org

## Parking

## Please note that there is NO onsite parking at MMU

There are a number of car parks within the area and the cheapest is the Aquatics Centre which is £12 for 12 hours. https://www.apcoa.co.uk/parking-in/manchester/aquatics-centre/

## **Transport, travel and taxis**

You can find more information about getting to Manchester via the Visit Manchester website <u>https://www.visitmanchester.com/visitor-information/travel-information</u>

## **Exhibition opening times**

- Wednesday 6 July 12:30 to 19:00
- Thursday 7 July 08:45 to 18:45
- Friday 8 July 08:00 to 17:00

The exhibition will be located in the North Atrium on the ground floor.

## **Posters**

Posters can be hung from 12:30 and all fixings will be provided. All poster boards will be pre-numbered for you to find, but if you need any assistance please go to the registrations desk.

## **Oral Communications**

You will receive a separate email with instructions about how to upload your presentation in advance of the meeting.

## **Conference Lunches**

These will be served in the South and North Atrium on Thursday 7 July (12:30-13:15) and Friday 8 July (12:40-13:40).

## **Other meals and refreshments**

## Tea and coffee breaks

These will be served in the North Atrium at times as detailed in the conference programme

## Breakfast

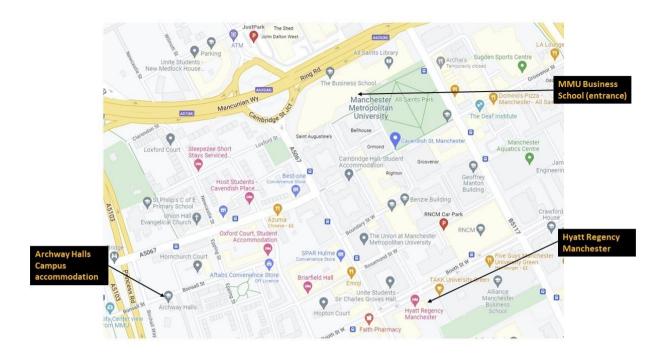
Archway Halls – Continental breakfast will be served in the communal kitchens in each flat on Thursday
morning, and on Friday morning a full English breakfast will be served in the Brooks Building (a short walk
across the central piazza)

If you have any dietary requirements, please do let me know by Wednesday 22 June.

## **CPD points and Certificate of Attendance**

The meeting has applied for CPD points from the Royal College of Physicians and will be expecting to be awarded 16 points for the complete meeting. At the end of the meeting you will be emailed an online evaluation form and when this is completed and submitted you will be emailed you certificate of attendance detailing your CPD points awarded.

## Accommodation



Accommodation is at the newly built Archway Halls Student Campus (a 10 minute walk from the Business School where the meeting will take place).

Address: 45 Bonsall Street, Manchester M15 6DP. https://goo.gl/maps/QR5ADvzvVAcV9LCX6

## **Residence description**

Each flat contains eight study bedrooms with a kitchen and open plan lounge/dining area. Each bedroom has a large single bed, desk, chair, plenty of storage and an ensuite toilet and shower.

The building has a spacious common room, communal study zone and a small fitness room with a range of exercise equipment on site.

Check in:After 14:00Check out:by 10:00

## Amenities

All rooms include bed linen, towels, soap and shampoo. Tea and coffee making facilities and available in the communal open plan kitchens. Please note that there are **no** hair dryers in the rooms but these can be borrowed from the reception desk in the Hall, as well as irons and ironing boards should you need one.

If you wish to be allocated a room near to a colleague, please do let me know by Wednesday 22 June.

## **Accommodation Emergency Contacts & Information**

The residence is covered by a 24/7 security service. In the event of an emergency or should you need to contact a member of staff, please use the below contact details:

Residences Reception	0161 247 2777 (non-emergency)
	Mon – Fri 9am – 4pm
Emergency Team	0161 247 2222
	24hr
Emergency Services	999
	(if this is called, please alert the Emergency Team)
Conference and Events Team	0161 247 1565 (non-emergency)
	Mon – Fri 8.30am – 4.30pm

## **Fire Safety**

Please make yourself familiar with the nearest fire exits. The Fire Assembly Point for Archway Accommodation is on Bonsall Street Bridge, staff will be on duty to direct you in the event of an alarm. Please do not re-enter the building until a member of staff tells you it is safe to do so. **Fire alarms are tested every Thursday at approx. 1pm**, do not evacuate the building unless the alarm sounds continuously.

## **Local Healthcare Amenities**

MRI Hospital /NHS Walk in centre on Oxford Road, M13 AWL Manchester Dental Hospital on Lloyd Street, M15 6FH Pharmacy located on Stretford Road, M15 5TL

## Lost Swipe Card

All guests will have been given an access swipe card to their room at check in. If you lose your swipe card or leave it in your room, please visit the Residences reception, where your ID will be checked, and you will be let back into your room. A charge of £10 will apply for unreturned swipe cards.

## **Food and Drink**

There are cooking facilities available in the shared kitchen for you to enjoy during your stay. There are a range of catering outlets and vending machines across the campus, where you can purchase snack and drinks. A CO-OP Supermarket, Post Office, cash point and takeaways are also conveniently located on Stretford Road.

## **Smoking Policy**

There is a **No Smoking Policy** throughout the accommodation. We kindly ask that our guests respect our quiet hours between 23:00 – 08:00 hours.

More information about the accommodation can be found here.

## **Conference Dinner**

# Thursday 7 July – Hyatt Regency Hotel – 55 Booth Street West, Manchester, M15 6PQ 19:30 to 23:30

The BRS Conference Dinner will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel. The Hyatt Regency is just a ten minute stroll from either the Archway Halls or the conference venue. Guests can enjoy welcome drinks from 19:30 and a three course seated dinner will be served at 20:15. After dinner everyone will be able to enjoy music and dancing to our resident DJ. After what promises to be an exciting and stimulating BRS 2022 meeting, this informal evening will give our guests the further opportunity to network and relax with old friends. The evening will draw to a close at 23:30. Guests are kindly asked to make their own way to and from the venue.

This is a ticketed event for those who have purchased a ticket in advance. Tickets cost £45 per person and are subject to availability. Please contact the events team in advance or ask at the registration desk on site should you wish to reserve a ticket and they will be able to advise of current availability.

## We look forward to welcoming you to Manchester!

For further information or any queries please contact: <u>events@boneresearchsociety.org</u>