

DTAS Annual Conference 2026

Frequently Asked Questions





What is the address of the conference venue?

This year's conference will take place at [Glasgow Caledonian University](#) (GCU), Cowcaddens Road, Glasgow, G4 0BA. On arrival, please make your way to the Annie Lennox Building situated at the front of the campus for registration – **please see campus map for details.**

What is the address of the evening venue?

The evening drinks and canapés reception will be held at [Glasgow Caledonian University](#), the same as the day time conference events, so no need to travel anywhere! This reception will be held in the Sir Alex Ferguson library – you can see this on the campus map.

I'm travelling by train to the conference.

The university is a 3 minute drive **or** an 8 minute walk from Glasgow Queen Street Station.

The university is a 7 minute drive **or** a 15 minute walk from Glasgow Central Station.

I'm travelling by car to the conference.

In a bid to reduce the environmental impact of our events, we are encouraging attendees to liftshare wherever possible.

We have set up a [private lift share page on Caroster](#) for the conference. You can use this page to advertise your driving route as a passenger or a driver. Once you've advertised your route, others travelling a similar route can request to share.

Why not reduce your carbon footprint, and network while you do it?

Alternatively you can use the [DTAS Members Facebook Group](#) to arrange this with your fellow delegates.

The university is easily accessible from Junction 16 (Westbound) or Junctions 15 & 17 (Eastbound) of the M8 motorway. Although no parking is available on campus, there is ample space available at the nearby Cambridge Street and Dundasvale car parks.

GCU have a negotiated rate for conference delegates with both car parks – **please see Instructions for Car Parking document for more details.**

What is the dress code?

The dress code for the conference is casual.

Do I need to bring anything to the conference?

In an attempt to reduce our plastic use, we encourage you to use a reusable water bottle. There will be areas located throughout the venue to keep these topped up. We are



attempting to reduce our use of paper so if you intend on note taking, please feel free to bring a notepad and pen or an electronic device such as a laptop, tablet or mobile phone with you.

Where can I store my luggage at the conference?

We will have a space at the university where delegates can store their luggage on both days. Please ask one of the DTAS staff on registration for more information.

Is there Wi-Fi at the conference venue?

The university has Guest Wi-Fi that is available for delegates to register their devices to – **please see Wi-Fi Instructions document for more details.**

What time do I need to arrive at the conference?

Arrival and registration begins at 9am on Tuesday the 1st September. See the full programme for daily timings. Please ensure you arrive at the venue with enough time to attend the first session.

Which events and workshops am I attending?

Details of your specific booked events can be found on your booking confirmation email. You should have received this when booking your preferred sessions.

Information of the events and workshops you have chosen will also be on your lanyard badge. You will be given this at registration and it will detail the times and rooms of the sessions. Please ensure you attend the workshops on time.

How do I get to the external study visit venues?

We have booked coaches for those of you attending external study visits on day one. Please ensure that you are in the foyer of the Annie Lennox building at 1:15pm ready to be picked up. Look out for a sign with your study visit location.

Can I change my workshop choices?

Your workshop choices are fixed upon booking and we are unable to change them.

Is there a list of marketplace stall holders?

A list of marketplace stall holders and what they offer is available on our website.



Will there be an attendance list of all delegates?

There will be a limited number of attendance lists available at reception in the Foyer of the Annie Lennox building. We will also make the attendance list available on our website.

I have a dietary or accessibility requirement(s).

The university and evening venue have been informed of all requirements that were stated on booking forms. If you have not informed us of a requirement, please do so as soon as possible. Please note, if you do not inform us of any requirements, we may not have the means to accommodate them on the day.

If you have any further questions, please contact conference@dtascot.org.uk.

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