

26th Annual Scientific Meeting

July 13-15, 2017

Edinburgh International Conference Centre
Edinburgh, Scotland

European College of Veterinary Surgeons



Fàilte gu Dhùn Èidinn

Welcome to Edinburgh – Scotland’s stunning capital city!

We are delighted to welcome you to Edinburgh, an ancient city, steeped in history, and capital of one of the oldest nations in Europe.

This hugely popular tourist destination features the atmospheric Old Town, a grand Georgian New Town and a collection of beautiful villages. It is a cosmopolitan capital with an incredible selection of world class attractions, hotels, shops, eating, drinking and nightlife. Visitors can take bus tours of the city, explore the castle, discover the secret underground streets of Mary Kings Close frozen in time since the 17th century and experience many visitor attractions including Surgeon’s hall museum (for those with an interest in the history of human surgery) or just relax in the centrally located Princess street gardens below the castle (5 minute walk from the conference centre).

The conference is based at the Edinburgh International Conference Centre (EICC) which is a fantastic modern facility and will provide a great venue for this year’s outstanding scientific programme, incorporating internationally renowned speakers. The EICC is centrally located, in short walking distance from the centre of the city and close to a large selection of hotels, restaurants and visitor attractions. Edinburgh itself is a compact city, just 15-20 minutes by car from the airport to the city centre (buses and a tram also service this route).

The farewell party will be held in the breath-taking main hall of the National Museum of Scotland and promises to provide a Scottish experience including bagpipes, ceilidh dancing and the opportunity to sample local delicacies such as smoked salmon and haggis(!) and tipples such as a wee dram of locally produced whisky or gin.

In addition to the numerous activities in the city itself, Edinburgh makes an excellent starting point for excursions around the rest of Scotland including the beautiful Scottish Highlands, the nearby Roslin chapel or historic St. Andrews.

We hope you thoroughly enjoy the congress and your stay here with us in Edinburgh.

Slàinte mhath (your good health - a Scottish toast)

The local organising committee:

Richard Reardon, John Mosley, Sam Woods and Ana Marques.

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General Information

Meeting Venue

EICC Edinburgh International Conference Centre, The Exchange, Edinburgh, EH8 8EE

During the meeting, you may reach the ECVS Office as follows:

on location in *Soutra* (EICC Level 0)

via mobile at +41 (0)78 766 86 83

via email at info@ecvs.org

ECVS 26th Annual Scientific Meeting at the EICC, Edinburgh, Scotland

	before 31 May 2017	after 31 May 2017
ECVS / ACVS Diplomate	EUR 460,-	EUR 560,-
non-member	EUR 550,-	EUR 650,-
ECVS / ACVS Resident (incl. in examination)	EUR 340,-	EUR 440,-
PhD student / intern / student	EUR 390,-	EUR 490,-
Meet the Expert sessions	EUR 75,-	EUR 75,-
Administrative surcharge for on-site registrations:		EUR 30,-

Saturday evening farewell dinner ticket: EUR 60,- for Diplomates and non-members, EUR 50,- for Residents and students. Each ticket includes dinner and three drinks. Further drinks at own expense.

By advertising the farewell evening dinner as a separate item, the ECVS Annual Scientific Meeting satisfies international compliance regulations.

The registration fee includes for one person:

- admission to the 26th Annual Scientific Meeting
- scientific proceedings (available online)
- certificate of attendance
- coffee / tea breaks (2 per day on Friday and Saturday)
- lunches during meeting (Friday and Saturday)
- welcome reception at the EICC, Thursday evening - please confirm your attendance

Small Animal Pre-Congress Activities - Wednesday, 12 July - Thursday, 13 July

Wet lab before 31 May after 31 May

- CBLO (CORA Based Levelling Osteotomy) for Cruciate Management - sponsored by **Veterinary Orthopedic Implants**

Residents:	EUR 560,-	EUR 600,-
Diplomates / non-members:	EUR 750,-	EUR 800,-

Dry labs

- Resident Course on New Knotless Techniques for Joint Stabilisation (1.5 d) - sponsored by **Arthrex**

Residents:	EUR 390,-	EUR 390,-
Diplomates / non-members:	EUR 520,-	EUR 520,-

- Tracheal, Urethral & Ureteral Stenting Lab - sponsored by **Infiniti Medical**

Residents:	EUR 150,-	EUR 190,-
Diplomates / non-members:	EUR 200,-	EUR 250,-

- Negative Pressure Wound Therapy & Surgical Stapling Techniques - sponsored by **Infiniti Medical**

Residents:	EUR 190,-	EUR 225,-
Diplomates / non-members:	EUR 250,-	EUR 300,-

Residents Sessions

- ECVS exam - what to expect
- Orthopedic case discussions
- Soft tissue case discussions

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Large Animal Pre-Congress Activities - Wednesday, 12 July - Thursday, 13 July

Wet lab	before 31 May	after 31 May
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Advanced Dental Techniques	Residents: EUR 490,- Diplomates: EUR 650,- non-members: EUR 750,-	EUR 560,- EUR 750,- EUR 850,-
Dry lab		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Comparative Imaging of the Distal Limb	Residents: EUR 490,- Diplomates: EUR 650,- non-members: EUR 750,-	EUR 560,- EUR 750,- EUR 850,-
Residents Sessions		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">ECVS exam - what to expectImaging case discussions	EUR 0,- EUR 0,-	



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Registration is valid when fees are paid. We accept payment by MasterCard and Visa Card (in EUR) or by bank transfer in EUR to the following account:

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Registration fees are quoted in Euro

Cancellation - 50% of fees reimbursed until 30 June 2017, 0% after 30 June 2017

For any information and queries, please contact:

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General Regulations

Accreditation: Accreditation varies from country to country.

Intellectual property: Congress materials, presentations, and case studies are the intellectual property of the presenting authors. All rights are reserved.

Recording, photographing, or copying of lectures is absolutely forbidden. Participants violating intellectual property will be dismissed.

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Security: Wearing of a name badge is compulsory to enter the conference venue and lecture halls.

No insurance: The ECVS does not take out insurance to cover any individual against accidents, theft or other risks.

Mobile phone use: Mobile phone use is not allowed in the lecture halls and in other rooms during lectures. Please be considerate of others by turning off your phone.

Dress code: Casual.

Programme for Partners

Please make your reservations directly online or contact the ECVS Office for further assistance.

Friday, 14 July 2017 - Trossachs day tour (09:00-17:00)

min 15 persons^{*)}

EUR 60,- (excl. lunch, entrance fees)

The area known as the Trossachs is often described as the Highlands in miniature. You will see glorious lochs, sweeping valleys and majestic mountains. Keep your eyes open too for some of Scotland's iconic wildlife such as highland cattle, eagles, ospreys, red squirrels and deer.

The tour will take you from Edinburgh to Stirling with its romantic castle and the National Wallace Monument and then continues into dramatic Highland scenery with mirror-like lochs and typical villages. You will stop by Loch Katerine, made famous by Sir Walter Scott as it provided the setting for his poem *The Lady of the Lake* (1810) and thus became a popular tourist destination of the Victorian age.

Saturday, 15 July 2017 - Edinburgh walking tour (09:00-13:00)

min 15 persons^{*)}

EUR 20,- (excl. entrance fees)

Discover the fascinating history of the Edinburgh Castle and the Royal Mile. This half day walking tour takes you from the Esplanade down the Royal Mile, visiting various closes off Lawnmarket. You will continue to Parliament Square and St Giles Church, pause at Tron Church and pass John Knox House, the Storytelling Centre and former Netherbow Town Gate.

The tour continues down Canongate to Holyrod, visiting closes and gardens of this area en route. On a Saturday, the guide can take the group to Debating Chamber as Parliament will not be in session.

^{*)} Please note that any tours with fewer than 15 places booked may be cancelled and the full cost will be reimbursed to you.

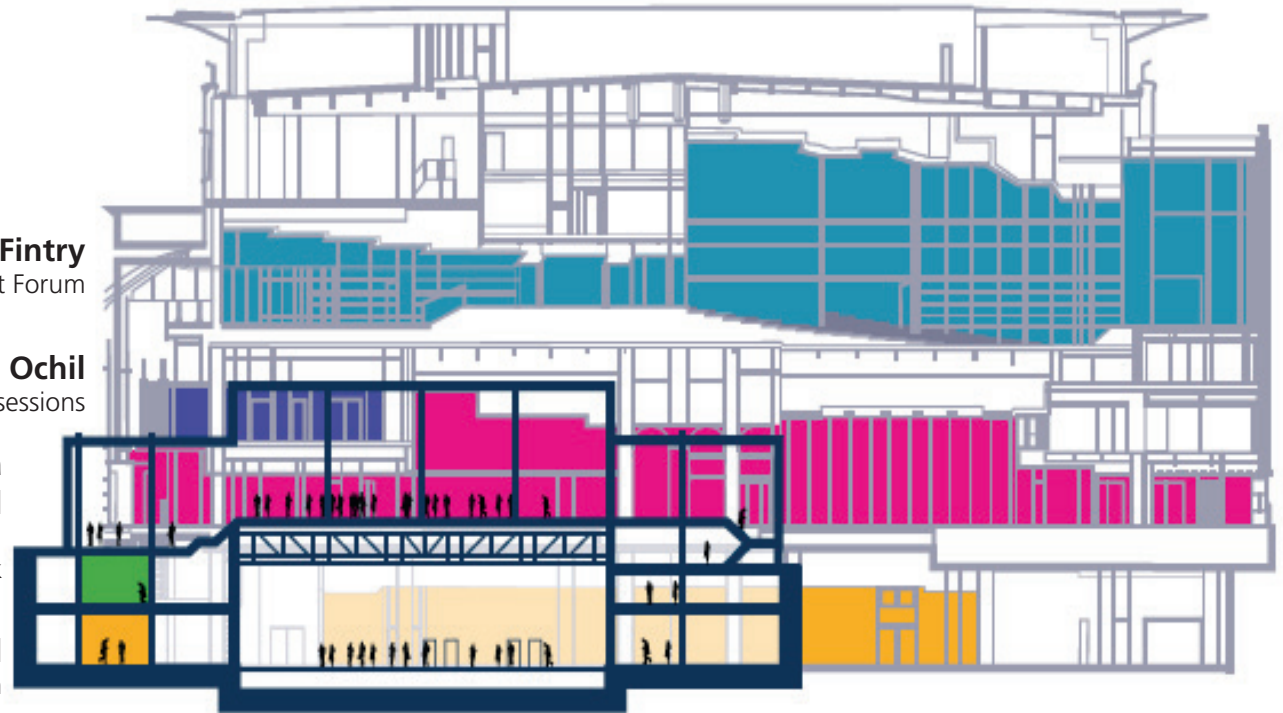
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Level 3: Pentland, Sidlaw, Fintry
plenary, SA sessions, LA Resident Forum

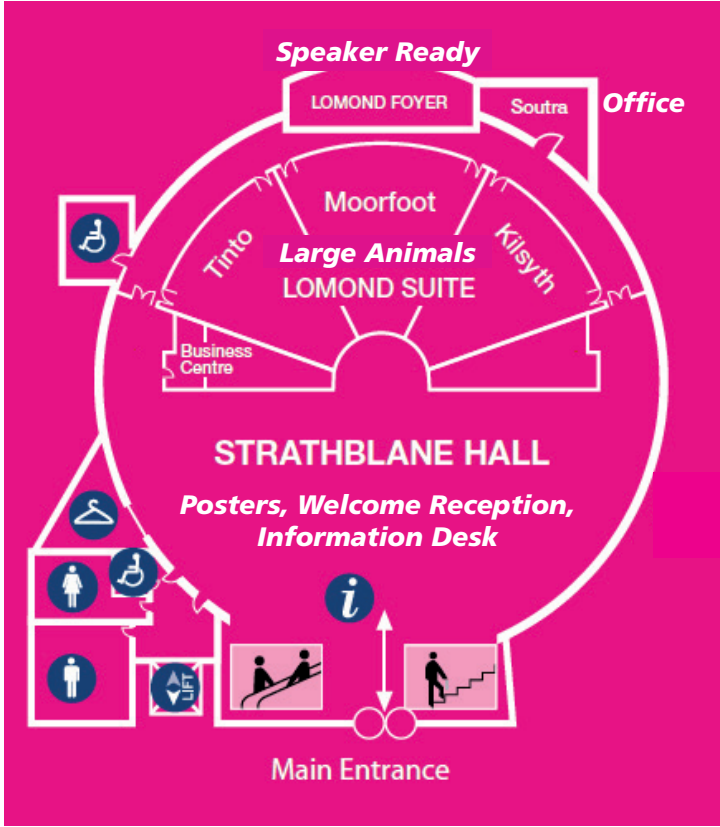
Level 1: Carrick, Harris, Ochil
SA pre-congress labs, lunch-time sessions

**Level 0: Tinto, Moorfoot, Kilsyth, Soutra
Lomond Foyer, Strathblane Hall**
posters, LA sessions, office, speaker ready,
welcome reception, information desk

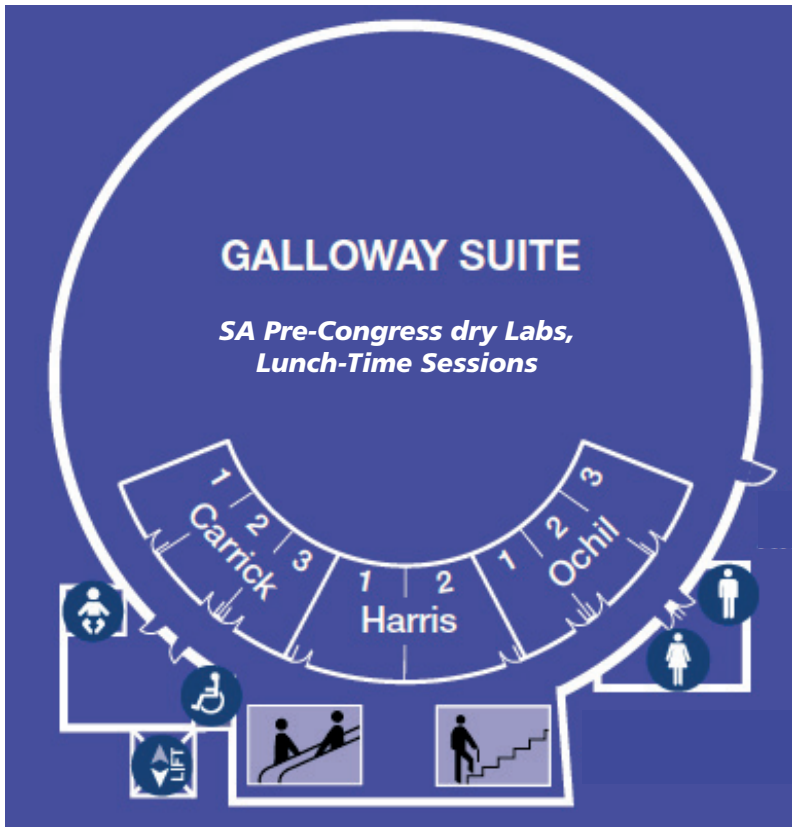
Level -2: Cromdale Hall
exhibition, breaks, registration



Level 0 (entrance level)

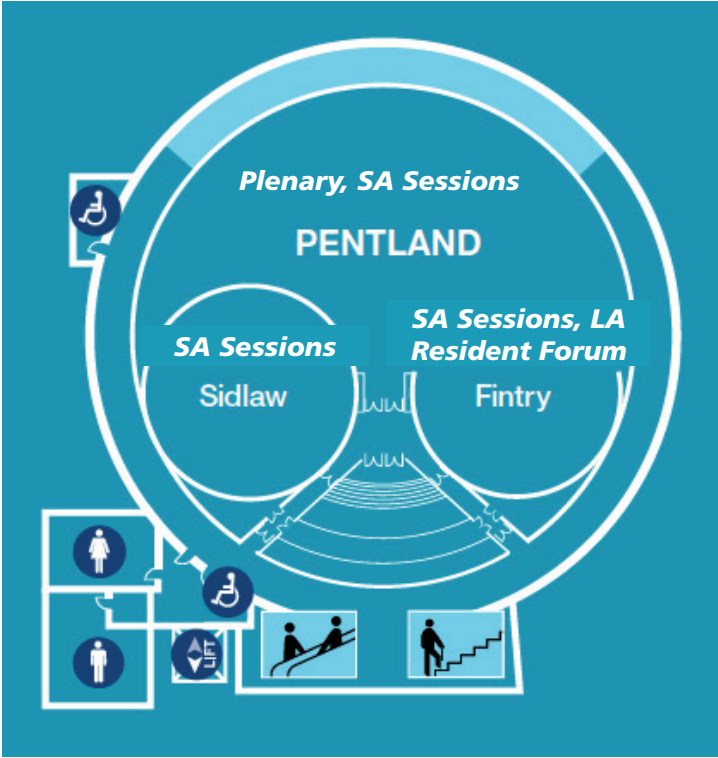


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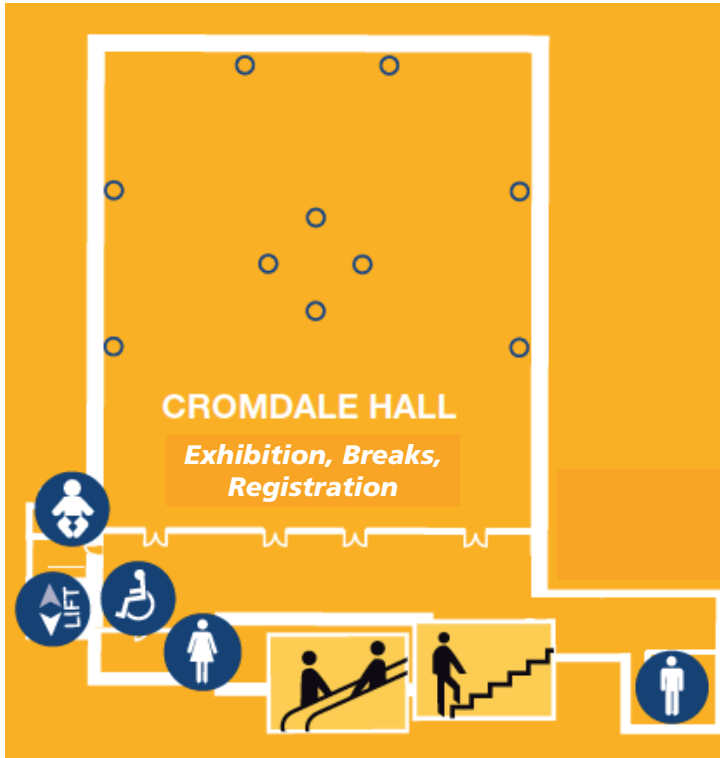


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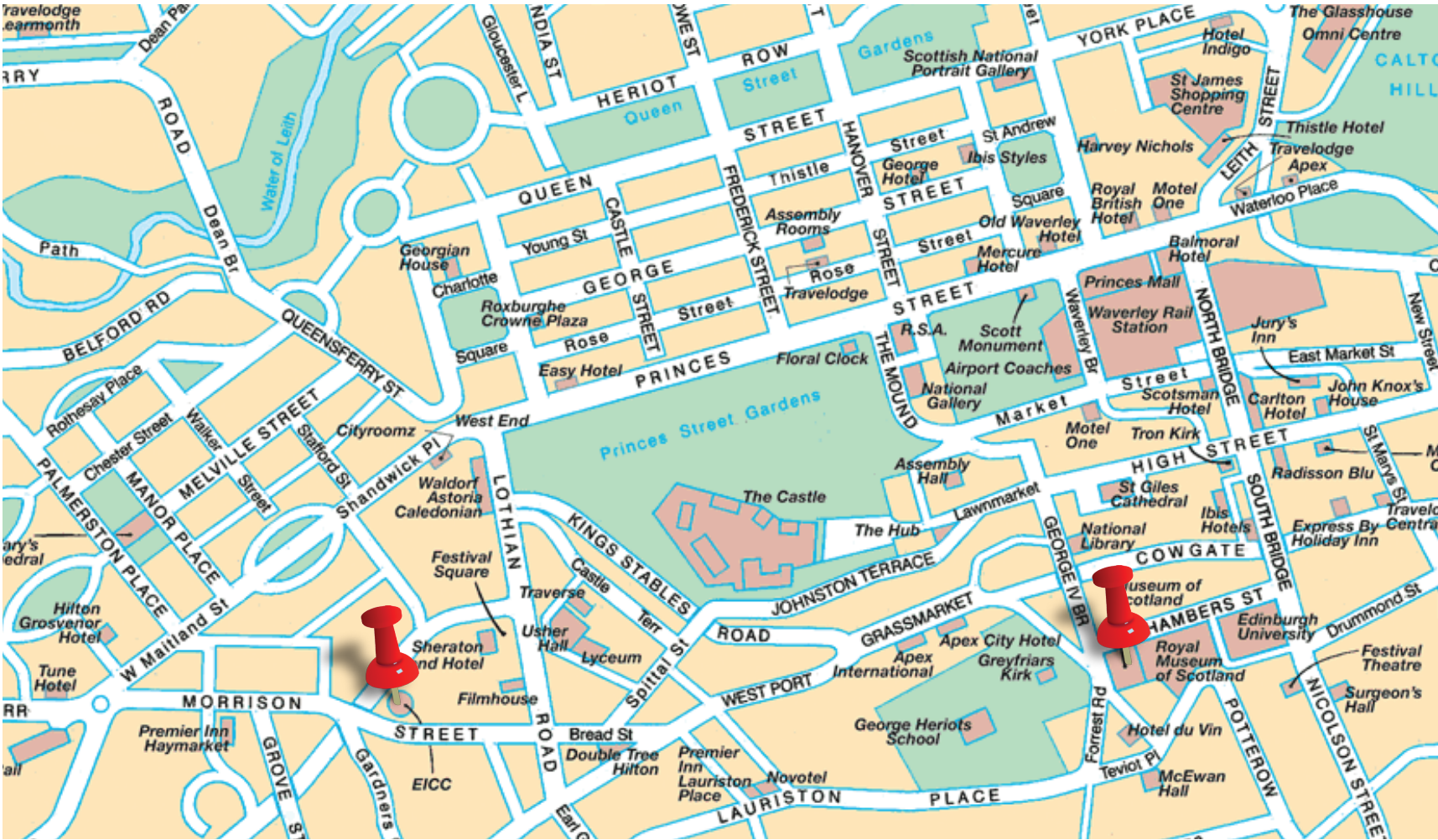
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Level -2



Saturday Evening Farewell Dinner - National Museum of Scotland 20:30



Walking distance: approx. 1 mile (20 min)
 Taxi: approx. 10 minutes
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 bus no 35 from Seemple St to Forrest Rd,
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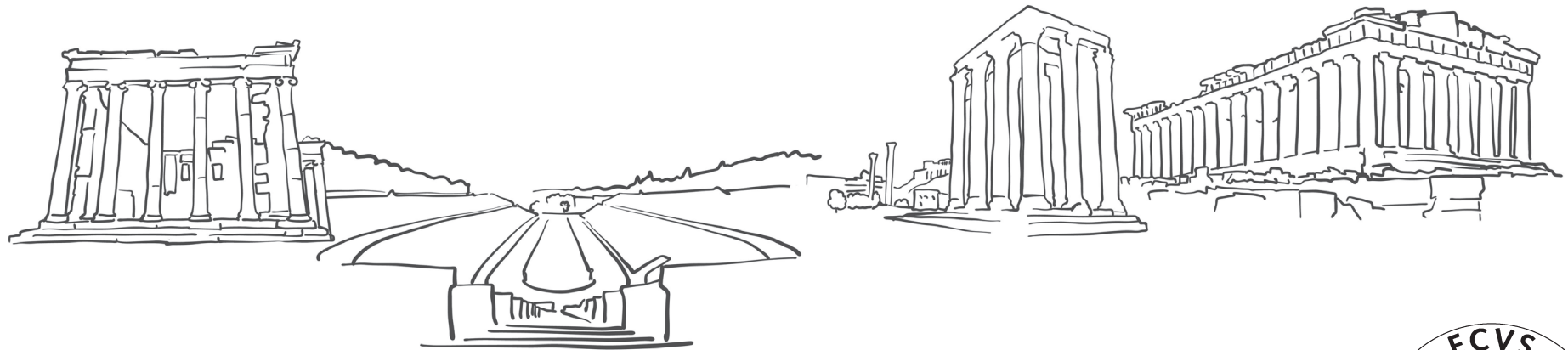


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