# 13th EUROPT Workshop on Advances in Continuous Optimization

8-10 July

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#### Venues

The conference will be held at 50 George Square (red pin) on a fine 18th Century square in the heart of the University of Edinburgh.

## Navigating to the conference venue

If you are travelling by air and don't want to pay for a taxi, take the airport bus (#100) or the tram to Princes Street beside the main (Waverley) railway station. From Waverley Station it is a short walk to the University area. The main route crosses Waverley Station using the "North Bridge" [offering a stunning view of the city centre] and enters the map above from the north along the road that becomes Nicolson Street [having had the name "South Bridge" since leaving "North Bridge"]. If you want to avoid the walk, many buses run along this road: useful ones are #14, #30, #33 and #49.

# Information for speakers

- 1. Speakers should go to their allocated room during the coffee or lunch break prior to their session to load their talk onto the conference PC. Due to time constraints, use of personal laptops will only be permitted if absolutely necessary.
- 2. The programme allows 30 minutes per talk: aim for 25 minutes delivery to leave 5 minutes for questions and moving between rooms.

#### Information for chairs

- 1. Please check the final programme to see if you are listed as chairing a session
- 2. Please ensure that talks begin at 30-minute intervals within your session to allow people to attend talks in different rooms.

## Welcome reception

The welcome reception (with drinks and canapés) will take place at 19:00 on Wednesday 8 July in the Fellows Library of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh (blue pin) which is also known as "Surgeon's Hall". This is well signposted once you have entered the grounds of the Royal College of Surgeons from Nicolson Street (using the gateway on the left when facing the building).

## **Conference dinner**

The conference dinner will take place at 19:00 on Thursday 9 July in the Playfair Library Hall (orange pin) in the University of Edinburgh's Old College. This is well signposted once you are in the College quadrangle which can be entered via the main (domed) gateway on South Bridge or, more directly from George Square, by taking the underpass to West College Street.

## **Computing facilities**

Wireless access is available throughout 50 George Square. If you cannot connect via **eduroam** then please ask at the registration desk for access via a temporary account.

#### **Bars and restaurants**

The conference venue is in the heart of the city of Edinburgh which offers bars and restaurants to suit any taste and budget.