

15th European Meeting on the Molecular Biology of the Pneumococcus

Liverpool, UK

31st May 31st - 03rd June 2022

General information

Upon arrival - Europneumo2022 on-site registration

Upon arrival, please present yourself at the Europneumo2022 registration desk to collect your name badge and tote bag containing the Europneumo2022 brochure, City of Liverpool map, scientific programme etc. A registration desk will be set up on Tuesday 31st May 2022 (opened from 3.30pm) at the Liverpool Town Hall (1st floor), as well as on Wednesday 01st June 2022 (opened from 8.30am) in the atrium of the Museum of Liverpool. Delegates with dietary restrictions should be made themselves known to the registration desk attendants upon arrival. Delegates may also reach out to members of the Europneumo2022 Organising Committee who will be wearing coloured name badges.

Name badges

Please wear your name badges at all times during the conference.

Photographs and videos

Photographs are permitted in line with the Europneumo2022 privacy notice but please refrain from making any video recordings during the conference.

Fire safety procedures

A fire safety briefing will be delivered at the beginning of each day or activities organised by Europneumo2022. Fire exits and assembly points will be indicated.

Masks and hand sanitising

Disposable masks and hand sanitising gels will be made available to all Europneumo2022 delegates at the registration desk. In England, face coverings are no longer required by law. The government suggests that you continue to wear a face covering in crowded and enclosed spaces where you may come into contact with other people you do not normally meet.

Note to Europneumo2022 speakers.

Upon collection of your name badges, please indicate whether you have sent your presentation deck to the organising committee. If you have not, please send your deck as soon as possible to europneumo2022@liverpool.ac.uk or speak to one of the attendants at the Europneumo2022 registration desk with any queries.

Note to Europneumo2022 poster presenters.

Posters will be put up on the morning of Wednesday 01st June 2022 between 8.30 and 9.00am at the Museum of Liverpool (Europneumo2022 main conference venue) and should be left on display until the end of the conference. Please present yourself at the Europneumo2022 registration desk which will be located on the ground floor in the atrium of the Museum of Liverpool. You will be assigned a poster number and will be directed to the poster exhibition area.

Museum of Liverpool access and facilities

Please note that during the conference, the Museum of Liverpool will remain open to the general public, from 10 am-6 pm, Tuesday to Sunday.

General Information desk

The Museum of Liverpool information desk is located in the atrium on the ground floor. Museum of Liverpool staff will be happy to help with any questions you may have regarding their facilities.

Toilets

There are toilets on all floors and they are all accessible to wheelchair users. Gender neutral toilets are available on the first floor.

Lifts

There are two lifts to all floors.

Cloakroom

Coat/clothing rails and luggage storage will be made available to Europneumo2022 delegates– please ask at the Europneumo2022 registration desk or contact members of the Organising Committee.

There are also lockers on the ground floor of the Museum of Liverpool. There is a £5 payment for lockers, card only payments, with a £3 refund on return of the wristband. Please speak to the Museum of Liverpool staff members at the General Information Desk.

Café and shop

There is a shop on the ground floor, open from 10am-4pm Tuesdays to Sundays.

Prayer room

There is a prayer room available on the first floor.

Directions to Europneumo2022 venues and map (see page 5):

All the Europneumo2022 venues are located in Liverpool City Centre within less than 10-minute walk from each other. There are a total of 4 venues:

- **Liverpool Town Hall (see map on page 5, arrow no. 1) – Opening Ceremony**

Address: Town Hall, High St, Liverpool L2 3SW

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- **Museum of Liverpool (see map on page 5, arrow no. 2) – Main Venue**

Address: Pier Head, Mann Island, Liverpool, L3 1DG

What Three words: scores.hears.counts

- **Oh Me Oh My Restaurant (see map on page 5, arrow no. 3) – Gala Dinner**

Address: West Africa House, 25 Water St, Liverpool L2 ORG

What Three words: lifted.vivid.organ

- **Mersey Ferries (see map on page 5, arrow no. 4) – River Explorer Cruise**

Address: Pier Head, George Parade, Liverpool L3 1DP

What Three words: remind.delay.stuck

Our **Europneumo2022 Gala dinner** will start at 7.30pm, and food will be served at 7.45pm. We ask that all Europneumo2022 delegates attending the dinner arrive at the venue at 7.00pm. Delegates with dietary restrictions should make themselves known upon registration or present themselves to

a member of the organising committee upon arrival at the restaurant. The event will run until about midnight.

The River Explorer Cruise will be hosted by Mersey Ferries and will take place aboard The SnowDrop Dazzle Ferry charter. We ask that all Europneumo2022 delegates attending the trip arrive at the docking site (Pier Head, George Parade) at 7.00pm to start boarding. A safety briefing will be delivered shortly after boarding. The duration of the River Explorer Cruise is approximately 90 minutes.

Social media

Feel free to share your thoughts on twitter about the conference using #Europneumo2022

UK's national emergency phone numbers

999 and 112 are the national emergency response services in the UK. 112 is the pan-European equivalent to 999 and can also be used in the UK.

Directions from Liverpool John Lennon International Airport → Liverpool City Centre:

Liverpool John Lennon is located to the South of the City and is approximately 7 km away from the Liverpool City Centre. Buses run to the city centre from the airport, via Liverpool South Parkway rail station. There is also a taxi rank just outside the terminal. Fares cost approx. £18-20 to city centre.

Below is a summary of the bus services currently operating between the Liverpool John Lennon International Airport and Liverpool One Bus Station located in the city centre:

Service	Bus route
500	Airport – Liverpool One Bus Station – Great Charlotte Street (for Lime St Rail Station) – Airport 30 mins to the City Centre, every 30 minutes, 4am to midnight
80A	Airport – Liverpool South Parkway - Liverpool One Bus Station Approximately every 20 minutes
82A	Murdishaw – Runcorn – Widnes – Airport – Liverpool One Bus Station Approximately every 30 minutes
86A	Airport – Liverpool South Parkway – Liverpool One Bus Station Approximately every 20 minutes

Directions from Manchester International Airport → Liverpool City Centre:

By Train: It takes an average of 1h 15m to travel from Manchester Airport to Liverpool Lime Street by train, over a distance of around 29 miles (47 km). The trains are operated by Transpennine Express: <https://www.thetrainline.com/train-companies/transpennine-express>.

By Bus: Coach services operate daily from the Manchester Airport Station. **National Express** is the UK's largest operator of scheduled coach services – and operates direct services to and from Manchester Airport: <https://www.nationalexpress.com/en/help/tickets>.

Directions from Liverpool Lime Street station → Liverpool Town Hall (Liverpool) with public transport:

The following transport lines have routes that pass near Liverpool Town Hall:

- By Bus: From Lime Street Train Station, go to Queens Square bus station (0.2 mile) and take one of the following bus lines: 10A, 432, 437, 472, 500, 58A
- By Train: Board on MERSEYRAIL train from Liverpool Lime Street Low Level and head to James Street Station (3-min journey, about £3 single journey)
- By Foot: The distance between Liverpool Lime street station and Liverpool Town Hall is about 0.6 mile, approximately 12-15 min walk. We recommend walking.

Distance from Liverpool Town Hall to the Museum of Liverpool: 0.5 mile, 8-10 walk

Distance from the Museum of Liverpool to Oh Me Oh My: 0.2 mile, 5-6 min walk

Distance from the Museum of Liverpool to Mersey Ferries: 0.1 mile, 2min walk

For any enquiries, please email europneumo2022@liverpool.ac.uk or ask at the Europneumo2022 registration desk.

