DSN 07 Edinburgh, Scotland

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Date and Location

Monday 25 - Thursday 28, June 2007

Edinburgh, Scotland

Weather

Normal climate for Southern Scotland in June is:

bright, sunny, dry, and pleasantly warm.

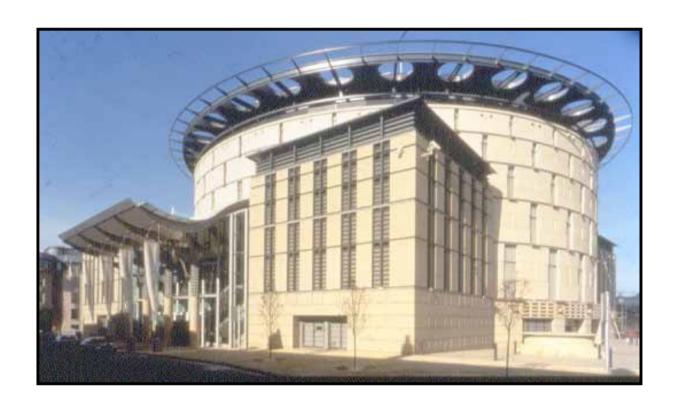
Venue

EICC:

Edinburgh International Conference Centre

Purpose built - excellent audio visual capabilities
Modern facilities - completed 2001
Multiple seminar rooms - flexible configuration
Display areas
All housed in a single attractive building
Prime City centre location

EICC



Accommodation

Edinburgh offers a huge range of hotels, with four at 5* standard in the city centre, and many others at a full range of cost/quality levels.

Adjacent to the EICC is the Sheraton Grand (5*, finest spa facilities in Europe according to Condé Nast). Only a few minutes walking to the Hilton Caledonian, Novotel, Travelodge.

Sheraton Grand Hotel



Costs

UK is traditionally expensive, but:

- Registration can be kept to a similar level to DSN 04
- Hotel charges currently range upwards from about £80 for 3* hotels, £99 for 4* and £145 for 5*
- We will negotiate a discounted conference rate for rooms at a range of recommended hotels

Transportation

Airport: 8 miles from City Centre, with flights to 16 European destinations and more than 30 non-budget flights from London to Edinburgh every day. There is also a daily flight to New York. Glasgow airport is 40 minutes away.

Excellent rail links to rest of Britain, including Glasgow, Newcastle and London

Attractions

Capital city of Scotland

Malt Whisky, excellent restaurants

Edinburgh Castle, Holyrood Palace, Royal Yacht "Brittania"

Museums: National, Royal, Flight, War, Costume, Country Life

Usher Hall, Portrait Gallery of Scotland

Forth railway bridge (3 x double cantilever)

Arthur's Seat and Salisbury Crag

Yacht Malt





Excursion (one option)

Short journey to the historic city of Stirling, location of

- the battle of Stirling Bridge (1297)
- the Wallace memorial
- and Stirling Castle.

Conference dinner at the castle

(Not) William Wallace



Stirling Castle



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Evening Light in June

