

## **BAOS Annual Conference information**

The BAOS Annual Conference 2018 takes place on 26-28 September and will be held at the Edinburgh International Conference Centre (EICC).

**The EICC is located at 150 Morrison Street, Edinburgh EH3 8EE**



### **EICC Map**

### **How to get there**

#### **By Bus**

Edinburgh's main bus terminal is located at St Andrews Square. Bus connections stretch right across the UK. For details of these routes please visit:

[www.nationalexpress.com](http://www.nationalexpress.com) or [www.citylink.co.uk](http://www.citylink.co.uk).

For information on local bus services throughout Edinburgh visit [www.lothianbuses.com](http://www.lothianbuses.com)

#### **By Train**

Edinburgh has two railway stations:

Waverley Station, which is 1.3 miles from EICC, is the city's main railway station and has direct routes to many cities across the country, including over 25 daily departures from London.

Haymarket Station, which is just 0.4 miles from EICC, is a stop for many commuter and some UK train routes. Please ensure that you check with your rail network provider to find out if your train will stop at Haymarket or Waverley. For more information on the rail network within the UK, please visit [www.eastcoast.co.uk](http://www.eastcoast.co.uk) or [www.nationalrail.co.uk](http://www.nationalrail.co.uk)

### **Walk to EICC from Haymarket Station**

When exiting Haymarket Station head right (east), towards the pedestrian crossing. Walk straight up Morrison Street for a few minutes and you will find the EICC on the left hand side.

### **SEStran**

For further advice on alternative modes of transport [www.sestran.gov.uk](http://www.sestran.gov.uk)

### **Travelling to Edinburgh by Car**

The EICC is right in the centre of Edinburgh. The main entrance is 150 Morrison Street. For directions from your home or office visit [www.multimap.com](http://www.multimap.com) and input EH3 8EE for the destination postcode.

### **Parking near the EICC**

There are many car parks in close walking distance to the EICC. Please access the following links for further details:

[National Car Parks \(NCP\)](#) in central Edinburgh

[Sheraton Hotel Car Park](#) located 150 meters from the EICC, with limited accessible parking spaces

[Semple Street Car Park](#) located 300 meters from the EICC



## **Tripshare Edinburgh**

Created to help you quickly and easily find someone who shares your specific journey. Visit the website for full information [www.TripshareEdinburgh.com](http://www.TripshareEdinburgh.com)

## **Cycling**

There are bike racks next to the main entrance to chain up bikes. For nearby routes, the [Edinburgh Cycle Route](#) runs close to the EICC.

## **Travelling to Edinburgh by Plane**

Edinburgh has one of the UK's fastest growing airports and new flights are always being added. At the EICC, we have the luxury of being located right in the heart of the city and within 10km (6 miles) of Edinburgh International Airport.

For more information on which airlines and destinations connect to Edinburgh visit [www.edinburghairport.com](http://www.edinburghairport.com).

## **From Edinburgh Airport by Taxi**

There is an excellent taxi service from the airport to the city. You'll find official airport taxis at the taxi rank outside the terminal building (follow the signs within the airport). It costs approximately £15 to get a taxi from the airport to the city centre and the journey takes 20 minutes depending on the time of day.

## **From Edinburgh Airport by Tram**

Edinburgh Trams run between the Airport and York Place, in central Edinburgh, every 8-10 minutes Monday to Saturday and every 12-15 minutes on a Sunday. The closest tram stop to the EICC is at Haymarket Station. The first tram from Edinburgh Airport departs at 06:15 and the last is 22:45. [Please visit Edinburgh Trams website for further information.](#)

## **From Edinburgh Airport by Bus**

The Airlink 100 operates a frequent bus service (every 10 minutes at peak times) between Edinburgh Airport and the city centre, with designated stops en route. The service starts at 04.30 and runs until 00.22 at night, with the journey taking 20 minutes. Tickets cost £4.50 single and £7.50 return. Delegates are advised to disembark at Haymarket Railway Station and to follow signs for EICC on foot (5 minute walk). See city centre map for directions.

The N22 bus also departs from outside the Airport entrance and runs every half an hour through the night until the Airlink service starts again. For more information about these services visit [www.flybybus.com](http://www.flybybus.com).

## **Hotels near the EICC**

Edinburgh has a wonderful selection of hotels; from grand to budget, you'll find something to suit your needs



[Hotels in Edinburgh](#)

## **Social Events**

**Wednesday 26 September  
2018**

Informal Social Evening including  
Buffet & Drinks  
7.30pm 'til late (ticket only)

The Caves, 8-10 Niddry Street  
South, Edinburgh EH1 1NS

[The Caves Map](#)



**Thursday 27 September 2018**

Black Tie Dinner Dance & 2018 Competition Awards Ceremony  
7.30pm 'til late (ticket only)

National Museum of Scotland, Chambers Street, Edinburgh EH1 1JF

[National Museum of Scotland Map](#)



## Things to do in Edinburgh

Not only a capital city, Edinburgh is also the leading festival city in the world, home to the phenomenal summer festivals, and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Packed with medieval tenements, narrow wynds of the Old Town and the sweeping elegance of the Georgian New Town, there's no question that Edinburgh deserves its reputation as one of the most stunning and enthralling cities in the world.



With a plethora of world-class visitor attractions, sightseeing in Edinburgh is pretty easy, and you can experience different centuries of history without even moving. Head to the bottom of the famous Royal Mile and you'll find the 17th century Palace of Holyroodhouse, the modern parliament building and the prehistoric extinct volcano famously known as Arthur's Seat standing proudly next to each other. With an unparalleled range of events, fantastic shopping, top-class dining, including four Michelin star restaurants, a fabulous bar and café culture, vibrant nightlife, a varied arts scene, relaxing spas and beautiful green spaces to unwind at, visiting Edinburgh is a pure pleasure.

[Suggested itinerary for a day in Edinburgh](#)

[Top Attractions in Edinburgh](#)

## **About The British Association of Oral Surgeons**



Promoting excellence in Oral Surgery through education, training and research for better patient care

The British Association of Oral Surgeons (BAOS) represents all practitioners with a special interest in Oral Surgery, from high street practitioners and hospital specialists to the Academic Oral Surgeons.

The Association launched in September 2001 to represent the growing number of specialists in this field of dentistry.

The Association's aims are to promote the development of specialist Oral Surgery practice and address issues relating to NHS and private practise, training, clinical governance and post-specialist training.

The British Association of Oral Surgeons originated from the British Association of Surgical Dentistry in 2003 where it was announced that the BASD was to change its name to the British Association of Oral Surgeons (BAOS). It was felt that this name is more recognisable to the public and our colleagues in Europe and further afield and better placed to reflect the speciality of Oral Surgery to all those involved.

### **The History of BAOS**

The British Association of Oral Surgeons was constituted under the name of the British Association of Surgical Dentistry (*sic*) in 2001.

In 1999, the GDC introduced two specialist lists related to oral surgery: oral surgery and surgical dentistry. At the time of the introduction of the GDCs specialist lists BAOMS was the sole constituted speciality association for those involved with oral surgery and maxillofacial surgery.

An initial open meeting of specialists attracted about 40 people and led to the establishment of a small committee. This committee facilitated the development of the initial memorandum & constitution of the association and organised a study-day for specialists in surgical dentistry to provide an educational day and a forum for further discussion of the establishment of the association. This was held at the University of Birmingham on the 21<sup>st</sup> September 2001 at which the consensus of all delegates was to establish a specialist association for specialists in surgical dentistry.

Subsequently the British Association of Surgical Dentistry was constituted with the aim to support specialists and lobby the main stakeholders within the UK for the advancement of the speciality. The Association's initial membership rapidly expanded over the coming years.

BAOS has had many achievements over the years and has been at the forefront of advancing the speciality of oral surgery. One of the association's aims is to support

specialist education and one of its most significant achievements was the introduction and publication of its own journal: Oral Surgery, in 2008.

In addition, BAOS provided leadership in the development of oral surgery education at a local as well as national level with the provision of study days throughout the UK. In 2010, BAOS collaborated with Kings College London and produced a number of Oral Surgery training videos that are now being used by many Dental Colleges and can be accessed free, by BAOS members for teaching and on the BAOS website.

## **Member Benefits**

BAOS Members receive:

- £100 - £200 discount on the BAOS Conference fee.
- Up to 20% off all BAOS Study Days and Events including Core CPD and Teaching and Learning Course.
- A quarterly paper copy of the Journal will only be sent by post to Full and Associate members, however, **all** categories of members will be able to access online past journals.
- Updates on upcoming events, discounts and the latest developments in Oral Surgery, job and training opportunities.
- Access to the BAOS members section of the BAOS website which includes Oral Surgery Training Videos and other key resources.
- Membership Records Update
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Please click on the link below to complete your membership update.

[Membership Record Form](#)

## **Fees**

The Membership year runs from January-December. There is no discount for joining mid-year as you will receive all back dated issues of the journal and be eligible for discounts on all BAOS events including a £100 discount on the BAOS Conference. BAOS offer a £20 discount for members who pay by Direct Debit; the concessionary student and retired discounted rates are only available by Direct Debit.

[Click Membership Application Form 2018](#)

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