

ASPP 2024 conference information

Important. Please note that Swansea University has two campuses: Singleton campus and Bay campus. The conference is on **Singleton campus**.

Singleton campus is in the west of Swansea. It is a 30-45 minute walk from the city centre and about a 45 – 60 minute walk from the train station (depending on how quickly one walks). There are regular buses to campus.

We will finalise the conference schedule once registration is closed. However, the conference will start early on 10th of July and finish late afternoon / early evening on the 11th of July.

Travel

The nearest airport is Cardiff airport, but there are not many flights in/out of it, and it is not very well connected with bus and train. Bristol airport is further away than Cardiff, but has more flights and better connections.

There is a train from London, which takes three hours or so. In general, train links to Swansea are good and the train station is in the centre of town.

In terms of getting around Swansea, and getting to/from the university, you can take the bus or walk. There is also a bicycle rental system (Santander bikes), with various docking stations around the town and one on Singleton campus.

Accommodation

There are various hotels, B&Bs and Airbnbs throughout Swansea. It is worth checking their distance from Singleton campus.

You can also choose to stay in Mumbles, which is a pretty coastal village close to Singleton campus. It takes 20 minutes on the bus to get from Mumbles to Singleton campus. It is roughly a 60-minute walk along the beachfront path, which is also a cycle path (Santander bikes can be rented in Mumbles).

A lot of Airbnb places comprise two or more bedrooms. If you are interested in sharing a rental apartment with another conference attendee, then please email us (aspp2024.swansea@gmail.com). We will add you to an invitation-only shared Word

document, where you can enter your contact details and accommodation preferences (e.g., another PhD student, or someone the same gender as you). This can then be used to contact other people on the list / be contacted by them. It means that your contact details will be available to other people, but people will only be able to access the document once we give them permission. Please note, we will not be doing anything to arrange Airbnb accommodation, aside from creating this list.

Conference dinner

The conference dinner will take place on Wednesday 10th. When you register, please indicate whether you wish to attend the dinner.

Contact information

If you have any questions about the conference or if there is anything that we can help with, then please write to aspp2024.swansea@gmail.com.