

## WMO/CBS & Met Office

### Workshop on Regional & Global Exchange of Weather Radar Data

#### Information for Participants

##### ***Workshop Information***

The WMO/CBS Workshop on Regional & Global Exchange of Weather Radar Data, hosted by the Met Office, will take place over the 24 – 26 April, 2013, at Exeter, UK.

The workshop will be held at [The Rougemont Hotel](#), Queen Street, Exeter EX4 3SP

Directions to the hotel can be found [here](#).

The Met Office has secured a fixed price package (£452) per Workshop participant for accommodation, all meals and the conference venue with The Rougemont Hotel. Participants are requested to complete and return the attached Registration Information below and return by email to Sasha Cann ( [sasha.cann@metoffice.gov.uk](mailto:sasha.cann@metoffice.gov.uk) ), after which their booking will be secured by the Met Office with the hotel.

Payment to the hotel for the accommodation package should be made by the participant, either on arrival or at the completion of their stay.

A tour of the Met Office is expected to be arranged for the Friday afternoon of 26 April, for those Workshop participants able and wishing to participate. Please indicate your intention to do so in the Registration Information.

Directions to the Met Office, Exeter can be found [here](#). This link contains information on how to travel from major airports in England to Exeter by rail or by bus which is also provided further below.

Note that the Rougemont Hotel is located very close to Exeter Central rail station (see map below).

##### ***UK Visa Information***

Information on visa requirements for entry to the UK can be found at the [UK Border Agency](#).

##### ***Information on Exeter***

Information on Exeter is available at: [Exeter City Council](#).

##### ***Workshop Contacts***

###### **Workshop Coordination**

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###### **Workshop Registration**

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## **Registration Information**

Please complete this form and return to [sasha.cann@metoffice.gov.uk](mailto:sasha.cann@metoffice.gov.uk)

NAME:	
ORGANISATION:	
MOBILE PHONE:	
EMAIL:	
DATE OF ARRIVAL:	
DATE OF DEPARTURE:	
SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (Dietary & other):	
OTHER GUESTS AND DATES?	
PASSPORT NUMBER:	
DATE OF BIRTH:	
PLACE OF BIRTH:	
NATIONALITY:	
MET OFFICE TOUR?	

## ***Travel to Exeter By air***

Most international flights arrive at London Heathrow (180 miles from Exeter), however, there are several flights daily from Paris and Amsterdam to Bristol Airport (66 miles from Exeter). New flight routes to Exeter Airport (two miles from the Met Office) are regularly introduced. Flybe flies direct from Exeter Airport to Paris Charles De Gaulle Airport and Amsterdam.

### **From Exeter Airport**

- Follow the A30 and the road signs towards Exeter city centre.
- After going under the M5, go straight across the first roundabout.
- Take the second turning on the right in FitzRoy Road.
- Follow the road around the Met Office building.

### **From Bristol Airport**

Take the bus from Bristol Airport to Bristol Temple Meads railway station. The bus runs every 20 minutes and the journey takes about 25 minutes. Full timetable available at the Bristol Airport website. There are regular trains to Exeter from Bristol Temple Meads station (about one per hour). Train journey takes about an hour.

### **From Heathrow Airport**

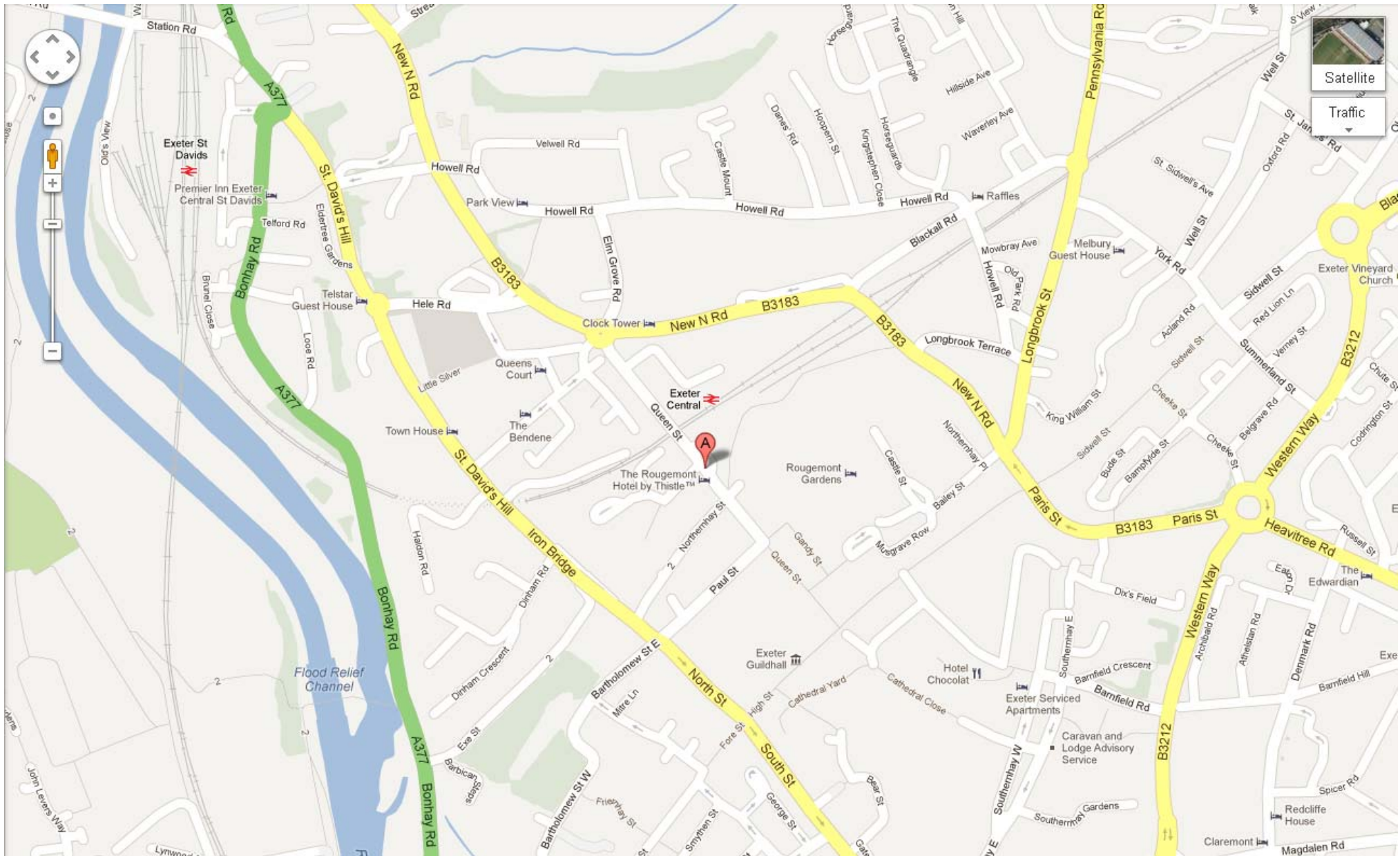
The Heathrow Express train departs Heathrow Airport for London Paddington rail station every 15 minutes. Journey time is between 15 and 23 minutes. A typical journey from Paddington to Exeter St Davids takes as little as 2 hours 15 minutes.

An alternative is to get the Railair coach service to Reading, where all the trains between London Paddington and Exeter stop. The service operates every 20 minutes and the journey time is between 40 minutes and 1 hour.

There are about 12 National Express coaches a day between Heathrow Airport and Exeter bus station. The journey time is 3.5 to 4 hours.

### **From Gatwick Airport**

Take the train from Gatwick Airport to Reading. This train runs hourly and takes about 75 minutes. From Reading there is a frequent service to Exeter St Davids (journey time about two hours).



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Central St Davids

Exeter Central

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