

3rd UK Plant Evolution Meeting

General information

Meeting location

Jodrell Laboratory
Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew,
Kew Road
Richmond, Surrey TW9 3DS

The closest National Railway station is Kew Bridge (a 15 min walk) and the closest London Underground Station is Kew Gardens station, located in Kew village (a 10 min walk) (see maps below).

All talks and panel discussions will take place in the Lady Lisa Sainsbury Lecture Theatre inside the Jodrell Laboratory. Refreshment breaks, lunches and the evening poster session and drinks reception will also be held in the Jodrell Laboratory.

To access the building, please enter the Gardens via the Jodrell Gate on Kew Road. A member of staff will be present at the gate between the following times:

Wednesday 3rd April: 08:30–10:00 17:30–18:45; Thursday 4th April: 08:00–10:00 18:30–20:00; Friday 5th April: 8:00–9:30 17:30–18.30

If you arrive/depart outside of these hours or the gate is unattended, please call RBG Kew Constabulary using the telephone in the yellow box on the wall by the gate. You will be connected automatically when you pick up the receiver. Please give Constabulary your name and let them know that you are attending the UK Plant Evolution Conference. They will then remotely release the pedestrian gate.

Exhibition stands by sponsors

We encourage you to take the opportunity to visit the sponsor exhibition stands.

Poster presentations

Posters will be open for viewing throughout the conference. Please ensure that your poster is mounted as soon as possible after you arrive so it can be viewed by as many people as possible. Please take down your posters no later than 18:30 on Friday 5th April.

A designated poster session will take place from 17:00–18:00 on Wednesday 3rd April and from 18.15–19:30 on Thursday 4th April.

Internet access

Free Wi-Fi access is available in all of our buildings including the Jodrell Laboratory. To connect to our Wi-Fi, please select Kew-Visitors from the available networks and accept the terms and conditions.

Twitter

If you are tweeting about the symposium, please use the hashtag #UKPEM.

First aid

Should you need assistance, please ask at the Jodrell reception desk or speak with a member of staff.

Emergencies

For emergencies, please dial 020 8332 3333 (or extension 333 from a Kew telephone). Please DO NOT dial 999, as emergency calls need to be co-ordinated by the on-site Constabulary team.

Fire

The signal to evacuate is a loud, two-tone alarm. On hearing the alarm, please proceed directly to the nearest emergency exit. DO NOT use the lifts. The fire assembly point is the GRASS GARDEN at the rear of the Jodrell Laboratory, beyond the waterlily pond.

Taxis

Kew Cars: 020 8568 6666

Nearby facilities

The retail store at Victoria Plaza (situated by Victoria Gate) sells a variety of books, gifts and gardening supplies. Conference attendees will have a 10% discount in the retail store when presenting your conference badge. You can also find a range of shops and restaurants near to Kew Bridge railway station, Kew Gardens station and Kew Green.

Car parking

There is no parking available within the Royal Botanic Gardens, but there is a public car park which can be reached from Kew Green via Ferry Lane. Alternatively, there is on-street parking around Kew Green.

How to get to Jodrell Gate

