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CONFERENCE VENUE

DALHOUSIE BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF DUNDEE – VENUE FOR THE CONFERENCE



The conference is being held at the award winning Dalhousie Building at the University of Dundee.

[Click here to go on a virtual tour of the building.](#)

The Dalhousie Building was designed to encourage innovation and creativity. It was named in honour of the University's second Chancellor, the 16th Earl of Dalhousie, and opened by the Queen. It was named 'Best Commercial/Public Building' by the Dundee Institute of Architects in 2007.

The University of Dundee was named Scottish University of the Year in The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide in 2015 and 2016. It has been hailed for excellent teaching quality and student experience, being placed in the top ten in the UK for both key measures in the Good University Guide analysis. The Guide also noted the strength of research at the University and the institution's economic, social and cultural impact.

Dalhousie Building, 75 Old Hawkhill, Dundee DD1 5EN

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SOCIAL EVENT VENUES

CITY CHAMBERS – VENUE FOR THE CIVIC RECEPTION

The Lord Provost looks forward to welcoming EuroCoalAsh2019 conference at the civic reception on Monday 10 June 2019 at City Chambers, Dundee.

Located in the centre of Dundee, the Chamber itself is an impressive room, restrained and dignified in design. The walls are predominantly walnut with simply moulded plastered panels and ceiling above. Between the walnut wall panels are decorative bronze radiator grilles with designs depicting the story of Dundee. The cut glass chandelier in the centre of the Chamber was made from surviving remnants of the 18th century chandeliers originally in the Adam Town House known as 'The Pillars'. Portraits of former Provosts and Lord Provosts of the City line the walls.



City Chambers, City Square, Dundee DD1 3BT

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DISCOVERY POINT & RRS DISCOVERY – VENUE FOR THE CONFERENCE DINNER



Enjoy an evening at Discovery Point & RRS Discovery on the evening of Tuesday 11 June 2019 with a drinks reception on board RRS Discovery prior to dinner in the function suite at Discovery Point. The RRS Discovery & Discovery Point offer fantastic views over the River Tay towards the rolling hills of Fife and the newly opened V&A Dundee.

History of RRS Discovery & Discovery Point

Built in Dundee in 1901, RRS Discovery was designed specifically for the first scientific research expedition to Antarctica. Dundee was a well-known whaling port with a

ship-building industry renowned for constructing vessels strong enough to withstand the ice of the Arctic whaling grounds, so when it came to designing a research ship for Antarctic exploration - Dundee was the obvious choice.

Discovery Point is home to this iconic ship and the museum and galleries that tell her stories. From her maiden voyage in 1901 to Antarctica with Captain Scott and Ernest Shackleton, during the *'Heroic Age of Exploration'* and through the years on various ground-breaking expeditions across the world.

In 1986 a new home was offered by Dundee Heritage Trust and on 3 April Discovery changed hands from the Maritime Trust to Dundee Heritage Trust. Discovery was welcomed home by thousands who lined the shores of the River Tay and was berthed at Victoria Dock. Today, over 115 years after leaving Dundee, Discovery sits proudly as the centrepiece of the five star Discovery Point Visitor Centre.

Dundee Heritage Trust is also responsible for Verdant Works, one of the nation's most important textile museums. Both sites are accredited with Recognised Collections of National Significance, 5-star rated Visitor Attractions with VisitScotland and have won numerous awards.

The purpose of Dundee Heritage Trust is *'The guardianship, preservation, and portrayal of Dundee's Heritage in ways that educate, inspire and enlighten current and future generations.'*

Discovery Point, Discovery Quay, Dundee DD1 4XA

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