

Information Sheet for The Training Partnership Events

The University of Salford is situated under 2 miles from Manchester city centre. There are excellent transport links, with Salford Crescent railway station on campus and regular bus services. Trains from Manchester International Airport run hourly and take 30 minutes to campus. The airport can also be reached by car within 20 minutes.

Travelling by train

Salford Crescent Railway Station is located on the university's campus between Peel Park and Allerton; entrance to the station is on the A6 junction with University Road. It is a 4 or 5 minute walk from there to the Maxwell Hall.

Direct services run to and from Manchester Airport, Manchester Piccadilly and Victoria, as well as Blackpool, Bolton, Buxton, Blackburn, Southport, Preston, Lancaster and Barrow-in-Furness.

Inter-city services normally use Manchester Piccadilly which is about ten minutes by train from Salford Crescent.

Travelling by Bus

The following buses stop along Salford Crescent for buildings on Peel Park:

8, 12,25,26,31,32,36,37,38,39,41,50,67,100,x34

Travelling by Tram

The Greater Manchester tram network (Metrolink) spans across the city, with lines currently extending to Manchester city centre, Bury, Altrincham, Chorlton, Oldham, Rochdale, Eccles, East Didsbury, Ashton-Under-Lyne and Didsbury. Although trams do not extend to the university, connections can be made by rail from Victoria, Piccadilly and Deansgate railway stations.

Travelling by Car

A6 (for Peel Park, Frederick Road, Adelphi and Irwell Valley sites).

M6 (from North) — leave at Junction 30 on to M61 then follow directions from M61 below.

M6 (from North/South) — leave at Junction 21a for M62 eastbound and follow directions for M62 below.

M61 (from North) — just after Junction 3, the inside lane becomes the slip road signposted A580 Manchester. Stay in this lane and join the A580 which then becomes the A6 signposted Salford/Manchester. Continue straight on. Ignore signs for Salford Shopping City and avoid inside lane. After underpass look out for local signs to University.

M62 (from West) — at Junction 12 carry straight on following signs for M602. Follow M602 to Junction 3 signposted Salford/Trafford Park. Keep in inside lane and turn left on to A5063 (Albion Way). Follow signposts for Salford/Pendleton. At second lights, turn left on to A6 for Frederick Road and Irwell Valley sites or right for Peel Park and Adelphi sites.

M56 (from South) — after Junction 4 stay in inside lane and come off following signs for M60 signposted Stretford, Bolton, Leeds. After passing over ship canal bridge, with Trafford Shopping Centre on right, leave M60 at Junction 12 and follow signs for M602 (see instructions for M602 above).

M60 (from East) — leave at Junction 17 signposted Prestwich and Whitefield. Turn left on to the A56 (Prestwich/Salford/Manchester). Follow into Manchester. Turn right off A56 onto A576 (Great Cheetham Street West). Straight on to second roundabout. Turn left onto A6. Avoid inside lane.

M1 (from South) — exit at Junction 42 and follow M62 westbound.

From Manchester/Salford Inner Relief Road — leave at exit for A6 Salford (Chapel Street). The University is half a mile away.

From Manchester City Centre — follow signs for Salford and then more locally signs for the University of Salford which will direct you to the A6 (Chapel Street/Crescent).

From A580 (from East) — turn left off A580 on to A5185 (Lancaster Road) and then right on to A576 (Eccles Old Road).

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Coach drop offs

Coaches can drop off at the front of Maxwell Hall, in the lay by; this is accessible directly from the A6. We have no designated coach parking but coaches can park on our Farmer Norton car park (with prior agreement) at a cost of £2.00 per day.

On Campus Catering outlets – Maxwell Building

Maxwell Restaurant – 8.15am -2.15pm

Maxwell Shop – 8.30am – 6pm Monday to Thursday; 8.30am -4pm Friday

Subway – 8am -7pm