

'Use It or Lose It'

Natural Sciences Collections Association
Conference & AGM
29th and 30th March 2012
Horniman Museum and Gardens and
Grant Museum of Zoology, UCL



Notes:

The main conference sessions take place on Thursday 29th March at the Horniman Museum and Friday 30th March at the Grant Museum of Zoology, UCL.

We recommend you stay at a hotel in the Bloomsbury/Euston area near the Grant Museum.

The Horniman Museum is near Forest Hill train station, 10-15 minutes from London Bridge, and trains run regularly. It takes 15-20 mins to get the Tube from Euston to London Bridge.

As well as tours as part of the main conference, optional tours of the **Hunterian Museum at the Royal College of Surgeons** will take place on **Wednesday** afternoon, and tour of the **Darwin Centre at the NHM** and **Horniman Study Collections Centre** on **Wednesday afternoon and Saturday morning**. Booking is required – details to follow. These tours are only available to delegates who have paid for at least one day of the conference.

Hotels near the Grant Museum (these are largely untested)

There are many – see the link on the right of this page:

http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/Attraction_Review-g186338-d638483-Reviews-Grant_Museum_of_Zoology-London_England.html

Imperial Hotels Group

Six local hotels of varying standard – the County starts at £45 per night, the less budget Tavistock from £69.

<http://www.imperialhotels.co.uk/>

Ridgemount Hotel, Gower Street

Rooms from £50 per night

<http://www.ridgemounthotel.co.uk/prices>

http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/Hotel_Review-g186338-d187680-Reviews-Ridgemount_Hotel-London_England.html

Jesmond Hotel, Gower Street

Rooms from £50 per night

http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/Hotel_Review-g186338-d559783-Reviews-Jesmond_Hotel-London_England.html

<http://www.jesmondhotel.org.uk/budget-room-prices>

Gower House Hotel

Rooms from £55 per night

<http://www.gowerhousehotel.co.uk/tariff.html>

http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/Hotel_Review-g186338-d806087-Reviews-Gower_House_Hotel-London_England.html