

SPPIRIT MINI SYMPOSIUM

Programme

- 1:00pm:** **Arrival**
1:20pm: **Welcome and Introduction**
1:30pm: **Research Showcase**

Joanne Power (Modrzynska Lab, Glasgow)

Catharine Oke (Reece Lab, Edinburgh)

Jed Hawes (Lee Lab, Dundee)

Agustina Berazategui (Young Lab, Edinburgh)

Joyce Nyirongo (Ranford-Cartwright Lab, Glasgow)

Miriam Garner (Smith Lab, Moredun)

Jahiro Gomez (Philip Lab, Edinburgh)

Vitoria DaCunha Baptista (Sheiner Lab, Glasgow)

Chris Bailey (Baragana Lab, Dundee)

Atefeh Fathi (Ramaprasad Lab, Glasgow)

Alex Vavrik (Pedersen Lab, Edinburgh)

John Archer (Laing Lab, Glasgow)

2:30pm: **Short break**

2:40pm: **Keynote Presentation**

Andrew Maclean (University of Edinburgh)

3:20pm: **Networking at Canvas, Dundee**



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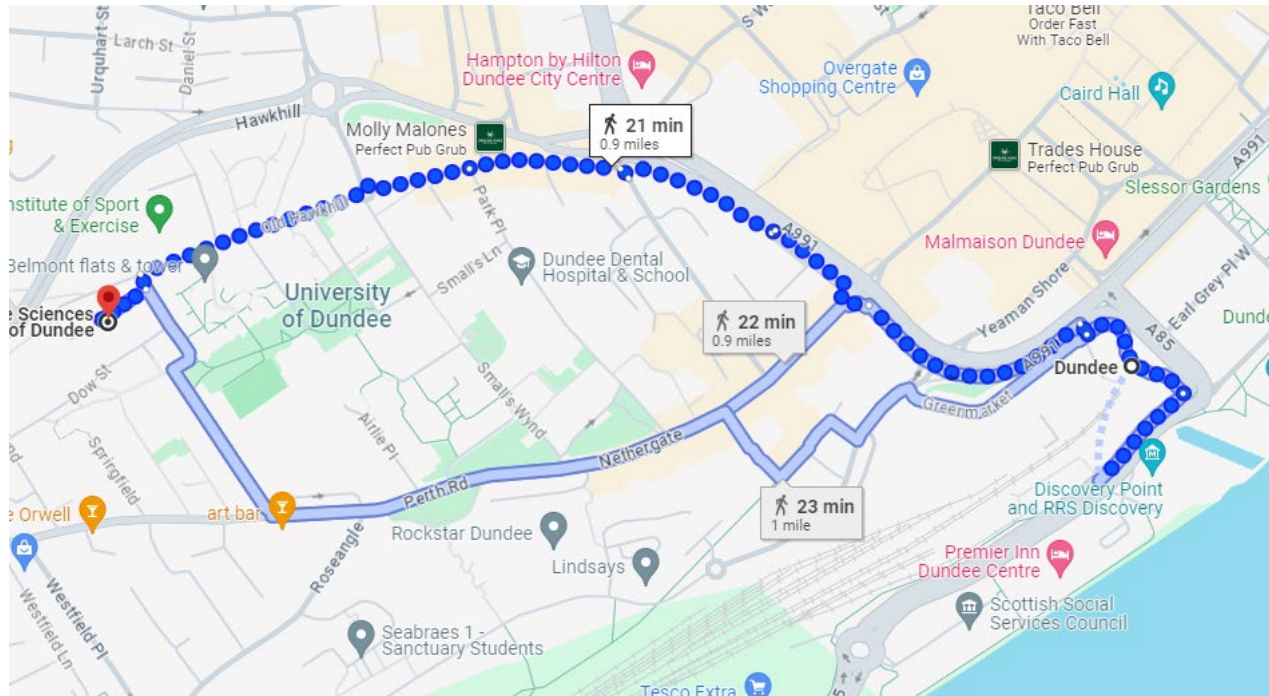
University of Dundee
School of Life Sciences
October 29, 2026

Travel Information- Travelling to The Faculty of Life Sciences, University of Dundee.

Our event will be held within the **Faculty of Life Sciences** building, Dow St, Dundee DD1 5EH.

Please arrive at the Faculty of Life Sciences Building Life Space Entrance (located around the building to the right of the main reception).

i. If arriving via train



If travelling to the event via train, please be aware that the Life Sciences building is a ~21 minute walk from the train station.

If unable (or unwilling!) to walk this distance, bus timetables are also available at the train station, for buses from the city centre throughout Dundee. Most buses headed towards Ninewells Hospital or Perth should pass by the university (most often the Brown Street stop) every 10-15 minutes. The university is then a short walk (~5 minutes) from this stop.

ii. If arriving via bus

Bus timetables are available online or via the Stagecoach app. Most buses headed towards Ninewells Hospital or Perth should pass by the university every 10-15 minutes. The university is then a short walk (~5 minutes) from nearby stops.

iii. If arriving via car

Parking on university grounds is for permit holders only. There are two public car parks near the university, ~5 minute walks. Hunter Street car park has hourly charging up to £10.70 for 10 hours and is the larger of the two. Pennycook lane car park is relatively small (so arrive early to guarantee a space) but is the cheapest at £2.00 per day- this will need to be booked via JustPark.

Alternatively, parking is available in the city centre (from which you will need to walk or take the bus as described above).

