

**Erasmus European Dimensions in Qualifications for the Tourist Sector
(EURDIQ)**

Workshop Programme – London Metropolitan University

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Sunday 20 November

City Continental Kensington London Hotel, <http://www.citycontinental-kensington.co.uk>, 11-13 Penywern Road, Earls Court, London SW5 9TT, Tel: + 44 (0) 20 7373 6514

It is easy to get the Hotel by public transport. You can buy ticket before on the web-site please see information below. Also you can buy ticket on the station please see Information office or Ticket Machines.

HEATHROW AIRPORT Heathrow is situated 13 miles (20 kilometres) west of London Earls Court. There are rails, tube (London Underground Service) or bus services from Heathrow into Central London. **By Train:** The quickest option is to catch The "Heathrow Express" Service; a non-stop over ground train service to Paddington. Trains depart every 15 minutes and journey time is approximately 15 minutes. The first train leaves Heathrow just after 05:00 the last train leaves just after 11:30p.m. **For more information & tickets call +44(0)845 6001515 or visit www.heathrowexpress.co.uk.** **By Underground:** Heathrow airport has 2 underground stations on the Piccadilly Line, one station for Terminal 1, 2 and 3 and one for Terminal 4. Average journey time to Central London is approx.40/45 minutes. Tubes run every 5 minutes at peak times and every 9 minutes at off peak times and weekends. The first train to central London leaves at 05:04 (05:47 on Sundays) and the last one at 11:47p.m. (11:57p.m. on Sundays). **For more information & ticket call +44 (0) 20 7222 1234 or visit www.thetube.com**

GATWICK AIRPORT: Gatwick airport is situated 28 miles (45 kilometres) south of London Earls Court. There are rail and bus services from Gatwick into Central London. There are 2 terminals at Gatwick airport North & South. **By Train:** The Gatwick Express train service runs every 15 minutes during the day, and hourly (35 minutes past each hour) during the night. It takes 30 minutes to travel to London Victoria. Access to the Gatwick Train Station is easy from both North and South terminal. Follow the signs on arrival. **For more information & tickets call +44 (0) 8705 301530 or visit www.gatwickexpress.co.uk**

STANSTED AIRPORT: Stansted airport is situated almost 38.9 miles (62.7 kilometres) of London Earls Court. There are train and bus from Stansted to Central London. **By Train:** The airport railway station is situated below the terminal building. The Stansted Express runs every 15 minutes from 08.00a.m to 17.00p.m. Weekdays, and every 30 minutes early morning, evening weekdays and weekends. The journey time is approx 35 minutes to **Tottenham Hale Station (underground service Victoria Line to Victoria & District Line To Earls Court time approx 10-15 minutes)** and 45 minutes to Liverpool station, Central London. From London Stansted the first service begins at 06:00a.m. every day and the final train departs at 23:30p.m. For more information & tickets call +44 (0) 845 8500 150

CITY AIRPORT: London City Airport is located only 13.7 miles (22 Kilometers) from London Earls Court. A shuttle bus service from the airport to Canning Town connects passengers onto the Jubilee underground line. Alternatively, taxis are available outside the arrivals hall. For more information please visit www.londoncityairport.com

By Taxi from all airports: London black cabs are available at Heathrow airport for travel within and around the London area. These taxis are metered and a trip to central London will start from around GBP 38.00 (if you don't get stuck in traffic), **For more information call +44 (0) 20 7272 0272**



Please note!

Budget per person for accommodation is 480 euro (4 days)

Some positions of the budget have been previously paid:

Hotel – 261 euro (single, 3 nights)

Lunch and coffee - 20 pounds 2 days

Project dinner (November 22) – 14 euro for table (+ bill)

Information for the cultural program:

For the theatre tickets please look at this site <http://www.ticketmaster.co.uk/west-end-theatre> and <http://www.lastminute.com>;

More tourist information <http://www.visitlondon.com>

Monday 21st November

Moorgate Campus, Electra House, 84 Moorgate, London EC2M6SQ, ROOM MG1-04

10:00-10: 15 Welcome and introductions. Simon Jones, Head of Business and Law, London Metropolitan University

10: 15-11:45 Development of tourism occupational standards and qualification frameworks in the UK. David Hinds - consultant in tourism for Department of Business and Law.

11:45-12:00 Coffee and tea break

12:00- 13:00 Challenges and opportunities in the UK Tourism industry

Maggie Gold - Senior Lecturer in Tourism, London Metropolitan University

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-16:00 Developing tourism strategy for the City of London – walking tour

Maggie Gold, Ela Rogers– Senior Lecturers in Tourism, London Metropolitan University

18: 00 Evening meal at Canteen, Spitalfields Market, 2 Crispin Pl, London E1 6DW

Tuesday 22nd November

Moorgate Campus, Electra House, 84 Moorgate, London EC2M6SQ, ROOM MG1-04

10:00-11:30 Employability and employer links in Travel and Tourism.

David Hinds - consultant in tourism for Department of Business and Law

11:30-11: 45 Coffee and tea break

11:45-13:00 Work based learning in sustainable tourism – field work case study. Expert from the LMU

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:00 Quality assurance of programmes in the UK.

Pat Gray – Academic Leader for Partnerships.

15:00-16:00 Work placements and employability at London Metropolitan University. Vanessa Airth – Head of Employability, Dept of Business and Law, London Metropolitan University

18: 00 Project dinner at Haz, 64 Bishopsgate, London EC2N 4AW

Wednesday 23rd November

09:00-11:00 Project management meeting at **City Continental Kensington London Hotel**, <http://www.citycontinental-kensington.co.uk>, 11-13 Penywern Road, Earls Court, London SW5 9TT