BCVA Congress 2025 – Edinburgh International Conference Centre



9th – 11th October

EICC (Congress Venue)

The EICC is located at 150 Morrison Street, Edinburgh, EH3 8EE

<u>Travel</u>

You can visit <u>https://www.eicc.co.uk/visiting/how-to-get-here/</u> to find your most sustainable way to travel.

By Bus: Edinburgh's primary bus terminal is at St Andrews Square, offering connections across the UK. For routes, visit: <u>National Express</u> or <u>City Link</u>. For local services, check <u>Lothian Buses</u>.

By Train: Edinburgh boasts two railway stations, Check <u>Scot Rail</u> or <u>Trainline</u> for more information:

- Waverley Station: 1.3 miles from EICC, with direct routes nationwide.
- Haymarket Station: Just 0.4 miles from EICC, serving commuter and UK routes. Check with your provider for stops.

By Tram: Edinburgh Trams operate between Airport and York Place. Closest stop to EICC is at Haymarket Station. Visit <u>Edinburgh Trams website</u> for details.

Walk from Haymarket Station: Exit Haymarket Station, head east towards pedestrian crossing, walk straight up Morrison Street to find EICC on the left.

From Edinburgh Airport by Bus: Take Airlink 100 for a frequent service to the city centre. Disembark at Haymarket Station and follow signs to EICC (5-minute walk). Visit <u>Lothian Buses</u> for more info.

Travelling to Edinburgh by Car

The EICC falls in the Low Emission Zone. Please check if your is exempt before traveling https://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/lowemissionzone

The EICC is right in the centre of Edinburgh. The main entrance is 150 Morrison Street. For directions from your home or office visit <u>www.multimap.com</u> and input EH3 8EE for the destination postcode.

Parking near the EICC

There are many car parks in close walking distance to the EICC. Please access the following links for further details:

- Q-Park Capital Square: To park in the Q-Park with a 30% discount, pre-book through this link <u>https://www.q-park.co.uk/en-gb/cities/edinburgh/capital-square/</u> code is EICC30.
- 2 NCP Castle Terrace Car Park: Download the free NCP ParkPass App. Register and add the SaverID: EICC4R to your park pass account before arriving at the car park and you must enter and exit by scanning your QR code to qualify for this discount. <u>https://www.ncp.co.uk/find-a-car-park/car-parks/edinburgh-castle-terrace/</u>
- Semple Street Car Park: <u>https://www.britannia-parking.co.uk/where-to-park/Edinburgh-ScottishWidows</u>
- 4 NCP Bread Street Lane: <u>https://www.ncp.co.uk/find-a-car-park/car-parks/edinburgh-bread-street-lane/</u>
 - Spaces near EICC available via **Your Parking Space** <u>https://www.yourparkingspace.co.uk/edinburgh/edinburgh-international-conference-centre-parking</u>

Cycling

There are bike racks which can accommodate ten bikes, at the main entrance on Morrison Street, and spaces for a further twenty bikes at the racks behind the Atria One office building next to the EICC. For nearby routes, take a look at <u>Edinburgh's cycle paths</u>, many of which run close to the EICC.

Travelling to Edinburgh by Plane

Edinburgh has one of the UK's fastest growing airports and new flights are always being added. At the EICC, we have the luxury of being located right in the heart of the city and within 10km (6 miles) of Edinburgh International Airport.

For more information on which airlines and destinations connect to Edinburgh visit <u>www.edinburghairport.com</u>.

From Edinburgh Airport by Taxi

There is an excellent taxi service from the airport to the city. You'll find official airport taxis at the taxi rank outside the terminal building (follow the signs within the airport). It costs approximately £15 to get a taxi from the airport to the city centre and the journey takes 20 minutes depending on the time of day.

From Edinburgh Airport by Tram

Edinburgh Trams run between the Airport and York Place, in central Edinburgh, every 8-10 minutes Monday to Saturday and every 12-15 minutes on a Sunday. The closest tram stop to the EICC is at Haymarket Station. The first tram from Edinburgh Airport departs at 06:15 and the last is 22:45. <u>Please visit Edinburgh Trams website for further information</u>.

From Edinburgh Airport by Bus

The Airlink 100 operates a frequent bus service (every 10 minutes at peak times) between Edinburgh Airport and the city centre, with designated stops en route. The service starts at 04.30 and runs until 00.22 at night, with the journey taking 20 minutes. Tickets cost £4.50 single and £7.50 return. Delegates are advised to disembark at Haymarket Railway Station and to follow signs for EICC on foot (5 minute walk). See city centre map for directions.

The N22 bus also departs from outside the Airport entrance and runs every half an hour through the night until the Airlink service starts again. For more information about these services visit <u>www.flybybus.com</u>.

Accommodation

Hotels with Congress rates

Hotel	Address	Link	Rates	Distance from EICC	Logo on map
Moxy Edinburgh Fountainbridge	2 Freer Gait Edinburgh, EH3 9FR	BOOK HERE	£179 single occupancy £194 double occupancy	0.3 miles	
Hampton by Hilton Edinburgh West End	166 Fountainbridge, Edinburgh EH3 9RX	BOOK HERE	From £180 single occupancy From £190 double occupancy	0.4 miles	2
Apex Grassmarket Hotel	31-35 Grassmarket, Edinburgh EH1 2HS	BOOK HERE	From £219 single occupancy From £234 double occupancy	0.5 miles	3

Other suggested hotels

Hotel	Address	Link	Distance from EICC	Logo on map
Point A Edinburgh	152 Morrison St, Edinburgh EH3 8EB	Website	148ft	
voco Edinburgh - Haymarket	46 Torphichen St, Edinburgh EH3 8JB	<u>Website</u>	0.1 miles	2
hub by Premier Inn Edinburgh Haymarket hotel	Torphichen St, Edinburgh EH3 8JB	<u>Website</u>	0.2 miles	3
Leonardo Hotel Edinburgh Haymarket	1 Morrison Link, Edinburgh EH3 8DN	<u>Website</u>	0.5 miles	4
Haymarket Hotel	1 Coates Gardens, Edinburgh EH12 5LG	<u>Website</u>	0.6 miles	5
Premier Inn Edinburgh Central (Lauriston Place) hotel	82 Lauriston Pl, Edinburgh EH3 9DG	<u>Website</u>	0.6 miles	6