

## Forth Plenary Meeting

**COST Action FP1202 Strengthening conservation: a key issue for adaptation of marginal/peripheral populations of forest trees to climate change in Europe (MaP-FGR)**

**29-31 October 2014, Edinburgh (United Kingdom)**

### **Wed, 29<sup>th</sup> October 2014**

9H00-9H30 Welcome by local representatives

9H30-10H00 Approval of the agenda and news

10H00-10H30 Report of Working Group 1

10H30-11H00 Report of Working Group 2

*11H00-11H30 Coffee Break*

11H30- 12H00 Report of Working Group 3

12H00- 12H30 Report of Working Group 4

*12H30-14H00 Lunch*

14H00-18H00 14H00-18H00 Recent research on MaP-FGR: case studies from Cost Action FP1202  
MaP-FGR partners

*(16H00-16H30 coffee break and poster session)*

### **Thurs, 30<sup>th</sup> October 2014**

9H00-12H30 WG parallel sessions:

WG1: Discussion on produced maps and next steps

WG2: Discussion on next steps/workplan

WG3: Preparation of a policy brief on MaP-FGR in collaboration with WG4

WG4: Preparation of the 2015 Training School and Short Term Scientific Missions,

WG1, 2, 3, 4 Core group on national reports

*(10H45-11H15 Coffee Break)*

*12H30-14H00 lunch*

14H00-16H00 WG parallel sessions:

WG1: Discussion on produced maps and next steps in collaboration with WG4

WG2: Discussion on database management and sharing in collaboration with WG4

WG3: Finalization of the position paper

WG4: Preparation of the draft for the II Newsletter of the Action

*16H00-16H30 coffee break*

16H30-18H00 WG joint session

**Fri, 31 October 2014**

9H00-12H30 WG parallel sessions:

WG1: Next steps and workplan

WG2: Next steps and workplan

WG3: Next steps and workplan

WG4: Next steps and workplan

*(10H45-11H15 Coffee Break)*

*12H30-13H30 lunch*

13H30-16H00 Management Committee

*(16H00-16H30 coffee break)*

## LOGISTIC INFORMATION

### Getting to Edinburgh city centre

The airport is approximately 8 miles from the city centre. Public transport is regular and very good.

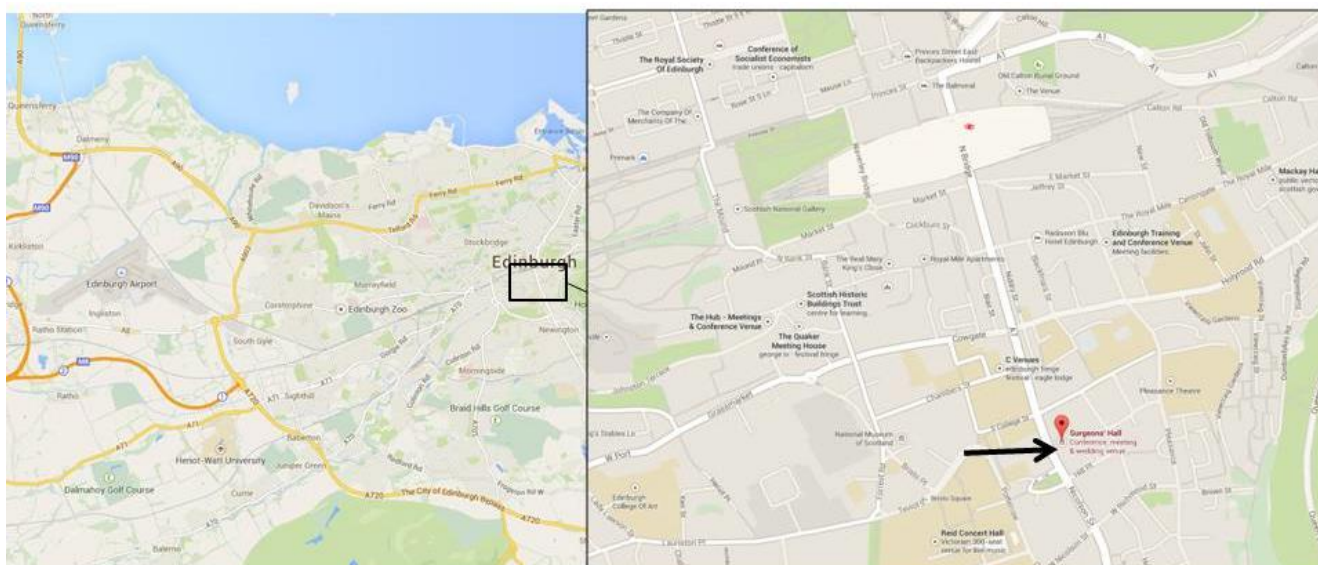
	<b>Airlink 100 express bus</b>	<b>Tram</b>
<i>Cost</i>	£4 single; £7 return	£5 single; £8 return
<i>Where to buy tickets</i>	Airlink Kiosk outside domestic arrivals	Ticket machine at platform
<i>Frequency</i>	10 mins	8-12 mins
<i>Duration</i>	30 mins	35-45 mins
<i>Where it takes you in the city</i>	Haymarket train station; George Street; Waverley Bridge	Haymarket train station; West End; Princes Street; St Andrew Square; York Place
<i>Operating times</i>	24 hours	5 am - midnight

### Exchange rate

€1 (euro) = £0.798816 (pound sterling): [www.xe.com](http://www.xe.com); 20 August 2014

### Meeting venue

Surgeons' Hall (<http://www.surgeonshall.com/location.aspx>) is 0.5 miles from Waverley train station, and is walking distance from the whole of the city centre.



## Meals

The flat rate for reimbursement is €20 per meal. Lunches will be provided during the meeting.

**We will collect £16 (pound sterling, not euro) per day you will be attending during registration on 29 October, which the COST office will reimburse after the meeting.**

## Accommodation

You are responsible for booking your own accommodation. The flat rate for reimbursement is €120 per night. Further details are to be found in the Vademecum (<http://www.cost.eu/participate/networking>)

*Hotels close to the meeting venue include:*

- Holiday Inn Express Edinburgh Royal Mile  
<http://www.ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels/us/en/edinburgh/edbrm/hoteldetail>
- Travelodge  
<http://www.travelodge.co.uk/hotels/205/Edinburgh-Central-hotel>
- Ibis Edinburgh Centre South Bridge Hotel  
<http://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-8484-ibis-edinburgh-centre-south-bridge/index.shtml>
- Jurys Inn  
<http://www.jurysinns.com/hotels/edinburgh>
- Hotel Motel One  
<http://www.motel-one.com/en/hotels/edinburgh/hotel-edinburgh-royal/>
- Apex City Hotel  
<http://www.apexhotels.co.uk/en/hotels/edinburgh/apex-city-hotel/>