2024 BIEN Congress

29th-31st August, 2024
University of Bath

Information Booklet

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Welcome to BIEN 2024!

We are thrilled to be hosting you in the beautiful, World Heritage city of Bath. Over the next three days we will be diving into the latest and best of research, policy, advocacy, and organising around basic income, with speakers from all corners of the globe. Our programme is full of new voices, as well as established authorities, and our sessions weave together groups from all backgrounds and career stages.

We have six parallel streams running across three full days of Congress, along with an entire, parallel UK day taking place simultaneously on Day 3 and open to both BIEN Congress attendees and UK civil society. Not to mention a thorough programme of relaxing (and party-full!) extra-curricular activities.

This year's Congress is taking place at the University of Bath, located just 20 minutes from the city centre. Over recent years, Bath has become a central hub of work on basic income, playing host to the UBI Piloters Network, the Institute for Policy Research's UBI Lab, the WorkFREE pilot project and the Bath UBI Beacon, the official host of this year's Congress.

Bath Beacons is a scheme launched in 2021 to empower the university's research community to tackle major global challenges through building teams of experts capable of working together on large scale projects. The Bath UBI Beacon is working to establish at Bath the the UK's first Institute for Basic Income Stuudies. We work across multiple themes, including UBI Piloting, UBI and Public Health, UBI and Climate Change, and UBI, Technological Change and the Future of Work. We are very keen to welcome you here for the Congress, and to welcome future colleagues, students, and comrades who wish to apply to visit or work with us!

Congress Agenda and Programme

Date	Time	Activity	Location
August 28th	Morning	Arrivals	Various
	Afternoon	Arrivals	Various
	Evening	Informal drinks	TBC
August 29th **Day One**	08:00 -10:00	Registration	University Campus
	10:00-11:30	Opening Plenary	
	11:30-13:00	Session 1	
	13:00-14:30	Lunch + Skyline Walk	
	14:30-16:00	Session 2	
	16:00-16:30	Break	
	16:30-18:00	Session 3	
	18:00-20:00	Drinks Reception	
August 30th **Day Two**	08:00-09:30	Meditation, Walk	University Campus
	09:30-11:00	Session 1	
	11:00-11:30	Break	
	11:30-13:00	Session 2	
	13:00-14:00	Lunch	
	14:00-15:30	Session 3	
	15:30-16:00	Break	
	16:00-17:30	Session 4	
	18:30-20:00	Bath Walking Tour	
	20:00-23:00	Congress Dinner	
August 31st **Day Three + UK Day**	08:00-09:30	Meditation, Walk	University Campus / Bath Guildhall
	09:30-11:00	Session 1	
	11:00-11:30	Break	
	11:30-13:00	Session 2	
	13:00-14:00	Lunch	
	14:00-15:30	Session 3	
	15:30-16:00	Break	
	16:00-17:30	Session 4	
	17:30	Congress end	

Day 1

Time	Event	Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	Social Policy (Room TBC)	Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room TBC)	Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room TBC)	Pilots (Room TBC)	Potpourri (Room TBC)
08:00 - 10:00	Registration						
10:00 - 11:30	Opening + BIEN Plenary (Main Hall)						
11:30 - 13:00	Session 1	Will proposals for basic income in South Africa promote radical social transformation?'	Transformative Effects of a Basic Income	Reparations and Guaranteed Income: Redressing Injustices in the Criminal Justice System	Climate justice, global justice and UBI - UBI's transformative potential for supporting a just and sustainable world	Basic Income for Care Leavers in Wales Pilot: An Overview of the Evaluation	A conversation on Unconditional Freedom: Universal Basic Income and Social Power, by David Casassas
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch + Skyline Walk (Meet TBC)						
14:30 - 16:00	Session 2	Cash-based Social Policy in India	Transformative Effects of a Basic Income	Labour and Exit	What is Give Directly Doing?	BIEN: UBI Data	Author-meets-critics: Universal Basic Income: Essential Knowledge
16:00 - 16:30	Break						
16:30 - 18:00	Session 3	The Municipal Path to Basic Income: What Can We Learn from the Maricá Model?	Basic Income and Homelessness	Family Formation	Basic Income for Peace	WorkFREE's UBI+ - beyond transition to transformation?	Outgrow the System Film
18:00 - 20:00	Drinks Reception (Venue TBC)						

UBI BATH

	Games Emporium Using games to communicate and experiment with Universal Basic Income Interactive games and displays will be available throughout the day.
Foyer Installations	InHerHands
	UBI Monopoly
	Generating Simple Guiding Principles for basic income policy design/ pilot implementation using LEGO® SERIOUS PLAY® methodology

Day 2

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08:00 - 09:30		**Meditation, walk.** (meet outside of Main Hall)					
09:30 - 11:00	**Session 1**	How to put basic income on the political agenda in developed countries	Basic income and the arts	BIEN: Regional Hubs/ Is UBI feasible in a developing country context? Lessons from Africa and Latin America	The Ethics of Basic Income Pilots	Marica	UBI in film: 3 movies from South Africa (inc. shining path)
11:00 - 11:30		**Break**					
11:30 - 13:00	**Session 2**	How to put basic income on the political agenda in developed countries	Basic income and the arts	Basic Income in Kind, the Universal Basic Services campaign, the Basic Income Movement, and the Broader Understanding of the Basic Income Concept	UBI and the Eco-Social State: Transformation, Reform, or both?	Exploring Basic Income Pilots with and for Indigenous Peoples in the Global South	Co-creating a visualised understanding of the dynamic links between a Universal Basic Income and sustainable diets in the UK
13:00 - 14:00	**Lunch**	BIEN PhD Network		BIEN General Assembly			
14:00 - 15:30	**Session 3**	UBI and the Unions Movement: Can unions make UBI a reality and situate UBI as a vehicle of radical social transformation?	Sowing the Seeds of Stability	BIEN General Assembly	Thinking Globally	Cash 'plus' what? From pilots to policy coherence in Sub-Saharan Africa?	Basic Income and Social Sculpture
15:30 - 16:00		**Break**					

16:00 - 17:30	**Session 4**	Transition from Universal Credit to UBI	The Art of Compromise: Basic Income as Transformative Social Policy in the Canadian Context	Exploring Gender Balance and Perspectives in Basic Income Research	Film Screening: Unconditional	Cash 'plus' what? From pilots to policy coherence in Sub-Saharan Africa?	Basic Income and Social Sculpture
18:30 - 20:00	**Bath Walking Tour** (Meeting Location TBC)						
20:00 - 23:00	**Congress Dinner** (TBC)						

Day 3

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08:00 - 09:30		Meditation, walk. (meet outside of Main Hall)					
09:30 - 11:00	**Session 1**	Building Political Support (through pilots)	Framings and Narratives	UBI and Governance	Too simple to be good?	Gender Empowerment: Insights from Pilot Programs	Theory and UBI
11:00 - 11:30		Break					
11:30 - 13:00	**Session 2**	Building Political Support (through pilots)	Funding & Feasibility	Gender and Intersectionality	Debt-Free Money	The role of UBI for social sustainability	Theory and UBI
13:00 - 14:00		Lunch					
14:00 - 15:30	**Session 3**	Co-creating a UBI Implementation Roadmap for India: A Template for Global Adaptation	Funding & Feasibility	BI Definition - Some Outstanding Issues 1	BIEN: The Future of BIEN	The role of UBI for social sustainability	Adjacent Schemes
15:30 - 16:00		Break					
16:00 - 17:30	**Session 4**	UBI in the Asia-Pacific: Navigating Policy, Politics and Social Acceptance	Funding & Feasibility	More Food but not More Food Security			

Day: 1   **Session: 1**   **Time: 08:00 - 13:00**

Event (Reception)
08:00 – 10:00   Registration

Event (Main Hall)
10:00 - 11:30   Opening + BIEN Plenary

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	Will proposals for basic income in South Africa promote radical social transformation?'	Roundtable	Isobel Frye, Neil Coleman, Rachel Bukasa, Hoodah Abrahams Fayker

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Social Policy (Room 1)	Transformative Effects of a Basic Income	Equalizing Educational Opportunities: Basic Income, Scarcity Mindset, and Students' Academic Paths	Jessica Schulz
		UBI and Public Health	Matthew Johnson, Elliot Johnson and Howard Reed
		Waste Jobs	Gavin Maclean

		UBI as anti-surveillance in the digital welfare state	Anna Dent
		Facing climate change together? The role of the collective dimension in mediating basic income effects on climate adaptation	Filippo, Sara and Nathalie
		Basic Income and Ecological Consumption: an Experimental Protocol	Nick Langridge, Tobias Jaeger and Jurgen De Wispelaere

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	Reparations and Guaranteed Income: Redressing Injustices in the Criminal Justice System	Roundtable	Nika Soon-Shiong Andrea James Richard Wallace Maggy Baccinelli

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	Climate justice, global justice and UBI - UBI's transformative potential for supporting a just and sustainable world	Roundtable	Laura Bannister, Sydney Chisi, Caroline Teti

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Pilots (Room 4)	Basic Income for Care Leavers in Wales Pilot: An Overview of the Evaluation	Roundtable	Vibhor Mathur, David Westlake, Rod Hick

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Potpourri (room)	A conversation on Unconditional Freedom: Universal Basic Income and Social Power, by David Casassas	Roundtable	David Casassas

Day: 1   Session: 2   Time: 14:30 – 16:00

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**Cash-based Social Policy in India**	**Roundtable**	**Vibhor Mathur, Dr Sarath Davala, Tarun Cherukuri**

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Social Policy (Room 1) **This is a dual session.** **It will be spread between 11:30 - 16:00**	**Transformative Effects of a Basic Income**	**Equalizing Educational Opportunities: Basic Income, Scarcity Mindset, and Students' Academic Paths**	**Jessica Schulz**
		UBI and Public Health	**Matthew Johnson, Elliot Johnson and Howard Reed**
		Waste Jobs	**Gavin Maclean**
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		Facing climate change together? The role of the collective dimension in mediating basic income effects on climate adaptation	**Filippo, Sara and Nathalie**
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Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**Labour and Exit**	Basic Income and Exit as a Social Good	**Jurgen De Wispelaere and Tobias Jaeger**

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		Working time reduction as a key element in an emancipatory UBI.	**Alexandra Arntsen**
		Negotiating Exit and Dignity in (in)decent work in India	**Vibhor Mathur**
		The Dynamic Role of Basic Income on the Bargaining Power of the Precariat	**Jeeeun Jang**
		The Care Economy, Guaranteed Income & Immigration in the United States	**Amy Castro and Stacia West**

Event (Room)	**Panel Name**	**Paper**	**Speakers**
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	**What is Give Directly Doing?**	**TBC**	**Miriam Laker, Caroline Teti, Others TBC**

Event (Room)	**Panel Name**	**Paper**	**Speakers**
Pilots (Room 4)	**BIEN: UBI Data**	**TBC**	**Jurgen De Wispalaere, Joe Chrisp**

Event (Room)	**Panel Name**	**Paper**	**Speakers**
Potpourri (room)	**Author-meets-critics: Universal Basic Income: Essential Knowledge**	**Roundtable**	**Karl Widerquist Michael Howard Michel A. Lewis Louise Haagh Otto Lehto**

Day: 1   **Session: 3**   **Time: 16:30 – 18:00**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**The Municipal Path to Basic Income: What Can We Learn from the Maricá Model?**	**Roundtable**	**Jurgen De Wispelaere, Fabio Waltenberg, Marc Droussard, Fabienne Hansen and Bru Lain**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social Policy (Room 1)	**Basic Income and Homelessness**	**Roundtable**	Oliver Walsh, Jonathan Tan

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**Family Formation**	**US Social Policy, Basic Income and Family Formation**	**Almaz Zelleke**
		A Critical Examination of the Korean Welfare State in terms of Freedom, Equality, and Sustainable Efficiency	**Jong-sung You**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	**Basic Income for Peace**	**TBC**	**Guy Standing, Diana Bashur, Patrick Brown, Roberto Leombruni Sarath Davala, Selvi Sachithanandam**

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Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Pilots (Room 4)	WorkFREE's UBI+ - beyond transition to transformation?	Roundtable	Neil Howard, Sarath Davala, Maria Franchi, Joel Lazarus, Vibhor Mathur, John Michael

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Potpourri (room)	Outgrow the System Film	Film Screening and Discussion	Cecelia Paulson Anders Nilsson

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Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall) **This is a dual session.** **It will be spread between 09:30 - 13:00**	**How to put basic income on the political agenda in developed countries**		**Alexander De Roo**
		Science slips: the role of prior beliefs in policy support	**Leire Rincon**
		Getting Basic Income on the Political Agenda: A Multiple Streams Approach.	**Sid Frankel**
		How to introduce a basic income	**Alexander de Roo**
		The Catalan paradox. A political economy inquiry on the (lack of) UBI support in Catalonia	**Bru Laín, Aida Martínez Tinaut**
		Modeling UBI in Finland: challenging the infeasibility & mass resignation myths	**Elisabet Miheludaki**
		Moving beyond the pilot: the Alaska Permanent Fund and the path dependency approach to insinuating the universal basic income into public policy	**Andrew White**

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Social Policy (Room 1) **This is a dual session.**	**Basic income and the arts**		**Tully Barnett, Sam Whiting, Justin O'Connor**
		The Artists' Economy: Insights from New York's Guaranteed Income Program for Artists	**Leah Hamilton, Woronkowicz Joanna, Noonan, Doug**

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It will be spread between 09:30 - 13:00		The perceived risk of Basic Income for Artists: a comparison of the perspectives of Australian artists and arts organisations	Olivia Hally, Anna Kosovac
		A new language of cultural value? Understanding the relationship between social security for artists, diversity and equality on the island of Ireland	Steven Hadley
		Basic Income and the Arts: A Literature Review	Sam Whiting
		Basic income, post-precarious outcome? How creative workers perceive participating in an experiment with basic income	Yosha Wijngaarden, Pauwke Berkers
		A Critical Review of the Basic Income for the Arts pilot in Ireland	Satu Teppo, Paraic Mc Quaid
		Towards equal creative freedom: Universal Basic Income, cultural creativity, and the socioeconomic conditions of artistic work	David Casassas, Matías Zarlenga
		Historical scholarly research, the media, and the BIG	Harald Gropp

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Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	BIEN: Regional Hubs/ Is UBI feasible in a developing country context? Lessons from Africa and Latin America	Roundtable	Chris Nwafor, Karen Jooste, John Michael, Jose Whellison

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers

Day: 2   **Session: 1**   **Time: 09:30 – 11:00**

Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	The Ethics of Basic Income Pilots	Roundtable	Neil Howard, Miriam Laker, Leah Hamilton, Vibhor Mathur, Ginny Morrow

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Pilots (Room 4)	Marica	The Making of moeda social arariboia: Mapping a Network of Concepts through Federal and Local Exchange in Brazilian Municipal Social Policies	Fabienne Hansen
		Bypassing the Bolsa Família? How Maricá is Spearheading a CCT Revolution in Brazil	Fabio Waltenberg, Marc Doussard and Jessica Maldonado
		Renda Básica de Cidadania de Maricá: Boosting the local economy through the mumbuca local currency scheme	Andrea Gama

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Potpourri (room)	UBI in film: 3 movies from South Africa (inc. shining path)	Film Screening and Discussion	Isobel Frye Neil Coleman Rachel Bukasa

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		The Artists' Economy: Insights from New York's Guaranteed Income Program for Artists	**Leah Hamilton, Woronkowicz Joanna, Noonan, Doug**
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Social and Ecological Justice 1 <mark>**(Room 2)**</mark>	**Basic Income in Kind, the Universal Basic Services campaign, the Basic Income Movement, and the Broader Understanding of the Basic Income Concept**	**Roundtable**	**Telemaque Masson-Recipon, Simon Duffy, Tatiana Sorensen and Guests**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 <mark>**(Room 3)**</mark>	**UBI and the Eco-Social State: Transformation, Reform, or both?**		**Dominik Schröder, Bianca Blum, Ulrich Schachtschneider**
		Basic Income as an eco-social policy instrument: A scoping review	**Dominik Schröder, Bianca Blum, Jurgen de Wispelaere**
		BI as Gradual Reform to decouple work and survival	**Paul D. Luke**
		Basic income: a transformative policy for sustainable welfare?	**Simon Birnbaum**
		South Africa's BIG and climate justice	**Michael Samson**
		The Different Concepts of Circularity: a central matter to the environmental effort and the Unconditional Basic Income	**Thaigo Souza**

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Pilots (Room 4)	Exploring Basic Income Pilots with and for Indigenous Peoples in the Global South	Roundtable	Ingrid Arotoma, Patricia Quiñones, Cool Earth Team

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Potpourri (room)	Co-creating a visualised understanding of the dynamic links between a Universal Basic Income and sustainable diets in the UK	Creative Activity	Remco Peters, Gemma Bridge, David Beck

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Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**UBI and the Unions Movement: Can unions make UBI a reality and situate UBI as a vehicle of radical social transformation?**	**Roundtable**	**Louis Strappazzon, Alison Hawdale, Dave Beck Maddy Radcliff, Vicky Blake**

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Social Policy (Room 1)	**Sowing the Seeds of Stability**	**Roundtable and presentation** **Sowing the seeds of stability : The case for a basic income for farmers, farmworkers and food producers in the UK**	**Joanna Poulton, Cleo Goodman**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**BIEN General Assembly**	**Roundtable**	

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	**Thinking Globally**	**Global social-ecological transformations require an Earth Citizenship with a Universal Basic Income financed through Historical and Commons Compensation Schemes**	**Reinhard Huss**

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Day: 2   Session: 3   Time: 14:00 – 15:30

		Thinking through and beyond the nation state: reflections on global and national basic income proposals and the politics of global justice	Ben Spies and Elise
		Decolonising Money	Julio Linares
		UBI and a Global Wellbeing Economy	Jody Aked
		Conservation Basic Income: A non-market mechanism to support convivial conservation	Robert Fletcher

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Pilots (Room 4) This is a dual session. It will be spread between 11:30 - 16:00	Cash 'plus' what? From pilots to policy coherence in Sub-Saharan Africa?		James Copestake
		The Covid-19 Social Relief of Distress Grant in South Africa: Exploring the familial and household implications of a datafied social protection cash-transfer programme	Vayda Megannon
		Experiences of accessing the Covid-19 Social Relief of Distress Grant in South Africa	Vayda Megannon
		Gender Targeting and Household Cooperation: Experimental Evidence from a Multifaceted Anti-poverty Program in Malawi	Tara Bedi, Michael King, Julia Vaillant
		Protection or promotion: Limits to the transformative potential of cash transfers	Roeland Hemsteede

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		Prospects for universal basic income security in Malawi: an anticipatory evaluation	James Copestake, Ella Clein
		Do Pilots in Cash Plus Matter in informing Policy and programme design: an interogation of the Malawi Social Protection Landscape.	Esmie T Kainja (PhD), Benson Laurent Kansinjiro, Dr Maxton Tsoka
		Malawi Livelihoods Cash Plus Project	Janet Chidengu, Mirriam Saiwa, Ina Thombozi
		Cash Plus or Avoid Double Dipping? Understanding diverging government priorities in Malawi and Zambia	Guido Maschhaupt
		Shortening the path to productive investment: Evidence from input fairs and cash transfers in Malawi	Alan Spearot

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Potpourri (room) This is a dual session. It will be spread between 11:30 - 16:00	Basic Income and Social Sculpture	Collaborative, Political Performance Art	Katrina Hattenhauer

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Day: 2   Session: 4   Time: 16:00 – 17:30

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**Transition from Universal Credit to UBI**	**How to Get from UC to UBI**	**Martin Osborne, Cleo Goodman**
		Modern welfare in the United Kingdom is a universal (dis) credit to Beveridge. Is it time for a basic income?	**Dave Beck, Remco Peters**
		Lessons from UBI for the future of Universal Credit	**Anna Dent**

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Social Policy (Room 1)	**The Art of Compromise: Basic Income as Transformative Social Policy in the Canadian Context**	**Roundtable**	**Ben Earle, Sheila Regehr and Guests**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**Exploring Gender Balance and Perspectives in Basic Income Research**	**Roundtable**	**Jessica Schulz, Chloe Halfpenny, Verena Loffler, Clem Davies, Maria Franchi**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2	**Film Screening: Unconditional**	**Film Screening and Discussion**	**Neil Howard, Simon Wharf, Sarath Davala,**

(Room 3)			Vibhor Mathur

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		The Covid-19 Social Relief of Distress Grant in South Africa: Exploring the familial and household implications of a datafied social protection cash-transfer programme	**Vayda Megannon**
		Experiences of accessing the Covid-19 Social Relief of Distress Grant in South Africa	**Vayda Megannon**
		Gender Targeting and Household Cooperation: Experimental Evidence from a Multifaceted Anti-poverty Program in Malawi	**Tara Bedi, Michael King, Julia Vaillant**
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Day: 3 **Session: 1** **Time: 09:30 – 11:00**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**Building Political Support (through pilots)**	The Aetiology of Party Support for Basic Income in Finland	**Lindsay Stirton, Jurgen De Wispelaere and Joe Chrisp**
		Improving social policy awareness: The impact of factual information on the popular support for unconditional basic income	**Miska Simanainen**
		Using COVID policy responses to chart a pathway to basic income	**Troy Henderson and Ben Spies**
		Political and Media Discussion in South Africa	**Giorgia Nicolò**
		Building Policy Momentum with Experimental Pilots: The Case of the American Guaranteed Income Studies	**Stacia West, Amy Castro and Nidhi Tandon**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social Policy (==Room 1==)	**Framings and Narratives**	Why surfers won't be fed anytime soon, and why that's okay: An analysis of basic income political and economical feasibility in the light of neoliberal alienations.	**Laudine Graperron**
		Narratives of change – Basic Income through the Lens of Narrative Scenario Analyses and Conviction Narrative Theory	**Gudrun Kauffman**
		Citizenship and Basic Income	**Simon Duffy**
		Deservedness & Unconditional Cash in Public Discourse: A Big Qual Analysis across Eight U.S. Guaranteed Income Experiments	**Stacia West, Amy Castro and Mira Phillips**
		Beyond Post-Productivism: Reframing Basic Income as a Tool for Bio-Technological Equality	**Gloria Karina Sánchez Cuevas**

Day: 3   Session: 1   Time: 09:30 – 11:00

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**UBI and Governance**	**Basic income-inspired policies in Europe: a municipalistic perspective through Europeanization processes**	**Bruno Miguel Silva Oliveira**
		UBI and sustainable efficiency	**Jong-sung You**
		Does One Size Fit All: Finland's UBI Experiment and the Goal of Universalism	**Minna Ylikännö, Marco Zoppellaro and Olli Kangas,**
		What are the aims of an Unconditional Basic Income? The problem with a '1 size fits all' approach to UBI	**Catarina Neves**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	**Too simple to be good?**	**Roundtable**	**Helwig Fenner, Sandra Vahle, Ana Catarina Neves**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Pilots (Room 4)	**Gender Empowerment: Insights from Pilot Programs**	**Facilitators**	**Jessica Schultz and Clem Davies**
		Couple's Training for Gender Empowerment? Using Mixed Methods to Understand Graduation's Impact on Empowerment and Well-Being Outcomes	**Tara Bedi**
		Radical Care: Unconditional Basic Income for Transgender Persons Insights from a Pilot Project in Hyderabad, India	**John Michael**
		Economic Justice for Black Women: Insights from the 'In Her Hands' Initiative	**Leah Hamilton**

UBJ BATH

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Potpourri (room) This is a dual session. It will be spread between 09:30 - 13:00	Theory and UBI 1 and 2 This is a dual session. It will be spread between 09:30 - 13:00	A (friendly) Foucauldian critique of UBI	Otto Lehto
		Rethinking Rawls on employment and a universal basic income	Larry Udell
		Rawlsian Arguments for and against Basic Income and Job Guarantees	Michael Howard
		Did the later Nobel Prize winning economist Jan Tinbergen really advocate a basic income in the early 1930s?	Walter Van Trier
		Basic Income and the reformism debate	David Hogg
		Paine vs Spence, or Technocratic, State-Elitist, and Top-Down Basic Income vs Municipal, Full-Participation, and Bottom-Up Basic Income Scheme: Taking the Original Debate Seriously	Tadashi Okanouchi
		Between Charity and Entitlement: Unconditional Basic Income as a Gift	Catarina Neves
		Missing Reciprocity: A Non-Ideal Case for Universal Basic Income	Marc Antoine Sabate

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Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**Building Political Support (through pilots)**	**Beyond Empiricism: Exploring the Merits and Pitfalls of Basic Income Pilots**	**Tracy Smith-Carrier and Chris Hergesheimer and Lauren Touchant**
		Basic Income Trials at State, Regional, or Municipal Level: How Political Scale Shapes Policy Opportunities	**Marc Droussard, Joe Chrisp and Jurgen De Wispelaere**
		Cultivating change through collage: Reflecting on creating a zine as arts-based knowledge mobilization of basic income research	**Chloe Halfpenny and Kendal David**
		Can Cognitive Psychology contribute to the Discourse on Basic Income? Integrating Basic Income and Cognitive Control Research through Laboratory Methodology	**Larissa Walter and Andrea Kiesel**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social Policy (Room 1)	**Funding & Feasibility 1**	**Upgrading Global Tax: Toward Implementation**	**Harry Maclaverty**
		A Proposal for Financing the Universal Basic Income	**Eduard Lukschandl**
		The Commons Fund - basic income to community projects	**Robert Pye and Annabelle Lambert**
		Commons Rent And Commons Dividend	**Nam Hoon Kang**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**Gender and Intersectionality**	**Roundtable**	**Jessica Schulz, Chloe Halfpenny, Verena Loffler, Clem Davies, Maria Franchi**

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Day: 3   Session: 2   Time: 11:30 – 13:00

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	**Debt-Free Money**	**Roundtable**	**Laura Bannister, Ndongo Samba Sylla, Geoff Crocker**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Pilots (Room 4)	**The Role of UBI for Social Sustainability 1**		**Dominik Schröder, Bianca Blum, Ulrich Schachtschneider**
		The case for the importance of UBI as a Criminal Prevention Policy (aswell)	**José H. Rocha, Alexandre Cabral**
		Social Responsibility	**Alina Plitman**
		Working title: Exploring Perceived Social Inequality: Emotional Responses and Implications for Political Engagement and Advocacy for Basic Income within the Context of Social Sustainability	**Franziska Leopold**
		The 'package solution' for eco-social welfare: UBI and UBS as complementary and emancipatory eco-social policies	**Julio Lucena de Andrés**

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Potpourri (room) **This is a dual session.** **It will be spread between 09:30 - 13:00**	**Theory and UBI** **1 and 2** **This is a dual session.** **It will be spread between 09:30 - 13:00**	**A (friendly) Foucauldian critique of UBI**	**Otto Lehto**
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UBI BATH

Day: 3   **Session: 3**   **Time: 14:00 – 15:30**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	Co-creating a UBI Implementation Roadmap for India: A Template for Global Adaptation	Roundtable	Tarun Cherukuri, Pankhuri Shah, Vibhor Mathur

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social Policy (Room 1)	Funding & Feasibility 2	Funding UBI through financial Institutions Revenue Collection	Ian Daniels
		What would you give-up to introduce a Universal Basic Income? Insights from a methodological project eliciting public preferences for income-based policies	Neil McHugh
		Automation creates new kind of collective property for funding basic incomes, and it doesn't consist of natural resources	John K. Davis
		Why Basic Income Is Cooler Than You Think	Philip Jackson, Derek van Gorder and Alex Howlett

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	BI Definition - Some Outstanding Issues 1	Roundtable	Annie Miller, Toru Yamamori, Telemaque Mason

Day: 3   Session: 3   Time: 14:00 – 15:30

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	BIEN: The Future of BIEN	Facilitated Open Discussion	Wolfgang Wopperer-Beholz

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Pilots (Room 4)	The Role of UBI for Social Sustainability 2	Universal Basic Income and Social Work: A Love-Hate Story	Floriane Geels
		What is the Purpose of Universal Basic Income? UBI and the Disentanglement of Work and Subsistence	Johannes Kananen,
		Sustainable State Budgeting – Constitutional Framework for UBI Funding	Marek Piotr Kaczmarczyk,
		The impact of UBI on sustainable lifestyles and consumer decisions	Milena Kowalska

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Potpourri (room)	Adjacent Schemes	Towards a Minimum Income Guarantee in Scotland	Ruth Boyle
		CASHIN - Caring & Sharing Income	Kim J Singh
		Assessing a Categorical Targeting Pilot for the Malawi Social Cash Transfer Program	Anastazio Matewere, Maxton Tsoka and Joseph Chunga
		The 'package solution' for eco-social welfare: UBI and UBS as complementary and emancipatory eco-social policies	Julio Lucena de Andrés
		Lumpsum v/s UBI | What works best, for what and for whom?	Pankhuri Shah and Muzamil Baig

Day: 3   Session: 4   Time: 16:00 – 17:30

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Making UBI a Reality (Main Hall)	**UBI in the Asia-Pacific: Navigating Policy, Politics and Social Acceptance**	**Roundtable**	**Tyler Prochakza, Jimin Park, Yi Ting**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social Policy (Room 1)	**Funding & Feasibility 3**	**An Ex-Ante Cost-Benefit Analysis of a Universal Basic Income in India and Bangladesh**	**Patrick Llewellin**
		The Difficulty of Using Cryptocurrency to Support Basic Income	**Karl Widerquist**
		Adequacy, poverty benchmarks and a maximum feasible level of BI	**Annie Miller**
		Rethinking guaranteeing the right to income security in Ecuador	**Maria Gabriela Palacio and Xavier Jara**

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 1 (Room 2)	**More Food but not More Food Security**	**Basic Income's Role in Transforming our Food System**	**Ben Earle**
		What if we gave them money instead?: Outcome of North York Harvest's Income Support Pilot for Food Bank Users	**Ben Earle, Sahar Ghafouri**
		Dismantling the Poverty Industry: The Power of Universal Basic Income	**Dave Beck**

Day: 3   Session: 4   Time: 16:00 – 17:30

Event (Room)	Panel Name	Paper	Speakers
Social and Ecological Justice 2 (Room 3)	UBI and the European Elections	Roundtable	Klaus Sambor Ronald Blaschke Angel Bravo

UK Day

Given the importance of the current political moment on these islands, this year's Congress will not feature the 'national day' within the three, main, globally-focused days, but will include an entire parallel event on Day 3 - Saturday August 31st – focused on UBI and the wider, progressive, social policy reforms necessary for the UK context.

The event will take place in the historic Guildhall in Central Bath and all Congress attendees can attend for free. Confirmed speakers include the former First Minister of Wales, Mark Drakeford; former Green Party MP, Caroline Lucas; and the celebrated land rights campaigner, Guy Shrubsole.

DRAFT PROGRAMME

LET US FACE THE FUTURE TOGETHER
SOCIAL SECURITY FIT FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

Saturday 31 August, 10am - 5:45pm

SOCIAL SECURITY FIT FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

It is time to build welfare fit for the 21st century. This panel is an exploration of the role of welfare in modern Britain across services, work and social justice.

UNCONDITIONAL CASH TRANSFERS

Across the world cash transfer programmes are demonstrating the transformative impact of more adequate, less conditional, cash based programmes. During this session those leading these projects share insights from the growing evidence base, political strategies for influencing policy, lessons learned and how these can be built upon in the UK context.

WORK: CAREERS, CARE AND COMMUNITY

Over the course of a lifetime we engage with meaningful work in a variety of different roles - paid work, care roles and volunteering to name a few. In this session we explore how to create a culture that values work of all kinds in the UK, looking to the labour movement, unpaid carers and policy to identify where we're currently failing and how we can build towards a more functional, productive relationship with work.

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LAND REFORM AND HOUSING

Access to land and housing are central to a healthy, secure population. During this session we hear about the historical context that shaped the current relationship with land and property, activism that is transforming it and what policy that functions in the best interests of the majority would look like.

FOOD, FARMING AND CLIMATE: SUSTAINABILITY IN THE UK

We face existential threats and enormous challenges with regards to climate change. Our food systems are particularly vulnerable and farmers are currently the frontline when it comes to delivering on sustainable change, in deeply unsupported conditions. This panel looks at the intersection of climate and food to acknowledge the task at hand and the plausible ways forward.

MAKING SECURITY A REALITY

The route to policy that appropriately serves the people of the UK is through astute, effective and popular political strategy. During the final session of the day we turn our minds to this strategy and how we can work more collaboratively where there is agreement on the direction of travel, if not the tools for the job.

This event on Saturday 31st August at the famous Guildhall in Bath will bring together key individuals and organisations for a series of sessions exploring what a social security system fit for the 21st century ought to resemble. It aims to be the first step towards a more united approach to influencing the political agenda around social security - both with the wider public and our newly elected government.

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Locations

The Chancellors' Building, University of Bath
University of Bath, Claverton Down, Bath, BA2 7AY

Bath Guildhall
High St, Bath, BA1 5AW   (For the UK Day, 31st August)

Getting to Bath

By car

Travelling to the Bath is easy as it is situated just off the M4 and not far from Bristol. However, Bath is a small, and widely visited city which means it has not escaped the curse of modern city traffic. Do allow additional time if travelling during peak periods.

The university campus does have parking (see here) however this is limited. The city has many other parking options, which are just a short bus journey from the campus.

By train

The nearest railway station to the university is Bath Spa. Trains run directly from London Paddington and take approximate 75-90mins. Book tickets on the Trainline, National Rail, or Great Western Railway websites. From the railway station, you can easily get a taxi, bus, or walk to the University (see below).

By coach

National Express coaches run directly from London Victoria to Bath Bus station. For more information, please see the National Express website.
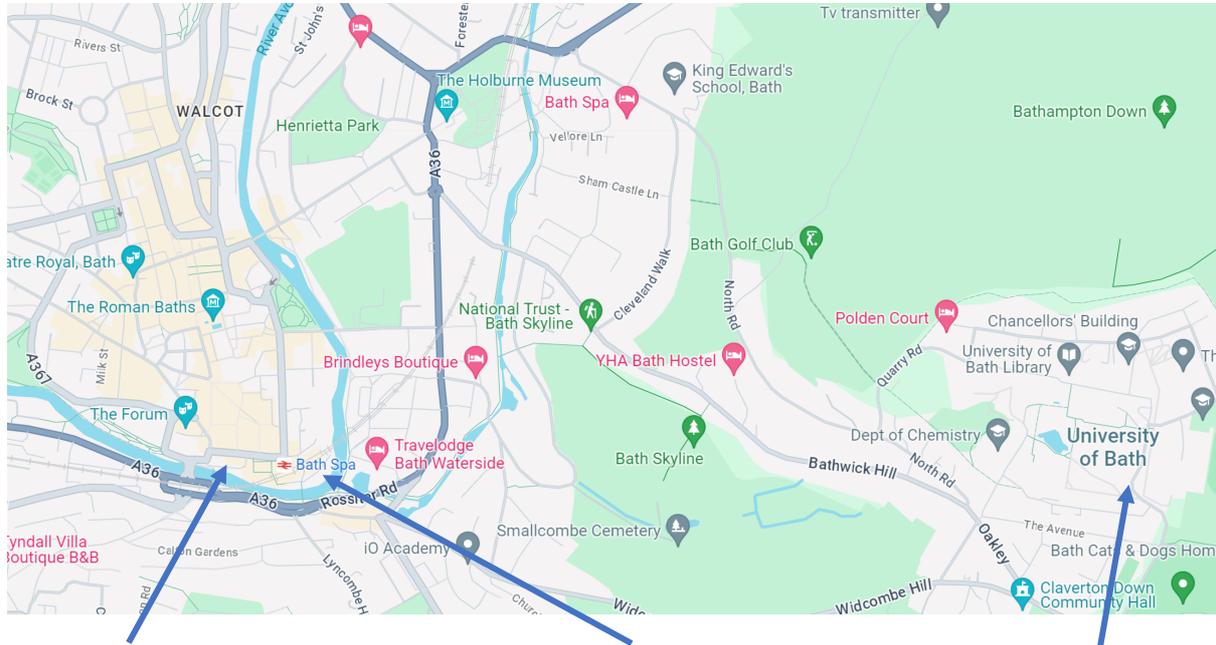
By plane

Bristol Airport is the closest airport to Bath. From there you can get the AirDecker bus directly to Bath Railway station. Alternatively, you can get the Airport Flyer bus to Bristol Temple Meads railway station, and then take the train to Bath Spa.

National Express coaches or trains also run from London Heathrow and London Gatwick.

Getting to the University

Bath Bus Station   Bath Spa Railway Station   University of Bath

[Find your way here using Google Maps](#)

By bus

The U1 and U2 bus services go from the city centre directly to the university. There is a stop for the U1 service from opposite Bath Bus station, which is located next to the railway train station. The journey from here is approximately 15-20 mins. Arrivals Square, the final stop on the route, is located right outside the Chancellors Building. For more information, see the [First Bus website](#) or download the app.

By taxi

Taxis are available from outside the railway station. The journey is about 10 mins and costs approximately £10-15.

E-scooter / Bike

TIER scooters and bikes are used throughout the city of Bath and can also be used to get to the university. Be aware that despite being electric, cycling up the hill still requires some effort! You can download the TIER app [here](#).
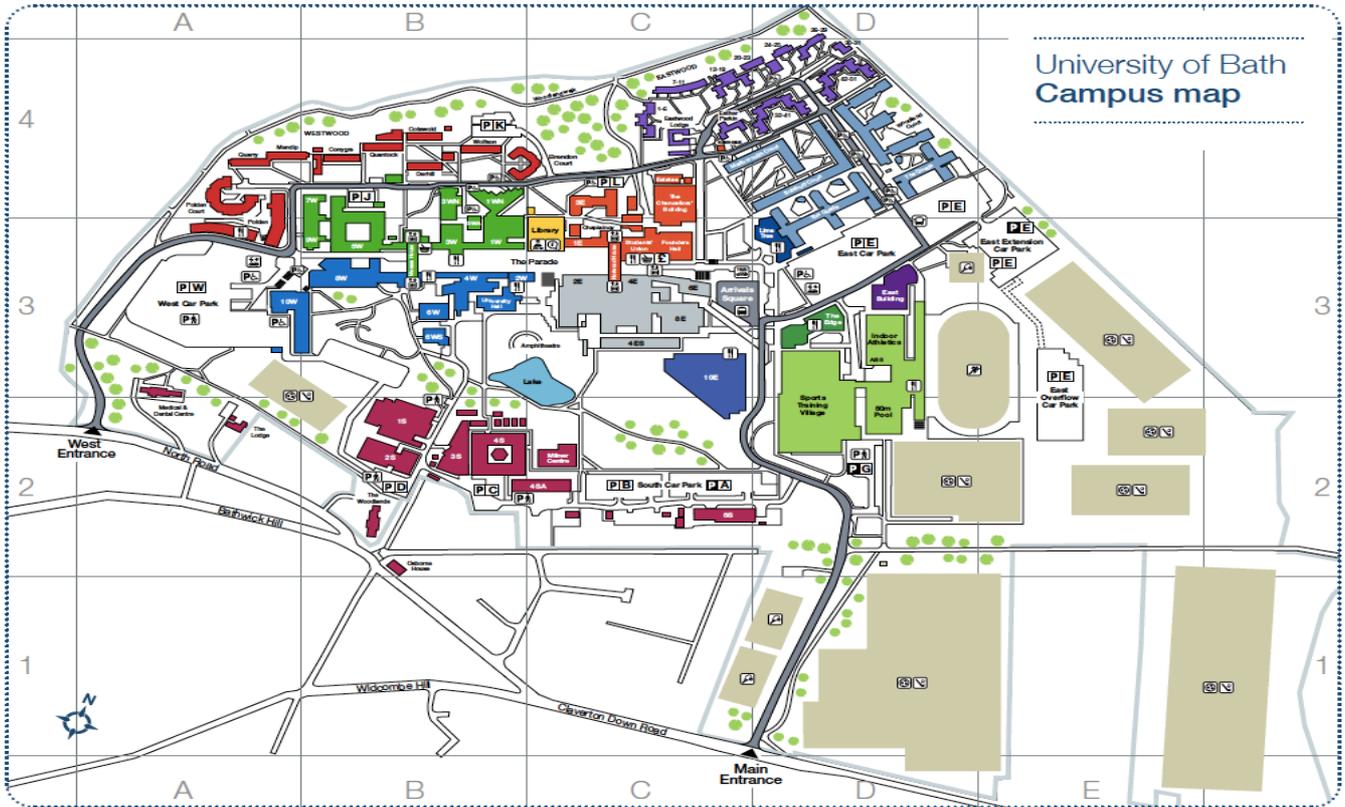
Walking

The University is located at the top of Bathwick Hill, which takes approximately 20-30 minutes to climb from St. Mary's Church at the bottom. Walking offers the opportunity to cross Bathwick Meadows, with spectacular views of the city.

Further information on getting to the University can be found here.

Campus Map

University of Bath Campus map

Key

Building		Grid Ref.
4 West Café	4 West (4W)	B3
Applied Biomechanics Suite	ABS	D3
Architecture & Civil Engineering	6 East (6E), 4 East South (4ES)	C3
Bakeaway	3 West (3W)	B3
Bale Haus	BH	C4
Biology & Biochemistry	4 South (4S)	B2
Bus Stop	Arrivals Square	C3
CAFÉ at Polden	Polden	A3
CAFÉ at The Edge	The Edge	D3
Central Stores	5 South (5S)	C2
Chancellors' Building		C4
Chaplaincy Centre	CC	C3
Chemical Engineering	9 West (9W)	B3
Chemistry	1 South (1S), 3 South (3S)	B2
Claverton Rooms	2 West (2W)	B3
Communications	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Computer Science	1 West (1W), 3 West (3W)	B3
Dental Centre		A3
Development & Alumni Relations	2 South (2S)	B2
Doctoral College	10 West (10W)	A3
East Accommodation Centre	Woodland Court	D4
Economics	3 East (3E)	C4
The Edge Arts	The Edge	D3
Education	1 West North (1WN)	B4
Electronic & Electrical Engineering	2 East (2E)	C3
Estates		C4
Founders Hall		C3
Fountain Canteen	2 West (2W)	B3
Fresh Grocery Store	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Goods Received	5 South (5S)	C2
Health	1 West (1W)	B3
	6 West South (6WS)	B3
Human Resources	Wessex House (WH)	B3
International	10 West (10W)	A3
IT Help Desk	Library	C3
Landscape	5 South (5S)	C2
Library		C3
Lime Tree	The Quads	D3
Mail Room	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Management (School of)	10 East (10E)	C3
	The Edge	D3
The Market	Students' Union (SU)	C3

Building		Grid Ref.
Marketing	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Mathematical Sciences	4 West (4W), 6 West (6W)	B3
Mechanical Engineering	4 East (4E), 8 East (8E)	C3
Medical Centre		A3
The Milner Centre for Evolution		C2
Muslim Prayer Room	Norwood House	C3
Natural Sciences	3 South (3S)	B2
Norwood House		C3
Nursery	Westwood	B4
Parade	2 West (2W)	B3
Pharmacy & Pharmacology	5 West (5W)	B3
	7 West (7W)	B4
Physics	3 West (3W)	B3
Pitstop	Students' Union (SU)	C3
Plug Bar	Norwood House	C3
Politics, Languages & International Studies	1 West North (1WN)	B4
Post Office (in Fresh Grocery Store)	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Postgraduate Admissions	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Print Services (IDPS)	8 West (8W)	B3
Psychology	10 West (10W)	A3
Reception	Library	C3
Research & Innovation Services	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Security	Library	C3
Social & Policy Sciences	3 East (3E)	C4
Sports Café	Sports Training Village (STV)	D3
Sports Training Village	Sports Training Village (STV)	D3
Starbucks	Students' Union (SU)	C3
Student Centre	Students' Union (SU)	C3
Student Finance	Wessex House (WH)	B3
Student Parcel Room	Eastwood Lodge	C4
Student Services - The Roper Centre	4 West (4W)	B3
Students' Union	Students' Union (SU)	C3
Students' Union Offices	Students' Union (SU)	C3
Swimming Pool	Sports Training Village (STV)	D2
Taxi Rank	Arrivals Square	C3
The Tub	Students' Union (SU)	C3
Undergraduate Admissions & Outreach	Wessex House (WH)	B3
University Hall	2 West (2W)	B3
Vice-Chancellor's Office	4 West (4W)	B3
Wessex House (WH)		B3
West Accommodation Centre	Polden	A3
The Writing Centre	6 East (6E)	C3

Accommodation		Grid Ref.
Brendon Court Accommodation		B4
Eastwood Accommodation		C4, D4
Marlborough Court Accommodation		C4
Norwood House Accommodation		C3
Osborne House Accommodation		B2
Polden Accommodation		A3
Polden Court Accommodation		A4
Solsbury Court Accommodation		D4
The Lodge Accommodation		A2
The Quads Accommodation		D4
Westwood Accommodation		A4, B4
Woodland Court Accommodation		D4

- Bus stop
- Coach Drop Off Point
- Taxi Rank
- Food & Drink
- Shopping
- ATM
- Lift
- Sports pitches
- Athletics track
- Tennis courts
- 24 hour security
- University Reception

The Campus is built around the main Parade which forms a central spine with Norwood House at the east end and Wessex House at the west end. The Library and Learning Centre is the University's central hub and all buildings are identified according to their east/west position in relation to it. Odd numbers in building names indicate that they are located on the northern side of the Parade, on the same side as the Library, and even numbers are on the southern side. The main pedestrian Parade is Level 2.

Please note that all University buildings, the Parade and the underdeck are smoking free areas.

Car Parking

Visitor car parking - Pay & Display: East Extension, A and G. The East car park provides a wheelchair and accessible approach to the Parade and a drop off point by 1WN also provides wheelchair access to the Parade.

A downloadable version of the map is available [here](#).

Around Bath

Bath is a beautiful, World Heritage city located in a lovely part of the UK. There is much to see and do outside of conference hours, both within the city and further afield.

Cultural Activities in Bath
- [Walking tours](#) of town including a [comedy walking tour](#).
- Key city sites: Royal Crescent, Circus, Victoria Park, Bath Abbey, Roman Baths, Great Pulteney Street, Sydney Gardens, Henrietta Park.
- Visit and tour the [Roman Baths](#).

Beautiful Walks
- [Bath Skyline](#)
- [Bathwick Meadows](#) and [Smallcombe Cemetery](#)
- Walk along the canal to [Bathampton](#).
- [Beckford's Tower](#), via Primrose Hill and Primrose Community Wood (finishing in the [Hare and Hounds](#) pub).
- Hike to the top of [Solesbury Hill](#).

Parks & Play Areas for Kids
- [Sydney Gardens](#)
- [Victoria Park](#)
- [Long Wood play area](#) (part of Skyline Walk and [Family Discovery Trail](#))

Pubs and Restaurants
- [The Pulteney Arms](#) (the closest pub to the bottom of Bathwick Hill)
- [The Raven](#) (Multi-level, traditional pub with great pies)
- [Hall and Woodhouse](#) (Big space, good beers, and roof terrace)
- [Bath Brewhouse](#) (A popular pub with big beer garden)
- [The Bell](#) (Community owned pub with live music)
- [Green Rocket](#) (Excellent vegan restaurant).
- [Yak Yeti Yak](#) (Nepalese restaurant in the centre of town).
- Moroccan food at [Tagine Zhor](#).
- [Pitxo](#) (A Spanish/Basque restaurant with a lovely garden)
- Good pizza at [Dough](#), [The Oven](#), and [Bath Pizza Co.](#)
- Vegan, Indian street food at [Chai Walla](#)
- [The Hideout](#), [Gin Bar](#), [The Dark Horse](#), and [Fidel Rum Bar](#) (Some nice cocktail bars for later in the evening).

Day Trips

- Stonehenge (World Heritage site and one of the most famous in Britain)
- Bristol (Just 12 mins by train from Bath Spa)
- Bradford-on-Avon (A small historic town just 13 mins by train from Bath Spa)
- The Cotswolds
- Glastonbury (A historic town known for ancient & medieval sites, rich in myth)
- Brecon Beacons National Park and South Wales
- See here for more ideas!

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Campus Support Services
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- [Parking information](#).

Local Organising Committee (with thanks to one and all!)

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Joe Chrisp	Joe is an interdisciplinary researcher working across economics, politics, and social policy at the University of Bath. His doctorate explored the political feasibility of basic income in high-income countries and his postdoctoral research to date has examined the case for basic income from a macroeconomic and political economy perspective, drawing on trends in the labour share, technological change and household debt. Joe leads the Bath UBI Beacon's workstream on The Future of Work.
Joseph Cooke	Joseph is a Politics and International Relations BSc student at the University of Bath. He is interested in the role of BI with regard to automation job losses and its impact on leisure.

Vibhor Mathur	Vibhor is a PhD researcher and social entrepreneur. His doctoral research at the University of Bath is part of the WorkFREE pilot and examines the potential of UBI as a policy response to unfreedom, indignity and indecent work for the urban poor. He is Co-Founder of the Spinning Wheel Foundation.
Cleo Goodman	Cleo is the Basic Income Lead at Autonomy and of the Basic Income Conversation. She launched the proposals for basic income pilots in Jarrow and Grange, East Finchley and is currently working on securing the investment required to get these off the ground. She is a key voice in the rapidly growing movement taking basic income from an idea to reality.
James Grant	James has been contributing to BIEN's online presence since 2018, becoming the Social Media Manager for the organisation in 2021. He studied International Relations at Queen Mary, University of London, and currently lives in London after brief stints in Taiwan, Spain and The Netherlands. He currently takes responsibility for BIEN's Twitter, LinkedIn, Facebook and Mastadon feeds, and is looking forward to attending his first BIEN Congress this Summer. Please feel free to reach out to James with any questions or suggestions relating to this year's social presence.
Harisa Raja	Harisa is an undergraduate student in Sociology and Social Policy at the University of Bath with an interest in human needs, and an eagerness to support the international development of Universal Basic Income as a provider for such.
Joel Lazarus	Joel is a postdoctoral research fellow at the University of Bath. He is the qualitative lead for the WorkFREE experiment. His research is supported both by the European Research Council and the British Academy. It involves an exploration of the philosophy of needs in the context of transformation. He is particularly interested in the need of transcendence; in creating, through deep relational practices, the conditions that enable us to transcend our egoic selves and listen to the needs of the system we are inhabiting, and to act personally and collectively from that place.
Nick Langridge	Nick is an ESRC-funded PhD researcher at the University of Bath. His work explores the ecological implications of basic income and its role in the transition to a sustainable and just society. Nick previously worked as a social development advisor for the UK Department for International Development.
Dave Beck	Dave is a lecturer at the University of Salford. He is a food poverty expert with teaching and research interests across the Social Sciences. His work focuses on the practical and theoretical aspects of social security and examining the possibility of a Universal Basic Income as an answer to food insecurity. Dave is

	also co-chair of two UBI groups and part of the UBILab Network, UBILab Food and UBILab Greater Manchester, and is involved with Citizens Basic Income Trust and is a 4-Day Week Campaigner.
Liz Fouksman	Liz is a lecturer/assistant professor in Social Justice at the Centre for Public Policy Research in the School of Education, Communication and Society at King's College London. She is also a research associate of the University of Oxford and the University of the Witwatersrand. Liz's research focuses on understanding moral, social and cultural attachments to work and working. It looks at the impediment such attachments pose to new imaginaries of the future of labour and distribution in an increasingly automated world. In particular, Liz focuses on the ways the long-term unemployed in countries with high inequality and unemployment rates think about links between time-use, work, and income.
Sophia Hatzisavvidou	Sophia is a Senior Lecturer (Associate Professor) in Politics at the University of Bath. Her work is in the area of ecological politics. Her research interests include Climate Justice, Just Transitions, Social Movements and Contestation, Political Rhetoric, and Green Political Theory. Sophia leads the UBI and Climate Change strand of the Bath UBI Beacon.
Laura Smyth	Laura is a researcher and PhD student working at the Centre for People-led Digitalisation at the University of Bath. Her research examines adult skills policy, including a historical review of skills policy in England since 2000 and evaluation of the effect of governance structure and local institutions on policy design and outcomes. She has previously worked as part of a team who produced rapid evidence review of basic income pilot schemes, published by the International Public Policy Observatory (IPPO).
Maria Franchi	Maria is a PhD student at the University of Bath and member of the WorkFREE research team. Her work focuses on relational impacts and experiences of collective agency among women in the communities. Before joining the project, Maria worked as a community development worker and consultant to NGOs, public bodies, co-operatives and activist groups specialising in change-making through non-hierarchical, inclusive, liberatory and participatory approaches.
Kristen Hope Burchill	Kristen is a PhD candidate at the University of Bath. Her research uses participatory methods to explore the implications of the decolonisation of aid for international child protection actors, with a specific focus on how understandings of violence against children evolve through the encounter with the 'slow violence' of climate collapse.

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