Floor Plan

High Quality Catering

The Research Beehive is fully accessible to disabled visitors with access clearly directed from the ground floor main entrance. The Beehive also has fully trained staff to assist in an emergency.

Ground floor

Level 1

Level 2

More Choice

Open to all, it is also specially suited to users taking place in the Beehive. This is due to the close proximity of the main entrance and it is adjacent and can easily be overlooked.

• Experienced team of chefs
• Range of delicious hot and cold dining options
• Superb range of light refreshments
• Personalised menus to suit
• Licensed bar area
• Complimentary parking

Well Connected

Situated at the heart of the university campus, close to the main buildings, delegates have access to a fast and reliable transport system. It is easily accessible from all major transport links: Haymarket Metro Station, 2 mins, Central Station (10 mins), Airport (30 mins).

Responsive

For booking enquiries and details of our flexible rates, please contact, Business Development Directorate: The Research Beehive, Old Library Building, Newcastle University, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 7RU. Tel: 0191 222 5770 Fax: 0191 222 3401 www.ncl.ac.uk/business-directorate/beehive

The Research Beehive

fresh thinking for conferences and seminars

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A Flexible Venue

The Research Beehive at Newcastle University delivers first-class facilities for research-related conferences, seminars and meetings.

• Major national conferences
• Cross-Faculty research development seminars
• Major project meetings
• Presentations from/or to major sponsors

Research Beehive is a key investment in the university’s research-related conferencing in the University campus, the space for research staff and postgraduates to meet, generate ideas, foster networks, develop new projects and socialise.

Seamless Presentations

There are few seminar audiences which cater for a range of delegations from 14 to 150 delegates. The Research Beehive’s range of versatile rooms provide the ideal environment for presentations to groups of all sizes. The suite of seminar rooms is equipped with the latest audio visual equipment supported by professional AV-technical support and full presentation facilities for effective and impressive presentations.

Superb Hotsdesk Facility

High-quality hot-desk facilities based around informal break-out spaces in one central location, offering work places for new ways of working.

Motivational

The Research Beehive’s range of smart, state-of-the-art conference facilities are equipped with the latest audio visual equipment, in-house support and high-speed computer network to enhance the conference experience.

Multifaceted

Three floors of fully air-conditioned accommodation house a suite of state-of-art seminar rooms, equipped with the latest audio visual equipment provided with a comprehensive range of technical support.

A Hub for Knowledge Sharing

Providing a flexible and stylish mix of space and services for research-related conferencing in the University campus, the Research Beehive is a key investment in the university’s interdisciplinary research expertise.

Illuminating the ways of working together: the Research Beehive is enhancing the research environment of dedicated space for research staff and postgraduate students to meet, generate ideas, foster networks, develop new projects and socialise.

Spacious Room Layouts

Rooms 2.20 and 2.21 accommodate board-room style seating for 50 and 100 delegates respectively. Combined as a single space they seat 150 and can be separated by retractable doors: Chairs with writing tables are set-up board-room style in Rooms 2.20 and 2.21.

The facilities are complemented by an innovative ‘hot-desk’ area on the central location, offering novel possibilities around informal break-out spaces in one central location, offering work places for new ways of working.

For smaller conferences and presentations, cross-Faculty research development seminars, informal group working or for most AV functions.

Equipment:

• Bookable data projector
• Whiteboard
• Manual projection screen
• 3.5mm slide projection
• Laptop connection

Research Beehive Room 2.23

• Computer Specification:
  • CPU: 1.8GHz processor, 256MB RAM, 4GB HDD, 15” Flat Panel display, 256MB VRAM, 1000MB LAN.
  • Operating System: Windows XP Professional operating system, MS Office 2003 with the usual packages e.g. PowerPoint, Excel, Access etc.
  • Other software includes Windows Media Player, RealPlayer, Internet Explorer, MS Photoshop etc.

• Important:
  • Laptop connections are available in all rooms.
  • Computer specification is subject to variation.

Research Beehive Room 2.22

• Computer Specification:
  • CPU: 2.0GHz processor, 256MB RAM, 4GB HDD, 15” Flat Panel display, 256MB VRAM, 1000MB LAN.
  • Operating System: Windows XP Professional operating system, MS Office 2003 with the usual packages e.g. PowerPoint, Excel, Access etc.
  • Other software includes Windows Media Player, RealPlayer, Internet Explorer, MS Photoshop etc.

• Important:
  • Laptop connections are available in all rooms.
  • Computer specification is subject to variation.

Research Beehive Room 2.21

• Computer Specification:
  • CPU: 2.0GHz processor, 256MB RAM, 4GB HDD, 15” Flat Panel display, 256MB VRAM, 1000MB LAN.
  • Operating System: Windows XP Professional operating system, MS Office 2003 with the usual packages e.g. PowerPoint, Excel, Access etc.
  • Other software includes Windows Media Player, RealPlayer, Internet Explorer, MS Photoshop etc.

• Important:
  • Laptop connections are available in all rooms.
  • Computer specification is subject to variation.