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MAIN VENUE:

Arnolfini Centre for Contemporary Arts

Arnolfini is one of Europe's leading centres for the contemporary arts, presenting innovative, experimental work in the visual arts, performance, dance, film, music and events, accompanied by a programme of learning and participation activities.

Five exhibition spaces, a theatre/cinema auditorium, Reading Room and Light/Dark Studios are housed in the Grade II listed, fully accessible building.

In a fantastic waterside location it sits at the heart of Bristol's harbourside.

Arnolfini website: <http://www.arnolfini.org.uk/>

Getting there: <http://www.arnolfini.org.uk/visit/getting-here>

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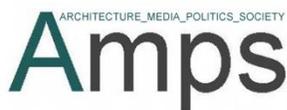
Nearby:

Watershed

The Arnolfini conference venue is 5 minutes walk from another shared arts space, the Watershed.

The Watershed is the leading film culture and digital media centre in the South West of England. It has three cinemas and a Pervasive Media Studio. Its research space brings together a network of over 100 artists, technologists and academics to explore the future of mobile and wireless media.

Watershed website: <http://www.watershed.co.uk/>



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CITY of BRISTOL:

Bristol is considered by many the street art capital of Europe. The city's elected mayor, George Ferguson, is an architect, who specialised in transforming old buildings into one with a new use. One example is a former sail workshop, the Architecture Centre. Nearby you can join Urban wanderings, a series of guided walks. Also try Spike Island, home to a gallery, cafe and working space for artists, designers and creative businesses in fields from fine art fabrication to film production. More.

<http://www.theguardian.com/travel/2014/mar/28/top-10-arts-culture-venues-bristol>

What's on: <http://visitbristol.co.uk/things-to-do>

Full Travel details in and around Bristol: <https://www.bristol.gov.uk/streets-travel>

RECOMMENDED HOTELS

1. The 'Bristol Hotel' (part of the Doyle Collection)

Address: Prince St, Bristol BS1 4QF, United Kingdom (Next door to the conference venue)

Phone: +44 117 923 0333

Typical Prices: Mon £105; Tues £135; Wed £135; Thurs £105; Fri £89; Sat £135; Sun £89

Double rooms for single occupancy, supplement for double occupancy £10 per day. Rates are including VAT and WiFi. Parking is available in adjacent NCP, 24hr ticket £5.

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RECOMMENDED HOTELS

2. Ibis

Address: Explore Lane, Avon, City of Bristol BS1 5TY, United Kingdom (5 mins walk from venue)

Phone: +44 117 319 9000

Typical Prices: £ 60-80

Double room with 1 double bed.

<http://www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-5547-ibis-bristol-centre/index.shtml>

3. Brooks Guesthouse

Address: Bristol, St Nicholas Street, Bristol, BS1 1UB. (10 mins walk from venue)

Tel: +44 (0)1179 300 066

Typical Prices: £89

Double Room

<http://www.brooksguesthousebristol.com/>

4. Other Places to Stay

Various other options exist:

<http://visitbristol.co.uk/accommodation>

<http://www.theguardian.com/travel/2014/mar/28/top-10-hotels-bed-breakfast-bristol>

http://www.tripadvisor.com/Hotels-g186220-Bristol_England-Hotels.html

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