



Annual Conference 2026 Brunel University of London

Frequently Asked Questions

Where is this year's conference?

The conference is hosted by [Brunel Centre for Intelligence and Security Studies \(BCISS\)](#) at [Brunel University of London](#) between 8-10 September 2026.

How do I get to Brunel University?

Brunel University is in Uxbridge, only 15-minutes' drive from London Heathrow Airport (LHR), the UK's largest, and is easily accessible by public transport. Central London is 45 minutes by train.

Do I need a visa?

Most of our conference delegates will find access to the United Kingdom to be low-friction, requiring only an Electronic Travel Authorisation. However, others may require a visa. You can find out more details here: <https://www.gov.uk/eta>

What is the registration process, and how much does it cost?

Registration is available from 1 March [here](#).

All delegates, presenters, and panelists are required to complete the registration process and pay the appropriate fee:

- Early Bird (ends 31 May) - £250 IAFIE members/£300 non-members
- Standard (ends 31 August) - £275 IAFIE members/£325 non-members

The optional cultural visit on the Tuesday evening is an additional £20 charge which includes transport. This may be purchased when registering for the conference.

Are there any discounted rates for registration?

IAFIE is a non-profit organisation which endeavours to make its conferences as affordable as possible for all delegates. We are unable to offer further discounts beyond those listed below.

We offer a discounted rate to all IAFIE members. It costs \$25 to join IAFIE as a student member, making this the most cost-effective way for students to register for the conference.

We also offer an Early Bird rate for delegates registering before 31 May.

Students seeking funding to attend IAFIE conferences are advised to enquire with their university as to any opportunities available.

Can I pay for access to only one or two days of the conference?

We understand that delegates may be unable to attend all three days of the conference, however, due to limited capacity we are unable to accept part payment or issue day passes.

Can you provide me with official confirmation of my registration?

Yes, we are happy to offer our delegates a Conference Invitation Letter after they have registered for the conference. Please complete and submit this [form](#).

Where can I stay?

Uxbridge is an area benefiting from a range of hotels, restaurants, and other amenities within a reasonable distance. There are also numerous local attractions, for example Windsor Castle is less than 30-minutes' drive.

What are the transport arrangements?

Delegates are requested to make their own arrangements when getting to and from the conference venue. Transport shall be provided for those who register for the optional cultural visit.

What are the catering arrangements?

Refreshment breaks and lunches are included on all three days of the conference. The cost of the Gala Dinner on Wednesday 9 September is also included for delegates.

If you wish to invite a guest to the dinner, then you may reserve and pay for their place when you register for the conference. *Due to the capacity of the dinner venue, guest dinner tickets are limited to one per delegate, and these will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.*

Can you facilitate special dietary requirements?

Yes, please include this information when you register for the conference.

Will I be filmed or photographed?

Delegates are asked not to take videos or photographs without the explicit consent of those appearing in them. However, we cannot guarantee every delegate will comply with this request. If you have any concerns about persons taking photographs at the conference, we ask you to raise this with a member of staff.

The official conference photographer will not take photographs of those delegates who are wearing a red lanyard, which is requested when you register and issued on the first morning of the conference. Delegates who do not mind appearing in photographs will be given a white lanyard.

Panel chairs should consider making an announcement at the start of their session whether photographs of panel members are permitted.

May I share the conference proceedings on social media?

Yes, we would encourage you to do this, but only if you have obtained the consent of the persons appearing in any photographs or videos.

Are there translation services available?

We do not routinely provide translation services for conference sessions or documentation.

Enquiries

If you have any further questions, please get in touch with us at: info@iafieeeurope.org