



We are delighted to welcome you to the UCL Sociology Network PhD Student Conference 2025, taking place on **Tuesday 3 June 2025** at **University College London (UCL)**.

Arrival and Registration

Registration will take place in Lecture Room 1, downstairs in the [Cruciform Building](#) from 9:30am.

We're expecting a high number of participants, so the registration area will be very busy. To help everything running smoothly, please ensure you register promptly upon arrival and then step away from the desk to allow others to register. Feel free to grab some refreshments in the Chadwick Building, explore the venues or take a moment to familiarise yourself with the programme.

Venue Details

Venue address: UCL Cruciform Building, Gower Street, London WC1E 6AE

Directions:

- [Interactive map](#)
- [Travel by public transport](#)
- [Bicycle parking](#)
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Virtual tour of the University: <https://viewer.mapme.com/db82864d-a834-4f46-96d8-8606469e69d5>

Sessions will take place in various rooms across the campus. Conference volunteers will be available to help take attendees to the different locations, but please also note the locations of the sessions you would like to attend. Locations are linked below:

1. [Lecture Room 1, Cruciform Building](#)
2. [G07, Chadwick Building](#)
3. [Room LG01, 222 Euston Road](#) (also be available as a quiet room throughout the day)
4. [Room B15, Darwin Building](#)
5. [Room B15, Anatomy Building, Medical Sciences](#)

Programme and Abstract Book

The programme and abstract book are attached to this email and will be available on the [USN PhD Website](#). If you are presenting, please check the programme carefully for your presentation slot, room and presentation mode. Any late changes will be listed at the registration desk. If you're no longer able to present, please inform the [UCL Sociology Network PhD group](#) as soon as possible. For assistance during the event, please visit the registration desk or speak to one of our volunteers.

Meals and Refreshments

Teas and coffee will be served in **G07, Chadwick Building** during the following times:

- Registration: 9:30 am – 10:00 am
- Poster Session: 10:15 am – 10:50 am (available at both **Lecture Room 1, Cruciform Building and G07, Chadwick Building**)
- During Lunch: from 12:50 pm

Lunch Options

While lunch will not be provided, there are several options for getting [food on campus](#). UCL being in the heart of London also means there are many wonderful places to choose from nearby including on Tottenham Court Road and at [The Brunswick Centre](#).

If you'd like to join us in the sunshine, then feel free to grab your food and meet at [Gordon Square](#). [Momo's Garden Café](#) in Gordon Square also has a limited selection of home-made sandwiches and cakes.

Presentation Guidelines

Oral Presentations

Oral presentations will take place in parallel sessions throughout the programme.

- There will be up to 5 presenters in each session
- Each presenter will be allocated a 15-minute slot: 10 minutes presentation time and 5 minutes Q&A

Poster Presentations

Posters will be displayed in **Lecture Room 1, Cruciform Building, and G07, Chadwick Building**, and the presenters will be available to discuss their posters and answer any questions.

We'll be awarding a **prize for the best poster**, voted for by you, the conference attendees, via Microsoft Forms. Voting opens on the morning of 3rd June and closes at 4:45pm on the same day.

[Click here to vote for the best poster](#).

Workshops

There are two interactive workshops taking place throughout the programme. For workshop topics please refer to the abstract book (attached to email).

Cloakroom

Please note that there will not be a cloakroom available at this conference. Therefore, we advise that you keep your belongings with you.

Accessibility

For full accessibility information for each room please refer to the links below:

1. [Cruciform Building](#)
2. [Chadwick Building](#)
3. [222 Euston Road](#)
4. [Darwin Building](#)
5. [Anatomy Building, Medical Sciences](#)

Publicity and Photography

Please note that photographers will be capturing images during the conference. The UCL Sociology Network may use these for marketing and promotional purposes, including in print and digital platforms.

By attending, you consent to being photographed. If you prefer not to be included, please speak to a member of the UCL Sociology Network PhD group, or contact us after the event at usn.phdgroup@ucl.ac.uk

Questions?

Contact the UCL Sociology Network PhD group at usn.phdgroup@ucl.ac.uk and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

We will also be using a **WhatsApp channel** to communicate with presenters and attendees on the day and respond to any questions. You are welcome to join using this link: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/KGM8vNZ4C60Lr9c2LsoAGR>