

How to Book

Booking is easy: go to www.quatuorcoronati.com and click on the 2023 Cambridge Conference dropdown menu.

How much does it cost?

Conference Registration Fee

The registration fee includes access to lectures and discussions; Saturday lunch; and daily tea, coffee and refreshments.

Members of QCCC: £110

Non-Members: £150

Guests and partners are welcome to attend as delegates. Non-delegates (guests & partners) can pay for meals separately each day, should they wish.

Accommodation

Cambridge offers many hotels and university rooms at prices to suit all budgets. We have arranged discounted rates at *The Graduate*, around 200 yards from Queens' College, and at the Moller Institute (with free parking) about a mile away. Many other options are also available in Cambridge. Please see the QCCC Conference website for details.

Black Tie / Formal Dinner Saturday Night

£65 per person, including wines.

Guests and partners are welcome.

Publications & QC Regalia

Inventing the Future and other publications will be available at discounted prices alongside other merchandise.

How to Get to Cambridge

By Car

Cambridge is no longer car friendly and there is very limited car parking in the city with priority given to people with mobility issues.

Queens' College is approached via Trumpington Street from the South. Set your Sat Nav to CB3 9ET.

A popular and inexpensive Park & Ride service is available on the outskirts of Cambridge. Access is signposted from the M11 motorway.

By Train

A non-stop train service runs between London Kings Cross and Cambridge station twice an hour on weekdays and once an hour at weekends. The College is a short taxi ride from the station or 20 minutes if walking.

From the Airport

London Stansted is the closest airport, with regular trains and buses to Cambridge.

London Heathrow operates a regular bus service to Cambridge. Alternatively, take a train to Paddington and then the London Underground to Kings Cross for trains to Cambridge.

From London Gatwick, take the Gatwick Express to Victoria and the Underground (Victoria Line) to Kings Cross.



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'Inventing the Future': the 1723 Constitutions

The Tercentenary of the publication of
The Constitutions of the Freemasons

AT THE
QUEENS' COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE
ENGLAND

22 - 24 September 2023



Conference Programme

FRIDAY, 22 SEPTEMBER - DAY ONE

QUEENS' COLLEGE CAMBRIDGE
FITZPATRICK HALL

- 14.00-14.15 Welcome: Jonathan Spence, ProGM, & Dr Ric Berman: Conference Chair
Context, Content, & Consequences: The 1723 Constitutions
- 14.15-15.15 Professor Pierre-Yves Beaurepaire
A European Overview
Professor Olivier Badot
The influences of the Anderson's Constitutions on French Freemasonry in the 18th century
- 15.15-15.45 Professor Cécile Révauger
Professor Margaret C. Jacob - discussant
Women's Freemasonry in eighteenth-century France and its legacy
- 15.45-16.00 Coffee / Break
- 16.00-16.30 Lucio Artini
Freemasonry's Tenets: A threat to Absolutism.
Olivier Badot & Ric Berman: discussants
- 16.30-17.40 Leif Endre Grutle, Andreas Önnarfors, Niels Arne Dam & Haukur Óskarsson
Nordic Freemasonry & the Swedish Rite Panel Presentation & Discussion
- 18.30-19.00 Queens' College Bar - Reception
Followed by an evening in Cambridge



Queens' President's Lodge

SATURDAY, 23 SEPTEMBER - DAY TWO

QUEENS' COLLEGE CAMBRIDGE
FITZPATRICK HALL

- 09.15-09.30 Welcome & Introduction
- 09.30-10.30 Professor Margaret C. Jacob
Freemasonry & the Enlightenment
Professor Cécile Révauger & Dr Ric Berman - discussants
- 10.30-11.00 Coffee / Break
- 11.00-12.00 *Freemasonry and Culture in Eighteenth-Century Britain, Part I*
Dr Andrew Thompson
Hanoverian Britain: Culture & Society
Dr Patricia Fara
Desaguliers, the Royal Society, & the Scientific Enlightenment
- 12.00-13.30 Lunch
- 13.30-14.10 *Part II*
Dr Bridgett Orr
Freemasonry, Theatre & the Arts
Discussion and Q&A
- 14.10-15.10 Profs. Susan Sommers & Andrew Prescott
James Anderson: Philosophical Imperatives
- 15.10-15.40 Coffee / Break
- 15.40-16.20 Dr Ric Berman
Desaguliers, Anderson & Payne
- 16.20-17.00 Akram Elias, PGM, Washington D.C.
The 1723 Constitutions. The Indispensable Trowel: Cementing America's Foundations – and Q&A
- 18.30 UGLE Reception, The Old Hall
- 19.30 Formal Dinner, Cripps Hall



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OF ENGLAND

SUNDAY 24 SEPTEMBER - DAY THREE

QUEENS' COLLEGE CAMBRIDGE
FITZPATRICK HALL

- 09.00-09.10 Welcome & Introduction
- 09.10-10.00 *Breaking Barriers*
Pierre-Yves Beaurepaire & Andreas Önnarfors
Freemasonry & Revolutionary Europe
- 10.00-10.40 Professor John Kyle Day
Dr Oscar Alleyne & Dr Ric Berman (discussants)
Black Freemasonry in America
- 10.40-11.00 *Q&A*
- 11.00-11.20 Coffee / Break
- 11.20-12.30 *The 1723 Constitutions: 'Inventing the Future'*
Floor / Panel Discussion
- Conclusions & Closing Remarks



'The Backs', River Cam

Please note that events, panels and speakers may be subject to change.

Visit the 2023 Conference pages at
www.quatuorcoronati.com &
www.1723constitutions.com