



# 3rd World Conference on Gender and Women's Studies

 26 - 28 September 2025

 London, UK



# Conference Abstract Book

The abstracts of the presentations can be found in the online conference Abstract Book.

All abstracts will be available in the abstract book starting from the inaugural day of the Conference. Visit the following link to access the abstracts or scan the QR code:

<https://proudpen.com/proceedings/index.php/gwsconf>



## Keynote Speaker

Virtual



**Dr. Sabitra Kaphle**

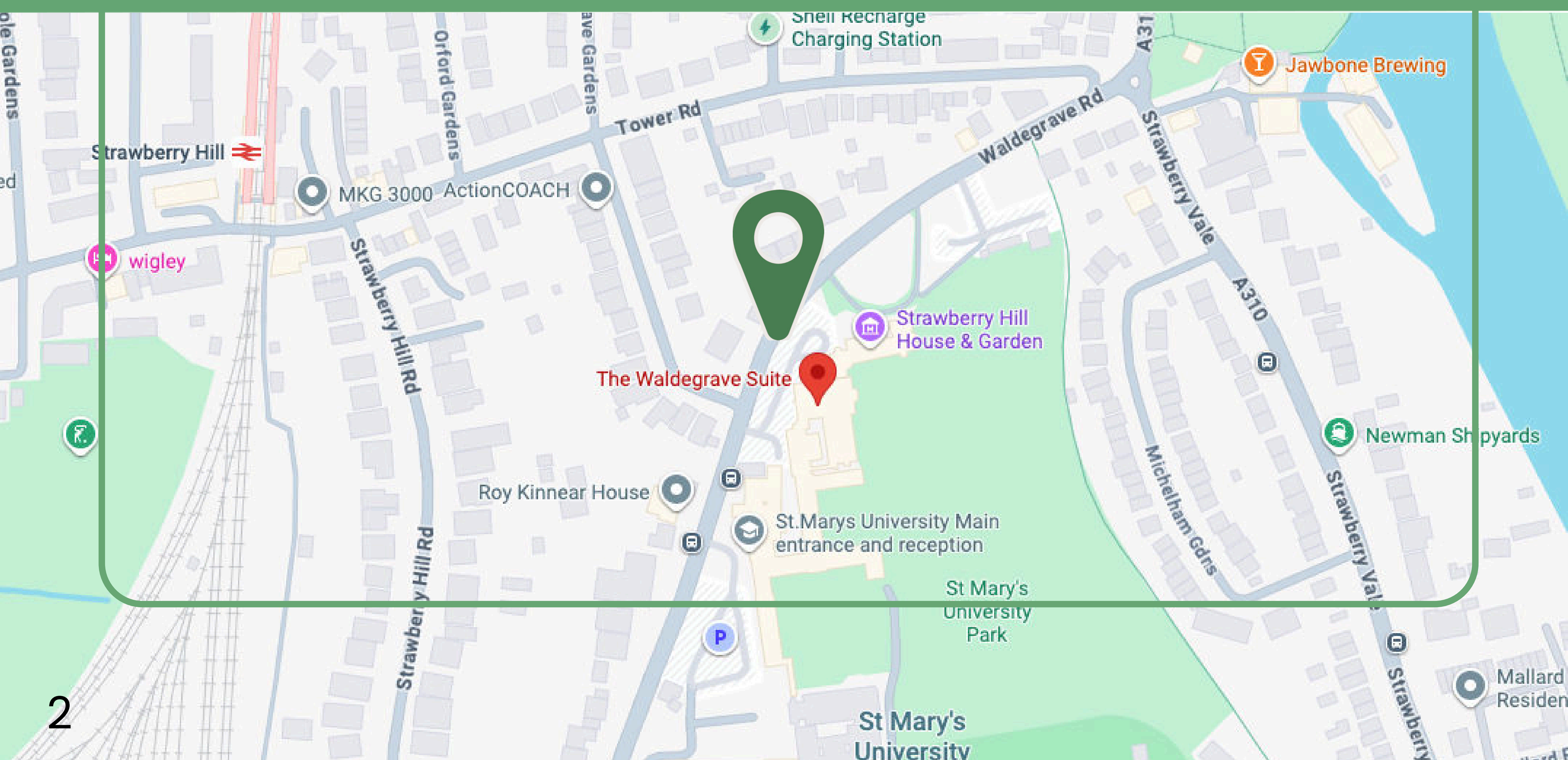
School of Health, Medical and Applied Sciences,  
Central Queensland University, Australia

# Conference Venue

## St Mary's University, The Waldegrave Suite



Address: Waldegrave Road, Twickenham, TW1 4SX, London



# 1st Day

## Oral Check-in Information

09:00 – 09:30

REGISTRATION & WELCOME

Friday  
Sep 26, 2025

We are thrilled to welcome you to the highly anticipated Oral Session at the **GWSCONF** Conference!

Join us for an inspiring lineup of distinguished speakers from diverse disciplines as they share their insights and expertise on a wide array of thought-provoking topics.

 **Location:** London, UK

 **Check-in Time:** 09:00– 09:30 **Room A**

We look forward to an exciting and enriching session together!

Gender, Power, and Identity: Women's Journeys of Resistance and Representation

09:30 – 09:45

**Prof. Dr. Amy L. Stone – USA**

Housing as Gender-Affirming Care

09:45 – 10:00

**Dr. Debbie Bayntun-Lees & Dr. Ghada Howaidy – UK**

Men as Partners: Rethinking Allyship for Workplace Gender Equity through Action Research

10:00 – 10:15

**Dr. Karen Leong – UK**

Be You: Integrated facets of self – a framework for women's identity, values and agency

10:15 – 10:30

**Beatrice Hughes – Ireland**

Unwanted Consensual Sex – The Implications for Women

10:30 – 10:45

**Dr. Daniele Durante – Italy**

Female Cross-Dressing as Subversive of the Gendered Division of Labour in the Nineteenth-Century Japanese Household

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### **Norah Alomar – Saudi Arabia**

Portrayal of Female Depression: Applying L'écriture Féminine to The Yellow Wallpaper and A Rose for Emily

11:00 – 11:15

### **Dr. Adekemi Taiwo – Nigeria**

Negotiating Patriarchy in Nigerian Society: Representation of Female Identity in Nollywood Films

11:15 – 11:45

### **Networking & Refreshments**

### **Women, Power, and Representation in Society and Culture**

11:45 – 12:00

### **Jordan Ho – USA**

"They can't even define what a woman is": Gender, Narrative, and the 2024 Republican National Convention

12:00 – 12:15

### **Antonia Heil – Germany**

Gendered leadership in videoconferencing at the online workplace

12:15 – 12:30

### **Dr. Hyun-Joo Lim – UK**

Menopause policies in neoliberal English universities: continuing stigmatisation and intersectional marginalization

12:30 – 12:45

### **Dr. Afolabi Comfort Yemisi – Nigeria**

Perception and Effect of Gender Based Violence on Sustainable Development and Education of Girl-Child in South Western Nigeria

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### **Raikhan Primbetova – Qatar**

State Power, Gendered Repression, and Labor Exploitation: A Feminist Political Economy of the ALZHIR Camp

13:00 – 13:15

### **Luluwah Alhathri – Saudi Arabia**

It Ends with us From Page to Screen: Gender, Identity, and Narrative Transformation in Literary Adaptations

13:15 – 13:30

### **Hakima Choukri – Morocco**

Mobilizing Literature for Self-Representation: Emerging Voices in Arab-American Feminism

13:30 – 13:45

### **Reham AlBassam – Saudi Arabia**

The Impact of Feminist Discourse on Disney Animation: From Stereotypical Portrayal into Empowered Females

13:45 – 14:00

### **Rana Alghoraibi – Saudi Arabia**

From Brooklyn to Kuwait: Female Identity and the Ethics of Care in Contemporary Fiction

14:00 – 15:00

**Concluding Session & Networking Lunch**

# 2nd Day

## Walking City Tour Information

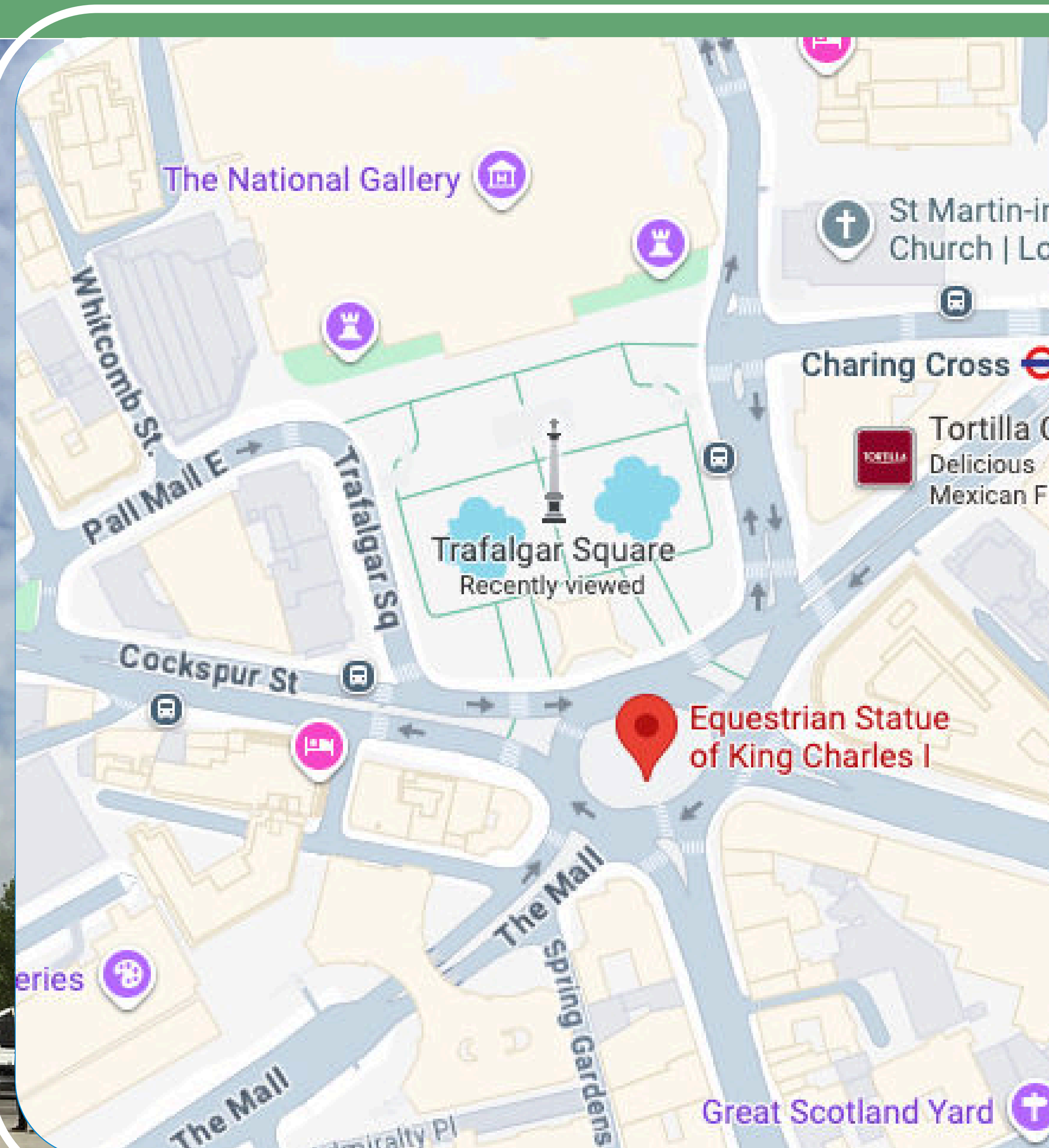
### Meeting point:

Trafalgar Square, The Statue of King Charles 1st, which sits on a small traffic island on the south side of the square.

**Tour Date:** 27 Sep 2025

**Tour Time:** 09:30 AM

[Address: London WC2N 5DU, United Kingdom](#)



# Highlights of London, meet this vibrant city!

This tour covers all the main sites in Westminster, alongside the hidden gems tucked away off the beaten track.

## London Tour Itinerary

Meet at Trafalgar Square  
Whitehall  
Horseguards Palace  
Downing Street  
Parliament Square  
Big Ben and Parliament  
Westminster Abbey  
St. James's Park  
Horseguards Parade  
The Mall  
Buckingham Palace  
St. James's Palace and surrounding area  
Finish at Piccadilly Circus

# 3rd Day

## Virtual Check-in information


08:30 – 08:45

**VIRTUAL WELCOME SESSION**

Sunday  
Sep 28, 2025

### **A Warm Welcome to All GWSCONF Participants!**

We are delighted to have you join us for an enriching virtual experience. This year's **GWSCONF** promises a dynamic program featuring diverse sessions, engaging discussions, and meaningful networking opportunities – all accessible from the comfort of your home.

 **Check-In:** 08:30 – 08:45 (**London, UK local time**)

We look forward to connecting with you online and making this conference a memorable and impactful event.

08:45 – 09:15

### ***Keynote Speech: Dr. Sabitra Kaphle – Australia***

Love, loss and attachment: social construct of relationships

09:15 – 09:30

### **Prof. Dr. Elisabete Ferreira – Portugal**

Domestic violence against women as a violation of the ECHR: an overview on the recent ECHR jurisprudence

09:30 – 09:45

### **Dr. Serelda Herbin – USA**

Married to My Purpose: Empowering Women to Reclaim Identity, Resilience, and Leadership

09:45 – 10:00

### **Q & A – Break Time**

10:00 – 10:15

### **Dr. Claire Westman – South Africa**

Flimsy borders and online selves: A philosophical exploration of virtual rape

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10:15 – 10:30

### **Aishwarya Nambiar – UK**

Disrupting Confined Boundaries: Creating Spaces of Safety and Play through Leisure

10:30 – 10:45

### **Vasiliki Chelidoni – Greece**

Training the next inclusive language professionals' generation through the eyes of translation educators: An approach based on bridging academic conference learning and professional networking experience

10:45 – 11:00

### **Ana Margarida De Areia Soares – UK**

Paula Rego: The Domestic Interior as a Stage

11:00 – 11:15

### **Q & A – Break Time**

11:15 – 11:30

### **Sophia Kalaf – Brazil**

The Barking Child: understanding the 'pet mom' phenomenon in contemporary society

11:30 – 11:45

### **Rhianna Dorrian – UK**

The False Equivalence of Femcel and Incel: Political Lesbianism Rebranded?

11:45 – 12:00

### **Dr. Jessica Glaeser – South Africa**

Redefining Womanhood through archetypes in the Novels of Calixthe Beyala

12:00 – 12:15

### **Dr. Susana Fernandez Blanco – Bahrain**

Silent Resilience: Encaustic Feminism in Fragments of Silence

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12:15 – 12:30

### **Raghad Alqadhi – Saudi Arabia**

Folded Stories: Exploring Cultural Narratives Of International Female Staff

12:30 – 12:45

### **Elaine Marshall – UK**

What's working to accelerate gender equality in sustainable land management and ecosystem restoration?

12:45 – 13:00

### **Dr. Perpetua Chinomona – South Africa**

"We Work Together, But the Fields Are Not Equal": Lived Experiences of Agricultural Division of Labour in Rural Zimbabwe

13:00 – 13:15

### **Q & A – Closing Time**

# F.A.Q. of the Conference

To give you as much information as possible, we provide you with the following frequently asked questions (FAQs) and answers.

## **Invoices or payment receipt. When will I receive my invoice/payment receipt?**

01.

We send sales receipts or invoices to customers immediately after registration, along with the payment confirmation email. These documents include an official signature and stamp. If you do not receive your sales receipt or invoice, please contact us using the email address provided in your conference program.

## **When will you give us certificates?**

02.

Listeners and Speakers will be awarded Certificates at the venue. The certificate of virtual attendees will be emailed after the conference.

## **Publication opportunities; Where and when will my paper be published?**

03.

All Abstracts will be published in the Abstract Book (link in the program). Other publishing opportunities including conference Proceedings, peer-reviewed indexed journals, etc. will be announced by our colleagues a few weeks after the conference.

## **Virtual presentations. How can we join the Virtual sessions?**

04.

We will send information to all conference participants in an email with simple and clear instructions. There is a link that will automatically connect you to the conference platform.

*Please note there is no need to join the virtual session from the conference venue. You can join us anywhere & you just need a computer and internet.*

## **How long is a conference paper presentation for in-person or virtual delegates?**

05.

In-person or virtual presenters will have 13 minutes for paper presentation, and then 2 minutes for Q&A.

**Any other questions?**

**Or maybe you want to leave your feedback?**

We look forward to your letter by the following email:

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