

QCD@LHC 26

*Welcome to
Oxford!*

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28 Sep - 2 Oct



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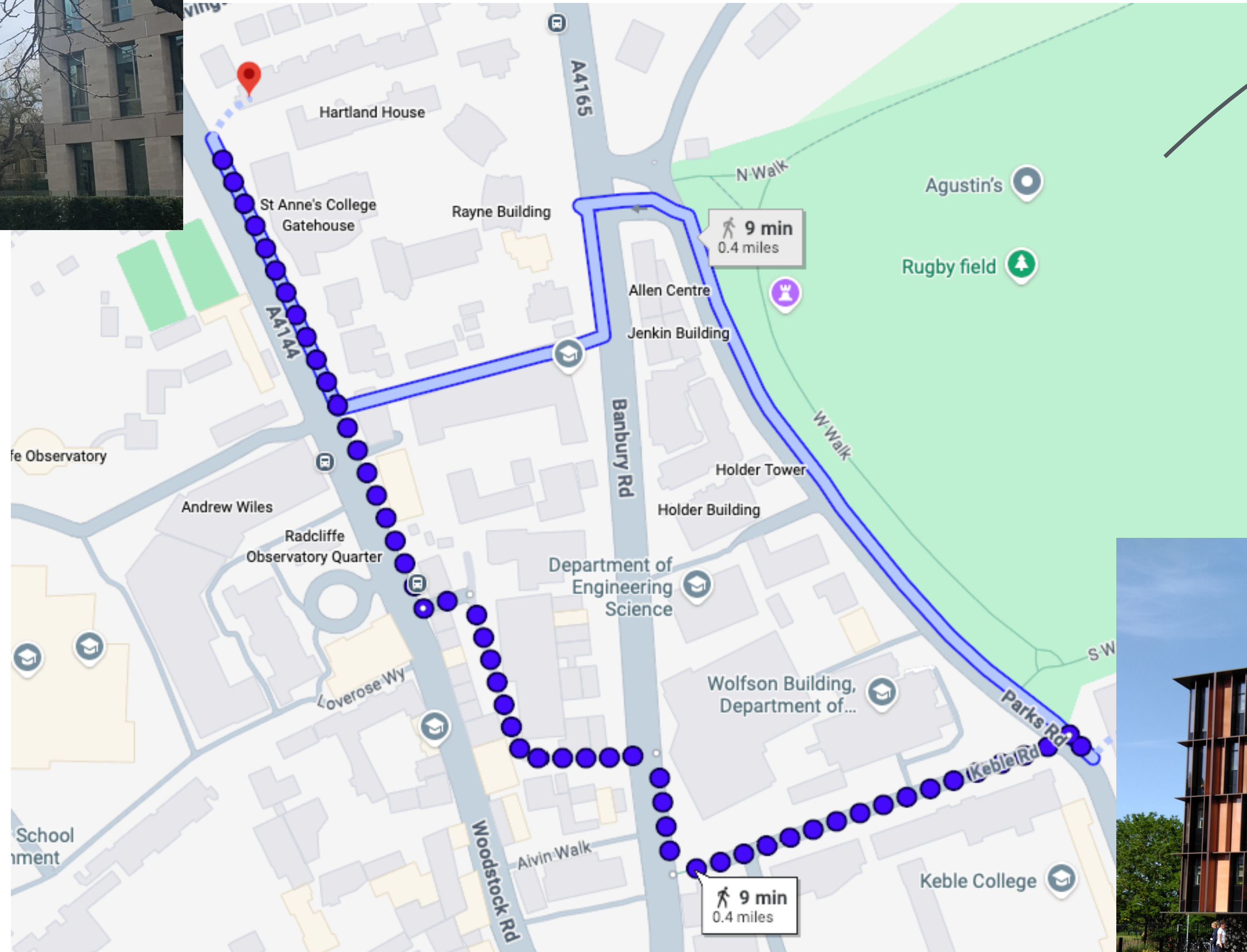
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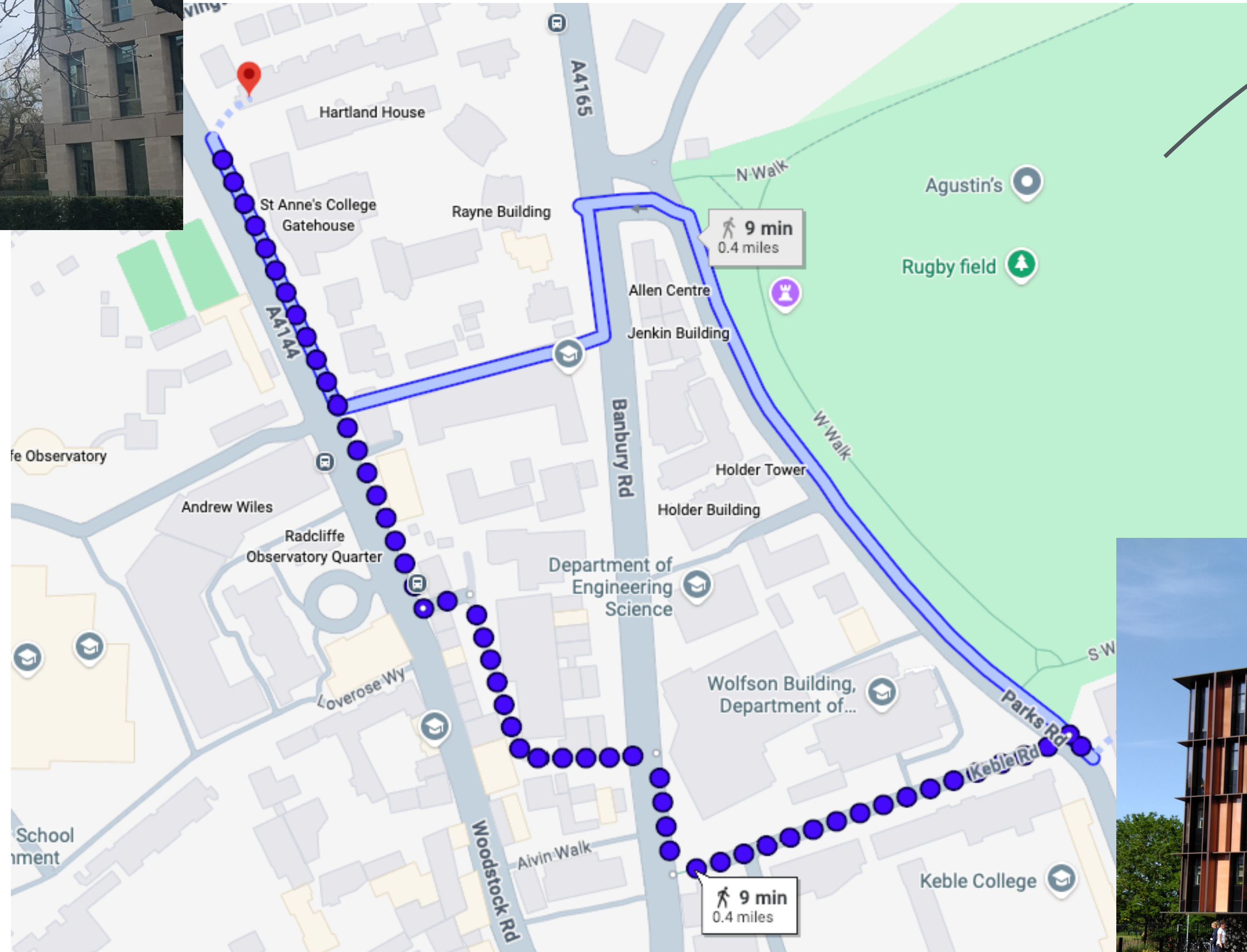


Plenary + Wednesday lunch:
Martin Wood Theatre

Eduroam across most of the city



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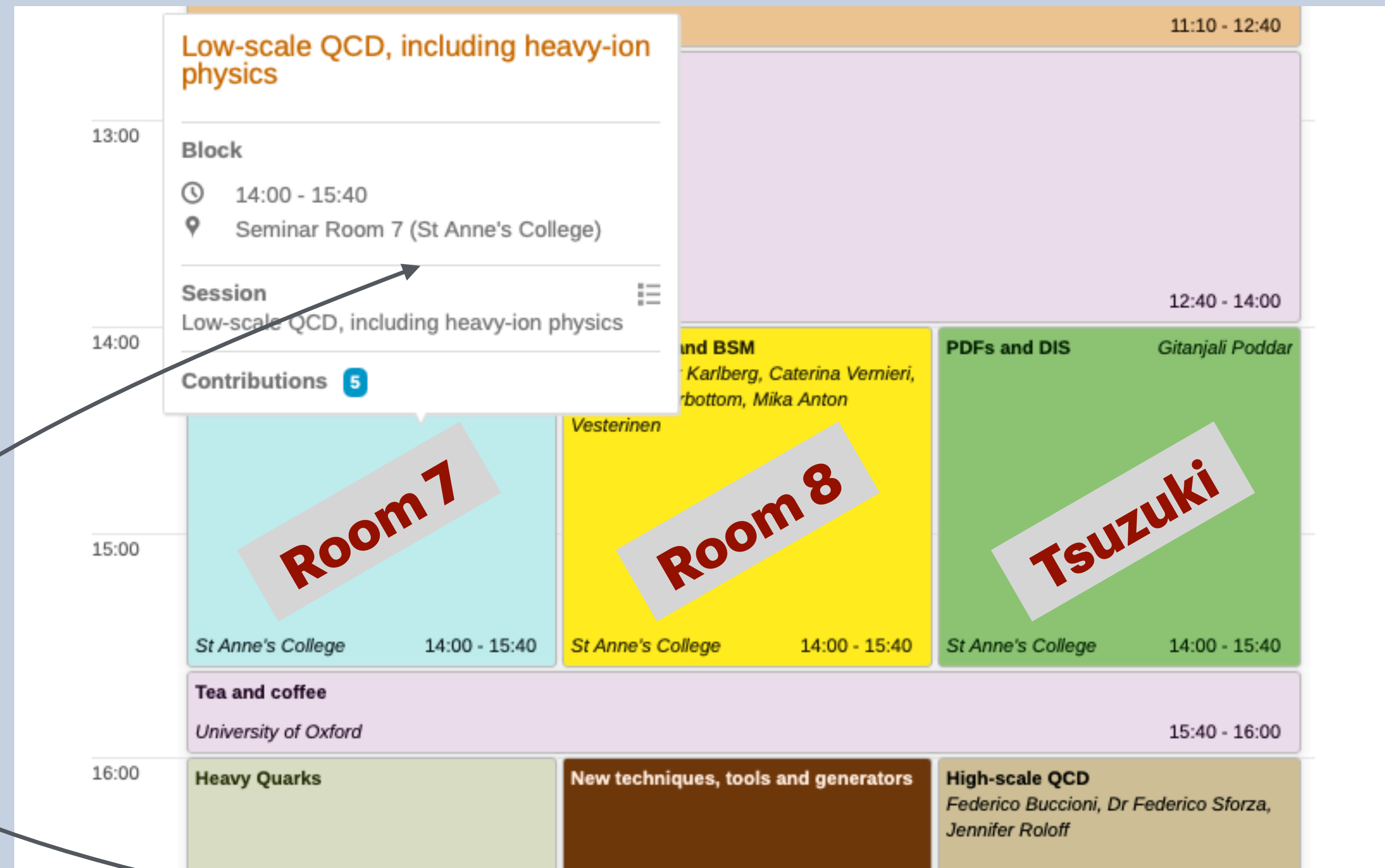


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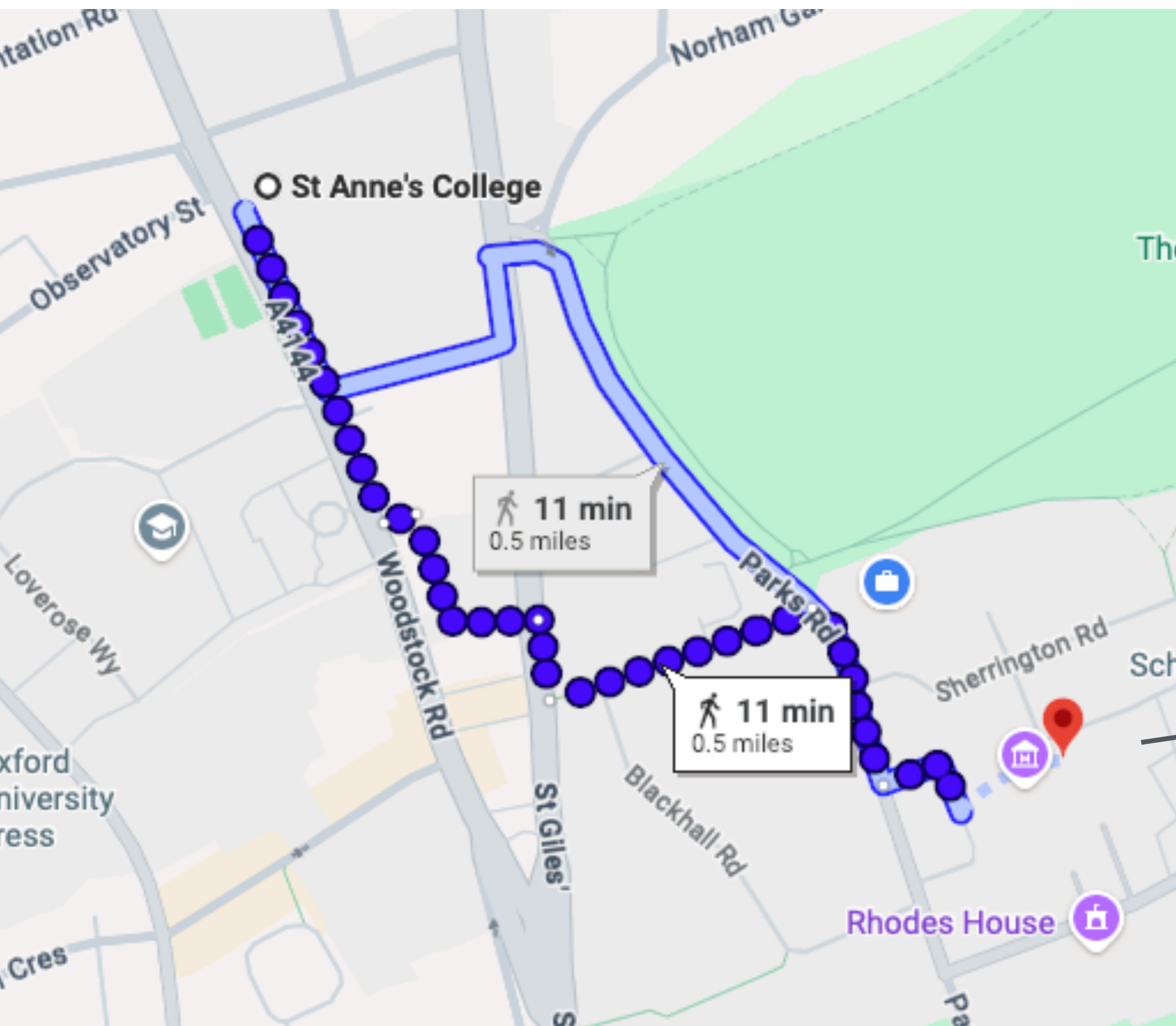
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Full scientific programme with parallel location on Indico

Please do upload the slides well before your session starts, do let us/the sessions conveners know if you don't have privileges

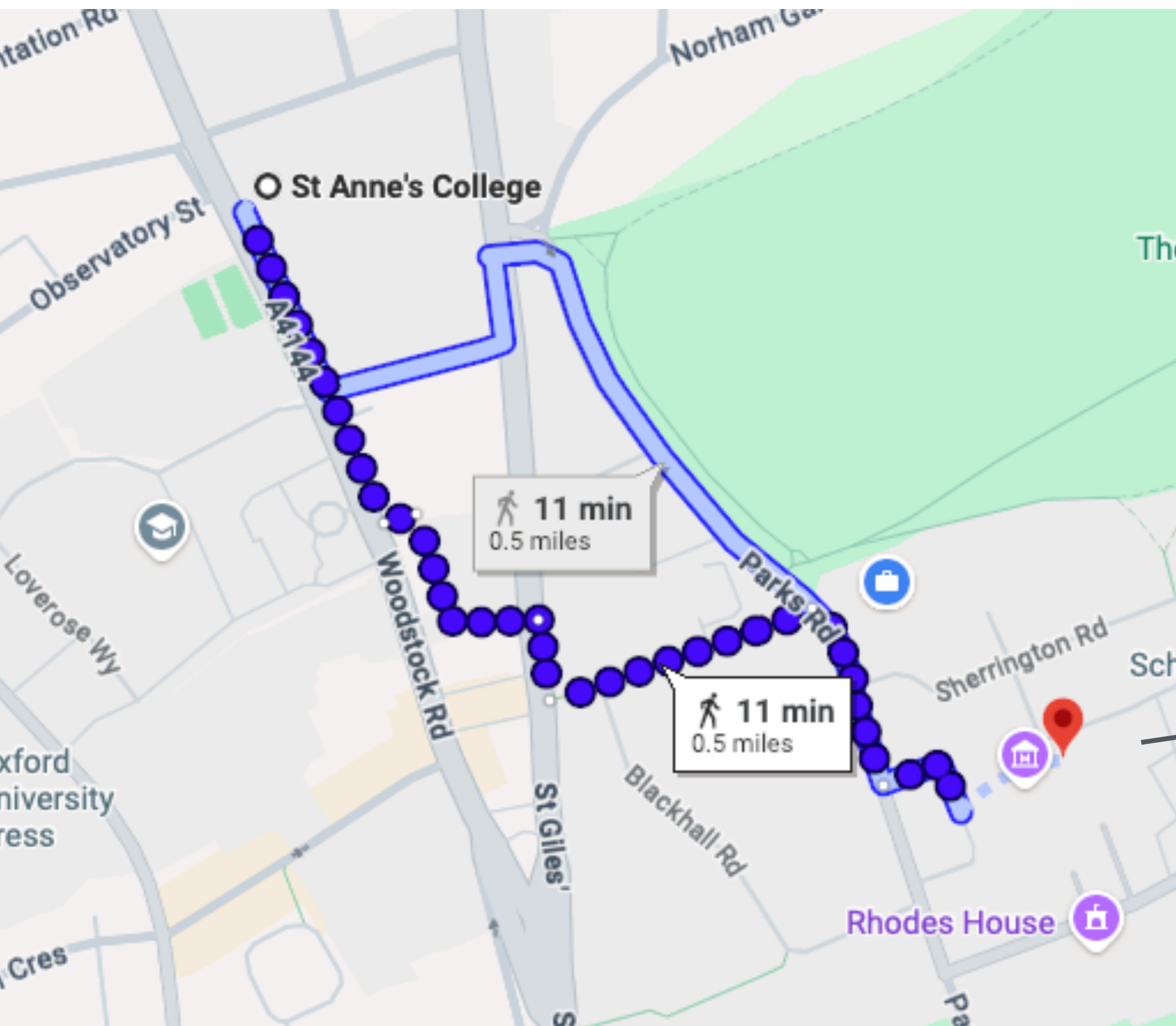
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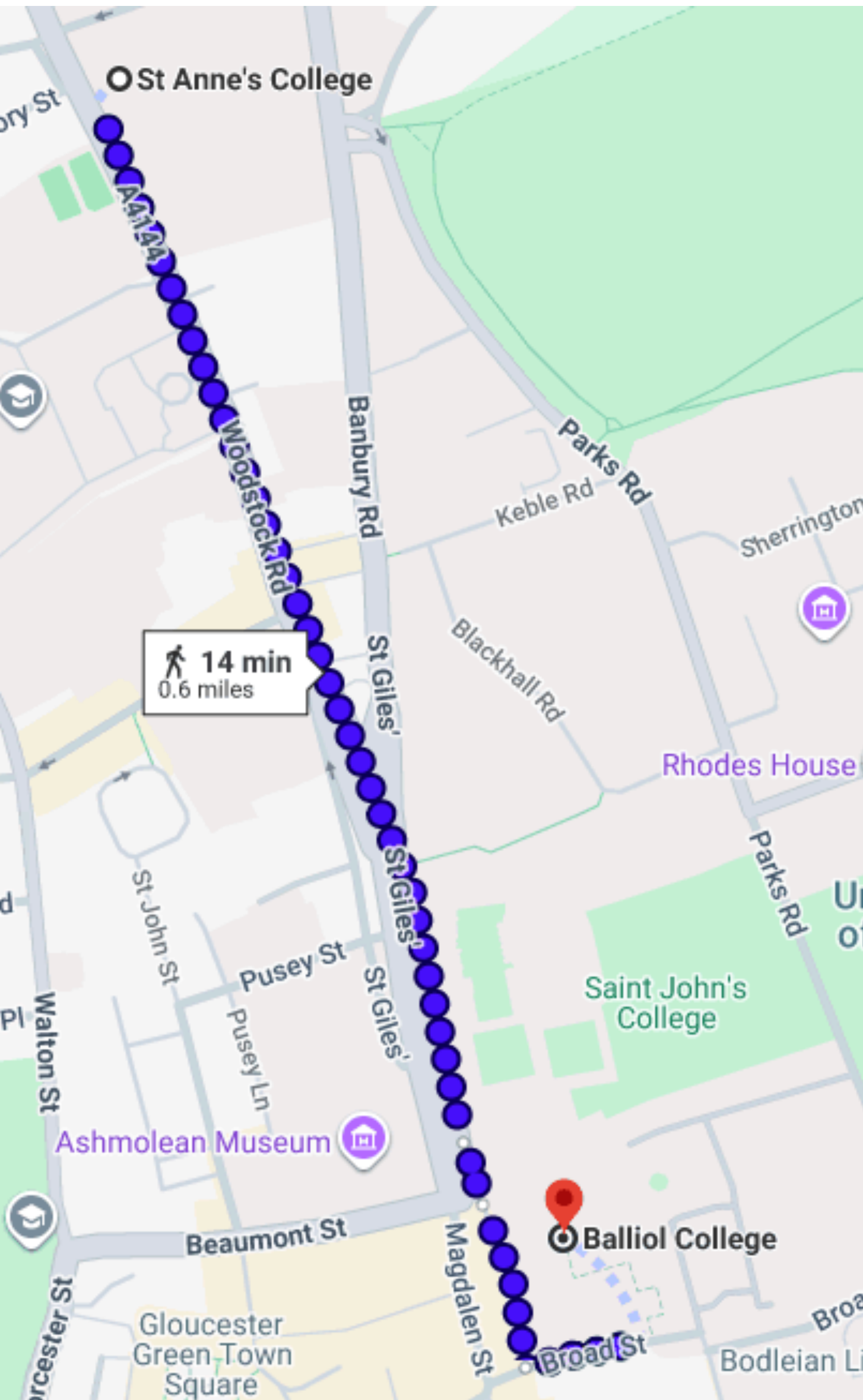
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Conference dinner on Thursday: Balliol College (est. 1263)

Drinks: 18.30, dinner 19.15 sharp



*If your plans changed, please do let us know
asap, to ensure food is not wasted...
and bring your badge!*

Free afternoon on Wednesday

Oxford sights

Oxford is a tourist destination - there is lots to do, and the internet holds a wealth of information. We've placed some favourites here that we use when we have a free afternoon or friends/family visiting.

1. Walking tour of Oxford

- a. There are plenty of paid walking tour options with a guide. Some links below that I've used before

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i. Start: Broad Street / Weston Library

ii. Broad Street & University buildings

Walk along Broad Street past the Sheldonian Theatre and the historic university buildings.

iii. The Bridge of Sighs

Turn into Cattle Street/New College Lane. Walk underneath the bridge and duck through the narrow lane on the left to find the hidden Turf Tavern.

iv. Bodleian Library & Old Schools Quadrangle

Come back towards Cattle Street and wander into the Old Schools Quadrangle. This is one of the architectural highlights of central Oxford.

v. Radcliffe Camera & Radcliffe Square

Walk around the whole square rather than just taking the standard photo. The Camera is a working library; normally you can't simply wander inside—it is accessible through specific Bodleian tours.

vi. University Church → High Street

Walk past St Mary the Virgin, then briefly along the High Street. This gives you one of Oxford's quintessential streetscapes.

vii. Merton Street

Turn towards Merton College and walk along Merton Street. It's quieter than the main tourist streets and gives you a good feel for old Oxford.

viii. Christ Church & St Aldate's

Continue towards Christ Church, taking in the main entrance and views towards Tom Tower.

ix. Covered Market

Walk back up St Aldate's and through the city centre to the Covered Market. Good place for coffee, cake or something quick to eat.

x. Turf Street → Broad Street

Finish by walking up Turf Street, passing several colleges, and return to Broad Street.

2. Museums:

Pitt Rivers museum – located behind the Natural History Museum (entrance from inside the NHM). The Pitt Rivers Museum in Oxford is an extraordinary collection of archaeological and anthropological objects from cultures around the world. Its atmospheric Victorian galleries are densely packed with everything from masks, weapons and musical instruments to

Need to register:

OPMD (ATLAS ITk ring assembly)

Tours at 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30pm, up to 10 people each



(Sign-up sheet: registration desk)

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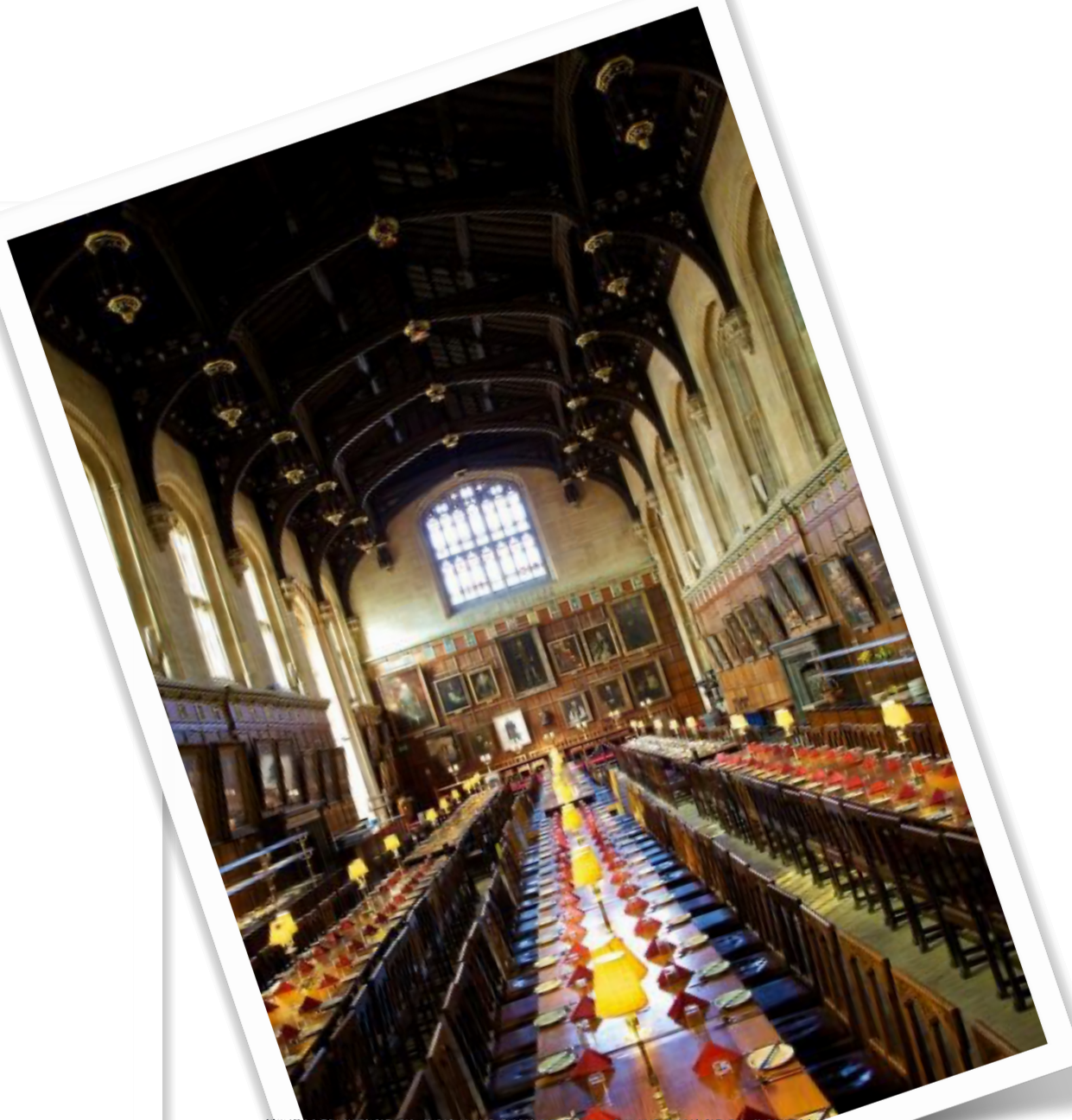
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Sheldonian

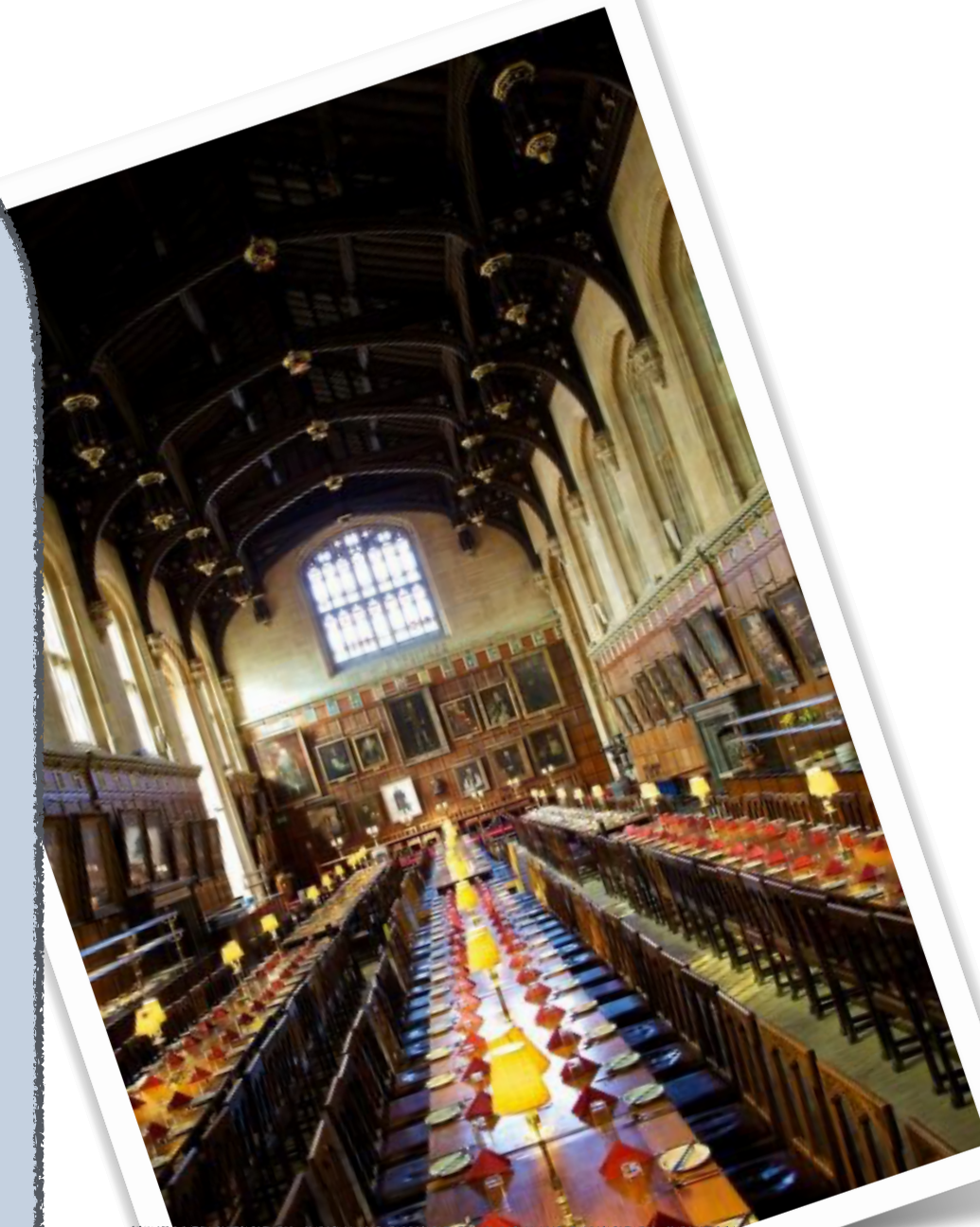


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Useful info

- Oxford museums are free (no need to pre-book)
- Visiting most Colleges is free / token fee
Exception: Christ Church (... the Harry Potter effect)
Hours are strictly restricted (students live there...)
- Nice aerial views of Oxford from the top of the Sheldonian
- London is ~1h away by train
- *Ask the locals for tips, freebies...*



Christ Church

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If you need help:

Main administrative contact: Kim Proudfoot

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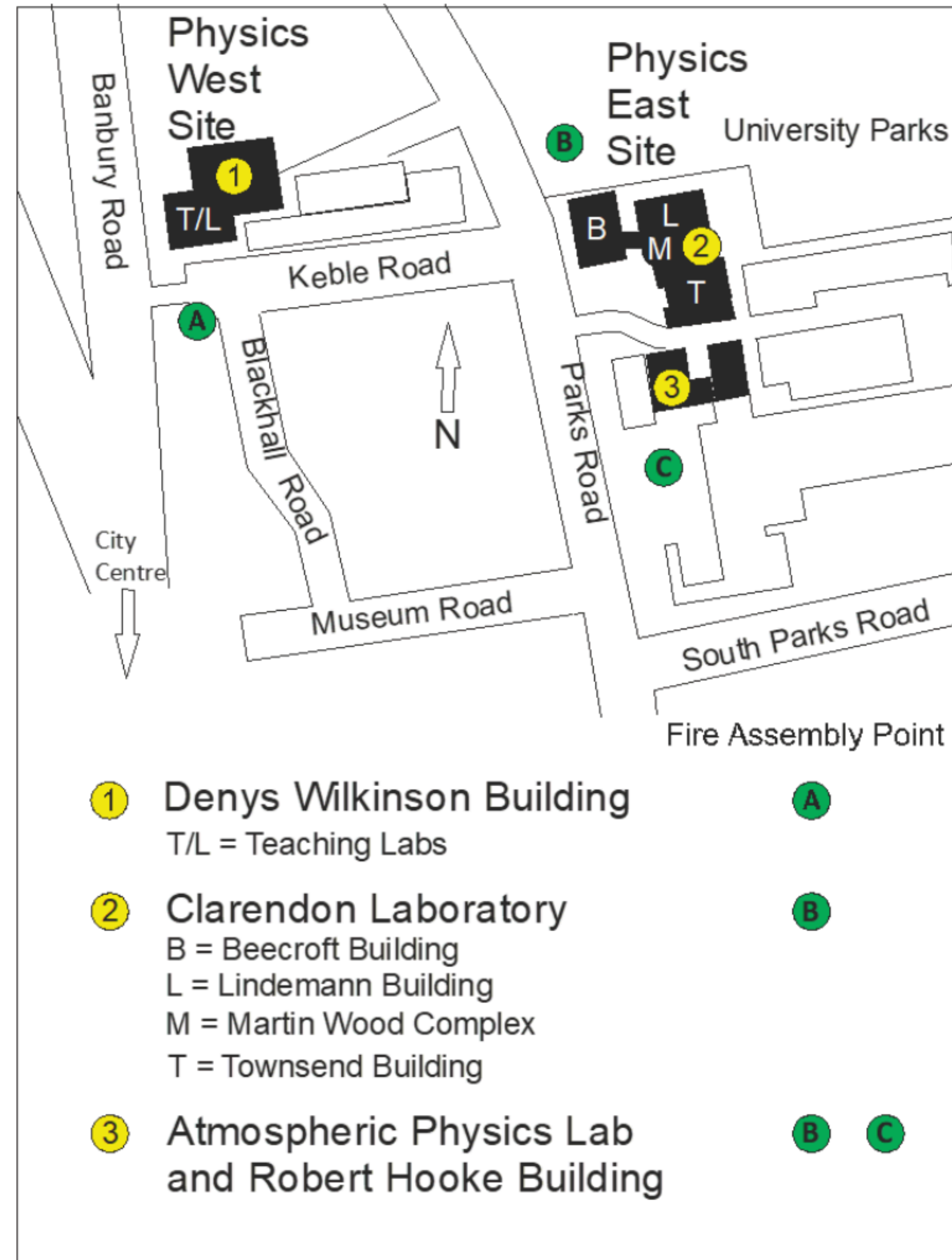


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Fire assembly points



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