

**BRIEF HISTORY OF LADY MARGARET HALL**

Lady Margaret Hall was founded in 1878, the first of the Colleges for women at Oxford, and named after Lady Margaret Beaufort, mother of Henry VII and patroness of learning. In 1978 it became co-educational. It provides an outstanding, distinctive education for approximately 500 students, and its Fellows undertake research of international importance in Science, the Humanities, Social science, and Medicine. The College buildings date from a variety of periods from the mid-Victorian to the early 1970s, plus the Pipe Partridge building which was completed in 2010. They stand in extensive and exceptionally beautiful gardens on the banks of the River Cherwell.

**OUR ROOMS**

*A standard bedroom in Eleanor Lodge*



*An en suite bedroom in Eleanor Lodge*



*An en suite bedroom in our Pipe Partridge building*



*An en suite bedroom in our Sutherland building*



*A typical en suite facility in LMH*



## **Staying at Lady Margaret Hall**

### **CAR PARKING**

Lady Margaret Hall has limited car parking. If you wish to arrange parking during your visit, please contact our Conference Office on 01865 274320 for information on availability. Lady Margaret Hall does not accept any responsibility for vehicles or their contents left in car parking areas within the College. If parking has been booked for you please go to the Porters' Lodge for directions to your booked space.

### **CHECK IN/CHECK OUT**

Check in time is 14:00 and check out time is 10:00. Please vacate your room by this time and leave your room key at the Porters' Lodge.

### **KEYS**

Please keep your room key with you during your stay. The College is open 24 hours a day and security is maintained via the Porters' Lodge. The main archway gates will be locked during the evening, your electronic fob will open them. Please return your key to the Porters' Lodge on the day of your departure.

### **SECURITY**

Please ensure all valuables are tidied away in your bedroom and the door is locked when you leave your room. If you see anything suspicious please report it to the Porters' Lodge.

### **FIRE**

Should you discover a fire please raise the alarm by breaking the alarm call point on your exit from the building. If you hear the fire alarm vacate the building (do not stop to collect your possessions), by the nearest fire exit. Fire escape routes and meeting points are displayed in every room.

### **FIRST AID**

A First Aid box is held at the Porters' Lodge. All LMH Porters are trained in First Aid.

### **TEA AND COFFEE MAKING FACILITIES**

Tea and coffee making facilities are provided for your use in your bedroom. Your room key provides you access to the nearest kitchen.

### **BEDROOM**

Clean bed linen and fresh towels will be provided as necessary. Your room will be serviced daily during your stay. Any queries regarding your accommodation should be addressed to our Conference Office on 01865 274320, or to the Porters' Lodge outside working hours.

## **GARDEN AND GROUNDS**

Lady Margaret Hall has 12 acres of beautiful grounds and gardens, the gardens stretch down to the River Cherwell. We would like you to enjoy the pleasant surroundings but ask that you do not use the Fellows' Garden (shown on the College map). Please do not walk over the front quad lawn and whilst walking in the gardens please keep to the paths where possible.

## **BREAKFAST TIMES**

Breakfast times are on display on the Porters Lodge. Breakfast is normally served in the Dining Hall, in Deneke Building.

## **CASH FACILITIES**

For your convenience, an ATM cash machine is available in the corridor adjacent to Talbot Bar and the Toynbee JCR. Also installed at the same location is a Change Machine.

## **NOISE**

Whilst we wish you to enjoy your stay at LMH, we request that you respect the needs of others within the College and please keep the level of noise to a minimum.

## **SMOKING**

For the comfort of all our delegates we operate a non smoking policy in all bedrooms, Dining Hall and all conference rooms.

## **TAXIS**

The Porters' Lodge will be pleased to book a taxi to your required destination. The city centre is only 10 minutes walk from LMH.



# LMH

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## How to get to Lady Margaret Hall

### By Car

From whichever direction you are coming, it is best to reach LMH from the northern end of the Oxford Ring Road: the city centre is very hard to navigate unless you already know exactly where you are going.

#### From London (M40 heading North):

1. Leave the M40 at **Junction 8** (signposted Oxford, Cheltenham): the road merges onto the A40.
2. After about 5 miles you come to Headington Roundabout with a McDonald's on the left. Take the 3rd exit onto the A40, signposted 'Ring Road Cheltenham A40 The Midlands (A34)'.
3. Continue for 3 miles until you reach the Cutteslowe Roundabout. Take the 1st exit onto the A4165, signposted 'Summertown, City Centre': this is the **Banbury Road**.
4. Continue south for 1.7 miles along the Banbury Road, through Summertown shopping area. Turn left at the Cotswold Lodge Hotel (immediately after Park Town) into **Norham Road**.
5. Take the 2nd right into **Fyfield Road**, the last turning off Norham Road. You can park here and the entrance into LMH is at the end on the left.

#### From the Midlands (M40 heading South):

1. Leave the M40 at **Junction 9** signposted Oxford, taking the A34 South.
2. After about 5 miles you will see the exit to Oxford A44, signposted 'Ring Road, Oxford, London, Cheltenham (A40)': this is the Pear Tree Roundabout, underneath the A34, from which you take the A44 2nd exit.
3. After just 0.4 miles on the A44, at the **Wolvercote Roundabout** take the 2nd exit signposted 'Ring Road London A40' and after another 0.4 miles you meet the Cutteslowe Roundabout. Take the 3rd exit onto the A4165 signposted 'Summertown, City Centre': this is the Banbury Road.
4. Follow steps 4. and 5. as above.

#### From the South (A43 heading North):

1. Ignore the (A4144) and A420 exits to Oxford; carry on until the exit to Oxford A44 (this is the **Pear Tree Roundabout**: take the 3rd exit off the roundabout underneath the A43).
2. After 0.4 miles on the A44, at the Wolvercote roundabout take the 2nd exit signposted 'Ring Road London A40' and after another 0.4 miles you meet the Cutteslowe Roundabout. Take the 3rd exit onto the A4165 signposted 'Summertown, City Centre': this is the **Banbury Road**.
3. Follow steps 4. and 5. as above.