



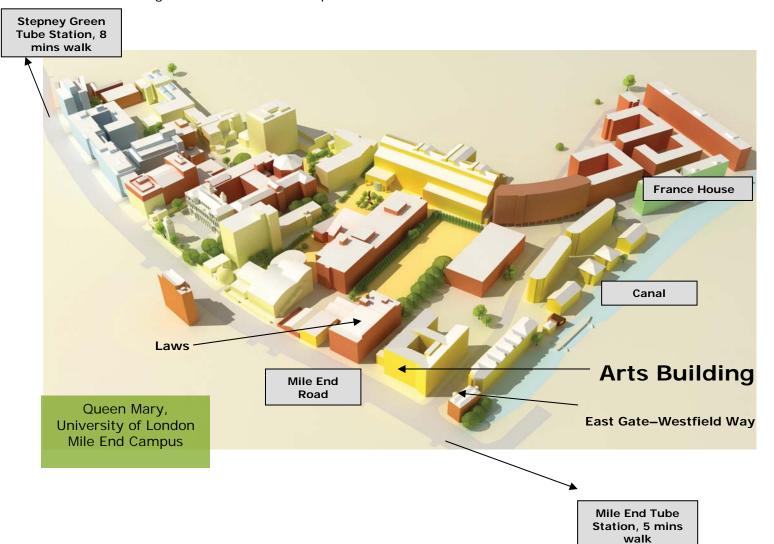
# 1408-2008: The Age of Gower

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July - Wednesday 16th July 2008

# PRACTICALITIES:

## **LOCATION**

The conference will take place on the Mile End campus of Queen Mary, in the East End of London. Registration will take place along with all panels and plenary papers in the Arts Building at the front of the campus.



#### REGISTRATION

Registration will take place between 9am – 5pm in the Foyer of the Arts Building. If you arrive after 5pm and have booked accommodation go to France House and collect your keys you can register for the Conference the following day.

## **ACCOMMODATION**

Keys are issued from the reception in France House (enter East Gate and walk along Westfield Way) which is staffed 24 hours a day. You are advised to collect keys after midday on day of arrival.

#### **TRAVEL**

Queen Mary is a couple of minutes' walk from Mile End station (in Zone 2, on the Central, District and Hammersmith & City lines). To get there, turn left out of the tube station and walk underneath the enormous yellow bridge and over the Regent's Canal. Cross the road at the traffic lights, near the bright blue gates, and the Arts building is immediately in front of you.

If arriving at one of the main London stations -

Paddington, St Pancras and Kings Cross, take the Hammersmith & City line eastbound Victoria, take the eastbound District line.

Euston, take the Northern line to Holborn, then change to Central line eastbound.

From Heathrow you can take the Piccadilly line to Holborn and then the Central line eastbound.

Queen Mary is also roughly an eight minute walk from Stepney Green Station (in Zone 2, on the District and Hammersmith & City lines). Turn left out of the tube station and walk straight along Mile End Road until you see the Arts Building on your left hand side.

The 25 and 339 buses also stop a few minutes from the Arts Building on Mile End Road.

# **RESTAURANTS AND BARS**

There are a number of inexpensive restaurants near to the Mile End Campus and in the surrounding area. In particular:

# Matsu (Japanese)

558 Mile End Road London, E3 4PL +44 (0)20 8983 3528 Mon - Fri: 12:00 - 23:00 Sat - Sun: 14:00 - 23:00

Turn left out of the Arts Building, back towards Mile End station and Matsu is a few minutes walk, directly under the large bridge.

#### Zeera (Indian)

554 Mile End Road London E3 4PL +44 (0)20 8983 3111 Mon - Sat: 12:00 - 24:00

Turn left out of the Arts Building, back towards Mile End station and Zeera is a few minutes walk, directly under the large bridge and next to Matsu.

There are also two excellent local gastropubs:

## The Morgan Arms

43 Morgan Street E3 5AA +44 (0)20 8980 6389

Mon - Thu & Sun: 12:00 - 23:00

Fri - Sat: 12:00 - 24:00

Lunch served noon-3pm Mon-Sat; noon-4pm Sun. Dinner served 7-10pm Mon-Sat Turn left ouf of the Arts Building, back towards Mile End Station. Once you have passed the Mile End Station, take a left down Rhondda Grove, keep walking and you will see the Morgan when you reach the end of the street.

#### L'Oasis

237 Mile End Road Stepney LONDON E1 4AA +44 (0)20 7702 7051 Tue - Fri: 12.00 - 23.00 Sat 11.00 - 23.00 Sun 12.00 - 22.30 Last food orders Tue - Thur

Last food orders Tue - Thurs & Sun 21.30; Fri & Sat 22.00

Turn right out of the Arts Building, towards Stepney Green Station. Keep walking straight along Mile End Road for 5-8 minutes and you will see L'Oasis on your right hand side.

#### **TAXIS**

A safe and reputable London-wide taxi firm is Addison Lee, 020 7387 8888. Alternately, some local firms are: Grove Cars, +44 (0)20 8981 2841 Roman Cars, +44 (0)20 8980 2152