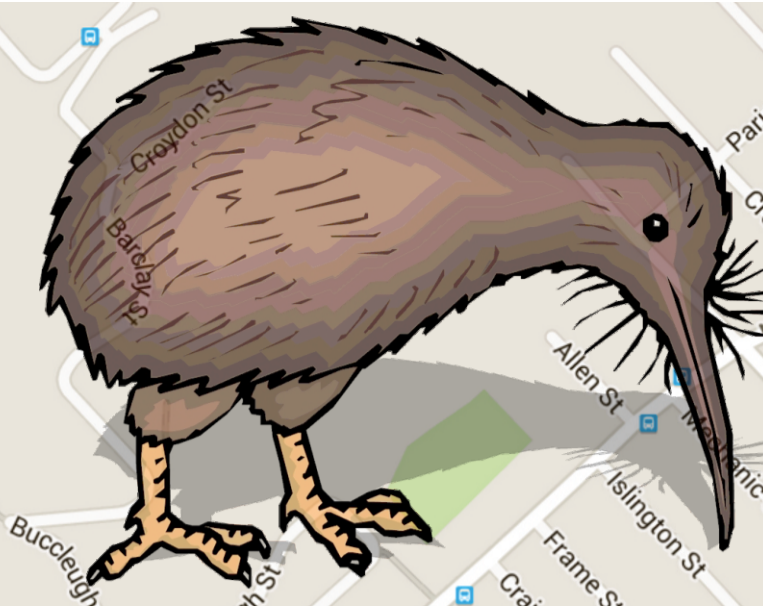


# City of Dunedin



BBQ

Steepest street in the World

## Information for Delegates



Botanic Garden

Signal Hill Lookout

Signal Hill Trail Head

Department of Physics



Executive Residence

Railway Station

Settlers Museum

## Matariki Workshop on Quantum Science

New Zealand  
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## PRACTICAL INFORMATION FOR DELEGATES

### RECEPTION

The welcome reception is held at the Beautiful Sciences Gallery at the Otago Museum, where some sparkling wine and tapas (not a meal) will be served. Delegates will be offered a mini-tour of the Museum's Perpetual Guardian Planetarium which opened in December 2015.

### SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

For details concerning the contents of the scientific program please refer to the Book of Abstracts.

#### Talks

The Hutton Theatre at the Otago Museum will form the venue for the bulk of the Scientific Program. The entrance is to the right of the Museum's main entrance. Speakers are encouraged to test that their presentations appear as expected on the theatre's AV equipment during coffee breaks. Both Windows and OS X laptops will be available to speakers bringing their presentation on a memory stick.

#### Poster Session

The Poster session will be held at the Physics Department on the 3rd floor of the Science III building (Cumberland Street 730, 200 m from the Museum — see map). The stairs and lifts are across from the entrance to the Science Library. Beers and soft drinks will be served and the evening will offer chances of lab tours (Andersen, Longdell, Schwefel, Kjærsgaard).

### MEALS

#### Breakfast

A light breakfast with mini croissants, bagels and muesli/youghurt, especially aimed at delegates coming from out of town will be served every morning (Sun-Wed) at the Hutton Theatre 8.30-9.00. We hope this will provide a vehicle for socializing and making new connections.

#### Lunch

Lunch is not provided, but there are ample inexpensive options (~\$10) at the restaurants along George Street (walk towards the Octagon) and the food courts of the Meridian Mall and the Golden Centre. Team up with a new acquaintance and explore.

#### BBQ Dinner

Delegates and their families are invited to a kiwi style BBQ held at the hall of the North East Valley school (see map). The hall is a 2.9 km easy walk from the Museum, particularly worthwhile if a detour is made via the Botanic Gardens. In close proximity to the hall, the steepest street in the world — Baldwin Street — can be found (and scaled). Transport from the Museum to the hall will be arranged based on demand (and weather). The BBQ will feature a whole roast pig on spit as well as lamb and a selection of sides. We will ensure that there is also something for vegetarians. Transport back to the Museum will be available.

#### Conference Dinner

The conference dinner (covered for delegates) will be held at del Sol (see map), which is an informal Mexican restaurant. A Margarita aperitif will be followed by a set menu, which can be adjusted to cater for dietary requirements such as vegetarian, gluten free and dairy free (they suggest advising them in advance of any severe food allergies).  $Q_S O$  will provide a tasting of signature New Zealand wines. Additional drinks can be purchased at the bar.

### ACTIVITIES

The program leaves room for some sightseeing on Monday afternoon. Many delegates have signed up for the Monarch+Penguin Place tour (pickup from Museum, 1.30pm-7pm, \$127) <http://www.wildlife.co.nz/> advertised on the workshop home page, which should provide a unique Otago Harbour and Peninsula experience. In addition, we have rented two vans and plan on going for a scenic tour (leaving 1.30 from Otago Museum) subject to interest (there will be a sign-up sheet) and weather permitting, with the option of a group run. Finally, you could consider visiting the botanic garden, the Settlers Museum or taking in the view over Dunedin from Signal Hill (see map). The summits of Mount Cargill and Flagstaff both provide spectacular views and can potentially be reached in an afternoon. The above options may also be considered by people arriving early and having Saturday at their disposal. We will also put our van tours on offer on the Saturday (meet 2.00 at Otago Museum).

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