

## Teaching Locations and Timetable

Lectures on Sunday afternoon will be held in the Holgate Conference suite. It's 5 minutes from Collingwood. Go through the car park, down a path and turn right.

Weekday lectures will be held in room 407 of the Calman Learning Centre on Durham's Lower Mountjoy science site (the Kingsley Barrett room). It is on the top floor. There are lifts from the Café area towards the back of the building. Lunch and coffee will be in the adjacent room. Morning lectures start at 9.00 sharp.

Afternoon practical sessions will be held in computer classrooms adjacent to the Chemistry department, CG66 (the "courtyard building").

The venues can be found via what3words:

- Collingwood reception (registration): blank.hills.wiser
- Holgate conference centre (Sunday lectures): turkey.slang.roof
- Calman Learning Centre (weekday lectures): report.caller.pokers
- Computer classroom (weekday afternoons): added.soft.calm

|       | Sunday 12/4/26                                       | Monday 13/4/26  | Tuesday 14/4/26  | Weds 15/4/26   | Thursday 16/4/26   |
|-------|--|---|--|--|--|
| 09:00 |  | 3. Intro to (powder) diffraction  | 9. Structure factors, peak intensities & Rietveld refinement | 16. Peak shapes & microstructure   | 22. Q&A/special topics                                     |
| 09:45 |  | 4. Peak positions tutorial  | 10. Data collection lecture                                  | 17. Restraints, constraints & rigid bodies                                       | 23. Multiple data sets, structure solution, other software |
| 11:00 |  | Coffee  | Coffee   | Coffee   | Coffee   |
| 11:30 |  | 5. Least squares lecture  | 11. Synchrotrons & neutrons                                  | 18. Intro to GSAS/Fullprof   | 24. Spot the errors  |
|       |  | 6. Least squares tutorial   | 12. Tutorials on morning topics                              | 19. Tutorials on morning topics.   |  |
| 13:00 |  | Lunch   | Lunch  | Lunch  | Lunch  |
| 13:45 | 14.00 onwards<br>Registration in Collingwood College | 7. Least squares tutorial – excel (lines, Rietveld, cells and indexing) | 13. Interactive Rietveld /Software intro                     | 20. Rietveld problems – empirical peak shapes, microstructure, fund'l parameters |  |
|       | 15:15 Welcome/Intro                                  |   | 14. Rietveld problems - simple                               |  |  |
| 15:45 | 1. Symmetry  | Tea   | Tea  | Tea  |  |
| 16:15 | 2. Symmetry tutorial                                 | 8. Peak fitting and indexing  | 15. Rietveld problems – neutron, synch, combined             | 21. Rietveld problems – restraints, rigid bodies, combined, structure solution   |  |
| 18:00 | Dinner – Collingwood                                 | Rest time   | Dinner - Chemistry   | Beautification time  |  |
| 18:30 |  | Dinner – Collingwood  | "Fun" Tutorial (you'll need outside clothes)                 |  |  |
| 19:00 | 19.00 Symmetry tutorial                              |   |  |  | 19:00 Castle bar opens                                     |
| 19:30 |  | School Quiz   |  | 19.30 School Banquet, Castle   |  |

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| Key: | Computer exercise | Lecture | Social | By-hand tutorial |
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