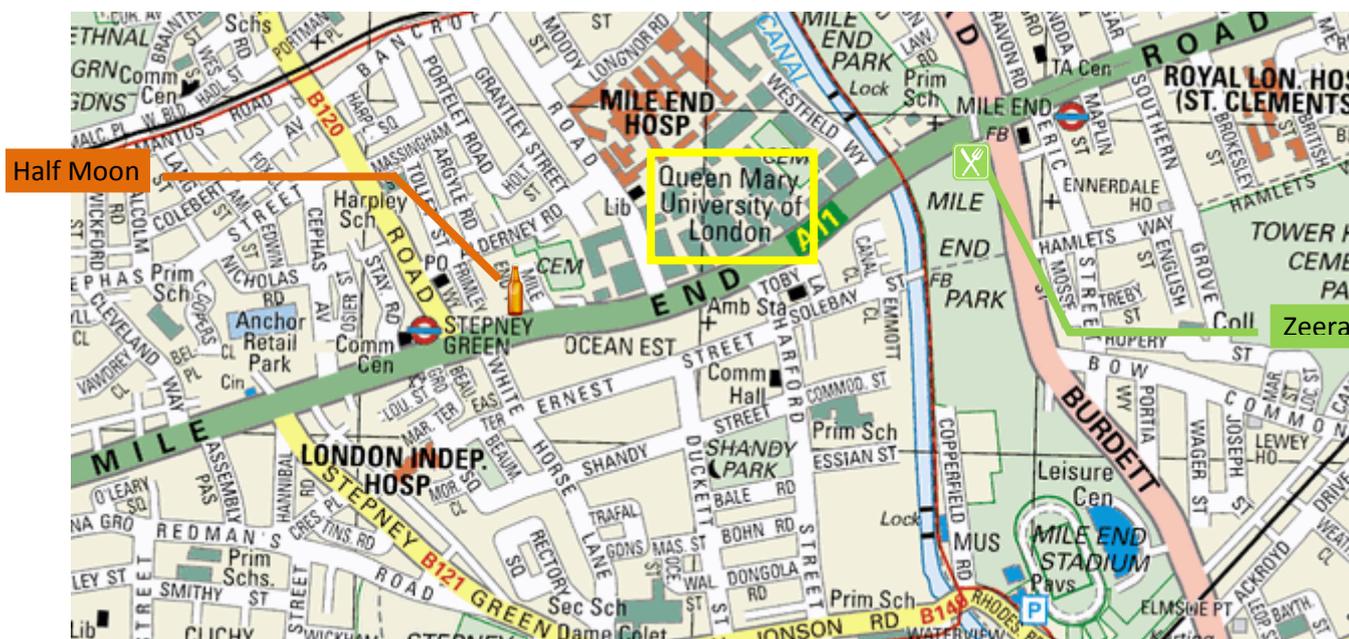


## Venue & Accommodation

The Young Researchers' Roundtable on Spoken Dialogue Systems 2009 is being hosted at [Queen Mary University of London](#), on the [Mile End Campus](#). The workshop itself will take place in the Francis Bancroft Building (building 13 on [the QMUL campus map](#)). The college-provided accommodation is in the next-door building, Feildon House (building 36).

If you have booked accommodation, please go to France House (building 38 on the campus map) when you arrive, to check in at the QMUL Residences office on the ground floor. The office is staffed 24 hours a day, but please try to arrive after 12 noon to ensure that your room is ready (when you leave, checkout is 10am).

The address is: Queen Mary University of London  
Mile End Road  
London E1 4NS, UK



## Pre-workshop Drinks

For participants arriving before the workshop, we will be meeting for drinks the night of Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September (at about 7.30pm), at the [Half Moon pub](#), which is just down the Mile End Road (towards Stepney Green tube station), about 5 minutes walk from the campus (including the on-site accommodation). Food is available in the pub.

## Workshop Dinner

The workshop dinner is included as part of the registration fee. It will be held at 7pm on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September at [Zeera Indian restaurant](#), which is just up the Mile End Road (towards Mile End tube station), about 5 minutes walk from the campus.

## Internet Access

Wireless internet access will be available at the conference venue itself; details on how to connect will be available closer to the time. However, QMUL supports [eduroam](#), so if you are a member of a participating institution, you won't have to do anything - it'll just connect without any extra setup. We highly recommend setting up to use this if you can (mainly because it's so useful and works in so many places)!

You should make sure that you have eduroam working at your institution before leaving, though - it can be a bit tricky to set up initially (there's no software to install, but you do need to tinker with security certificates). Just ask your local IT people: it'll be worth it - you'll be able to connect anywhere that supports eduroam.

## Getting Here

You can go to the QMUL website for [more information about the Mile End campus and how to get here](#), and for [a full campus map](#).

The nearest Underground stations are Mile End (Central, District and Hammersmith & City lines) and Stepney Green (District and Hammersmith & City), each about 5 minutes walk away. Central London is very close: Liverpool Street station is only two stops on the Central Line (5 minutes) from Mile End.

The number 25 (Oxford Circus to Ilford), and the number 205 buses (Paddington to Mile End) travel along Mile End Road at five to ten minute intervals throughout the day, and stop outside the College. [Click here](#) to see all bus routes to Mile End.

Trains from Paris and the continent arrive at St Pancras; from there it's 20-25 minutes on the Underground. Trains from elsewhere in the UK could arrive at any of the major London stations, but you can use the [Transport for London journey planner](#) to see how to get here from anywhere in or near London.