



European Hiphop Studies Network 7.0  
CONFERENCE 2024

## **DROPPIN' SCIENCE**

23-26 May  
Cork • Ireland

"We form the ultimate alliance  
No sucker can deal  
when i'm droppin' science."  
Craig G & Marley Marl (1988)



School of  
Film, Music  
and Theatre



### **Welcome to Cork**

Cork is the largest and southernmost county of Ireland. Bounded by the Atlantic Ocean, fertile farmland and scenic mountains, it is renowned for its rich culinary and maritime heritage.

The city is pleasantly compact and easy to negotiate. Rated by Conde Nast Traveller as one of the top three "Friendliest Cities In The World" in 2018, and Lonely Planet said "all that is good about Ireland can be found in Cork".

Further information about Cork and its attractions can be found [here](#)

### **Transport**

[Cork International Airport](#) is located just 20 minutes from UCC. There are many direct flights from various European locations.

[Shannon International Airport](#) and [Dublin Airport](#) facilitate direct flights from USA and Europe. An [aircoach](#) can transport guests from Dublin Airport to Cork City Centre.

The airport, rail and bus stations, and conference venue are all well-connected by public transport. It is possible to pay on the bus but exact change is required. The better alternative is to use the TFI app, which you can download [here](#). This

can also be used to purchase a ticket for the bus from Cork airport to the city centre - information [here](#) .

Bus Routes [208](#) and [220](#) drop from the city centre to Western Road, (Granary Theatre), the Crows Nest accommodation, The River Lee Hotel and The Kingsley Hotel. If travelling from Cork Kent Train Station, Bus [205](#) will take you to Western Road or walk to the Bus station (7min) and take the 208.

If you are travelling by car, please be aware that parking is not available at UCC.

It is also possible to use taxi services. Taxi ranks are found at the airport and other transport hubs. For booking taxis in the evening or at other times, most people use the FreeNow app. There are other apps but please be aware that Uber does not operate in Ireland.

## Accommodation

Rooms are being held at [Crows Nest](#), UCC's newly built accommodation. This is located a 10 min walk from The Granary Theatre. Rooms can be booked by emailing [beds@ucc.ie](mailto:beds@ucc.ie) with the name of the conference (CIPHER Hip Hop) to avail of the special rate, €120 single including a continental breakfast and €160 double occupancy.

The deadline to avail of these special rates is the 23rd April 2024. After this date, rooms are subject to availability and sold at the best available room rate at time of booking.

Alternatively, near by hotels include [The River Lee Hotel](#) and [The Kingsley Hotel](#).

## Great places to eat! Recommendations from the CIPHER team...

Cork is not called the food capital of Ireland for nothing! To ensure that you don't just eat hot chicken fillet rolls\* for the duration of your trip, we have put together a list of places that you should check out

Name	Address	Notes
<b>Where to get your coffee, matcha or a cup of tea</b>		
Cafe depeche	Lancaster Quay	
Green Frog	22A Western Road, Mardyke	
Bean and Leaf	UCC Crow's Nest, Victoria Cross	
Kino (best Brazilian coffee and snacks in Cork)	23A Washington Street	
<b>Where to get your pizza</b>		

Frankies	South Mall	
Bella Napoli	20 Academy St	
Sanos	Parnell Place	Great Neapolitan-style pizzas.
La Tana	Barrack Street	
<b>Where to get your japanese</b>		
Maki Sushi Rolls, the English Market	The English Market, Grand Parade	
Miyazaki	South Gate Street	
Ichigo ichie Bistro and Natural Wine	5 Fenns Quay, Sheares St	
Sensei Café	1 Dyke Parade	
<b>International</b>		
Izz Café	14 Georges Quay	Palestinian Café
Umi Falafal	Academy Street	Istanbul Kebab Cork
Loving Salads	Academy Street	
Sabor Brazil	5 Washington Street	Brazilian food
<b>Vegetarian</b>		
Quay Co-Op	24 Sullivans Quay	
<b>Where to have a drink</b>		
Sine	8 Coburg Street, Victorian Quarter	There is a good chance of walking in to a top quality traditional Irish music session in here
Corner House	7 Coburg Street, Victorian Quarter	More traditional music here
O'Sho Bar	13 Barrack Street	You can get some delicious japanese take away from

		Mayaki and eat it in the pub while enjoying a pint of Murphys
Tom Barrys	Barrack Street	The best beer garden in town
Bradleys	Barrack Street	
The Oval	25 South Main Street	
Mutton Lane	Mutton Lane, 3 St Patrick's Street	It is down a lane ;)
Arthur Maynes	7 Pembroke St	Delicious cheese and meat boards. It's recommended to book ahead.
The Franciscan Well	14 North Mall, Sunday's Well	Fantastic pizza and its also brews its own beer
The Linen Weaver - JD Wetherspoon	Paul Street, Centre	Cheap pints and meal deals, next to The Pav
Crane Lane	Phoenix Street, Centre, Cork	
<b>For a nice sit down meal in the evening</b>		
Market Lane	Oliver plunkett street	
Orzo	8 Pembroke St	Mediterranean
Goldie	128 Oliver Plunkett St	Book ahead to get a seat at the window
Elbow Lane	4 Oliver Plunkett St	Book ahead and enjoy the steak and cocktails

Issacs Restaurant	48 MacCurtain St, Victorian Quarter	A Cork Institution
Liberty Gril	32 Washington St	
Spit Jacks	34 Washington St	
Dwyers	27-28 Washington St	Gastro pub, live music and sports.

\*[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chicken\\_fillet\\_roll](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chicken_fillet_roll)