29th Scientific Meeting of the SoHT

June 4 - 6, 2025

London

The Royal Society, London

6-9 Carlton House Terrace
London SW1Y 5AG

SOCIETY OF HAIR TESTING

Hosted by
Cansford Laboratories
Pioneering drug and alcohol testing

Key Dates

Conference Dates	
Opening Registration	04 June 2025 -18h
Opening cocktail evening	04 June 2025 -18h
Gala Dinner	05 June 2025 - 19h
Meeting sessions	5–6 June 2025 09h to 17h
Farewell drinks at local pub	06 June 2025 - 18h

Travel grant application Dates	
Travel grant application	30 March to 30 April 2025

Registration Deadlines	
Registration opens	06 January 2025
Early bird rate ends	30 April 2025
Regular registration	1 to 17 May 2025
Late registration starts	18 May 2025

Abstract Deadlines	
Submission opening	06 January 2025
Submission deadline	28 February 2025
Final acceptance	30 March 2025

Invitation

We invite all scientists and those professionals directly or indirectly involved in hair testing for drugs and alcohol, to submit their research for presentation at our upcoming meeting in London.

This event will cover a broad range of subjects, including but not limited to:

- New analytical methods
- Interpretation criteria
- Alcohol markers
- Hair testing in children
- Environmental toxicology
- Doping and DFC
- Case report matrices
- Advances in quality control and assurance

We welcome contributions from researchers across all related disciplines to foster knowledge exchange and advance in the field of hair testing.

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Accommodation options

To assist with your stay, we have compiled a list of recommended hotels near the conference venue. Each option offers convenient access and a range of amenities to suit different preferences and budgets.

1. **Sofitel St James**

   - Location: 0.1 mile / 3 min walk
   - Price Range: Rooms from £566 per night
   - Booking Link: https://www.sofitelstjames.com/
   - Group discount code: email reservations.stjames@sofitel.com and say you are attending an event at the Royal Society, and you would like the 10% discount.

2. **Z-Hotel Trafalgar**

   - Location: 0.5 mile / 12 min walk
   - Price Range: Rooms from £200 per night
   - Booking Link: https://www.thezhotels.com/hotels/trafalgar/
   - Group discount code: Apply the promocode SOHT1224 and the prices will be automatically updated when using the code

3. **Z-Hotel Piccadilly**

   - Location: 0.3 mile / 7 min walk
   - Price Range: Rooms from £175 per night
   - Booking Link: https://www.thezhotels.com/hotels/piccadilly
   - Group discount code: Apply the promocode SOHT1224 and the prices will be automatically updated when using the code

For assistance or further inquiries, please contact the Organising Committee by the email soht2025@cansfordlabs.co.uk

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Please check the following link to see if this applies to you and ensure that you complete any necessary steps in advance:
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