Location of KMi

The Knowledge Media Institute occupies the top floor of the Berrill Building on the Open University's Walton Hall campus. Follow the signs to Visitor Reception - we're just a short distance away by stairs or lift.

To help you find your way to KMi, here are some maps.
Quick guides on travel to the Open University

**Travelling from LUTON airport**
*Approximate distance:* 40km  
*Approximate travel time by car:* 40 minutes

- Taxi – to pre-book visit [http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk](http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk)  
- Taxi fare – approx. £40 (one way)  
- Taxi travel time – approx. 40 minutes

- Coach – visit [http://www.nationalexpress.com](http://www.nationalexpress.com) (to Milton Keynes Coachway - Coachway Rd, Milton Keynes MK16 0AA – not in the city centre!)  
- Coach fare – approx. £16 return  
- Coach travel time – between 40 to 50 minutes

- Virgin bus (VT99) – visit [https://www.stagecoachbus.com](https://www.stagecoachbus.com) (tickets available to be purchased on the bus)  
- Bus fare – approx. £9 one way  
- Bus travel time – between 60 to 70 minutes

**Travelling from BIRMINGHAM INTERNATIONAL airport**
*Approximate distance:* 99km  
*Approximate travel time by car:* 80 minutes

- Taxi – to pre-book visit [http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk](http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk)  
- Taxi fare – approx. £70 (one way)  
- Taxi travel time – approx. 80 minutes

- Coach – visit [http://www.nationalexpress.com](http://www.nationalexpress.com) (to Milton Keynes Coachway - Coachway Rd, Milton Keynes MK16 0AA – not in the city centre!)  
- Coach fare – approx. £35 return  
- Coach travel time – approx. 1h 40 min

**Travelling from HEATHROW airport**
*Approximate distance:* 90km  
*Approximate travel time by car:* 70 minutes

- Taxi – to pre-book visit [http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk](http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk)  
- Taxi fare – approx. £75 (one way)  
- Taxi travel time – approx. 70 minutes

- Coach – visit [http://www.nationalexpress.com](http://www.nationalexpress.com) (to Milton Keynes Coachway - Coachway Rd, Milton Keynes MK16 0AA – not in the city centre!)  
- Coach fare – approx. £30 return  
- Coach travel time – approx. 1h 50 min

**Train**
(i) Take the Heathrow Express to Paddington  
- Journey time: 15 minutes  
- Fare: £22 one way, £36 return
Travelling from HEATHROW airport (cont...)

(ii) From Paddington take the Underground (Hammersmith and Circle line) to Euston Square. | Journey time: 10 minutes | Fare: £2.00

(iii) You will then need to take a short walk along Euston road till you reach London Euston Railway Station.

(iv) From London Euston you can catch either a Virgin or London Midland train to Milton Keynes Central. To pre-book train ticket visit http://www.nationalrail.co.uk | Journey time: 30 - 50 minutes | Fare: £15-£35

Travelling from STANSTED airport
Approximate distance: 120km
Approximate travel time by car: 80 minutes

Taxi – to pre-book visit http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk
Taxi fare – approx. £80 (one way)
Taxi travel time – approx. 80 minutes

Coach – visit http://www.nationalexpress.com (to Milton Keynes Coachway - Coachway Rd, Milton Keynes MK16 0AA – not in the city centre!)
Coach fare – approx. £45 return
Coach travel time – approx. 2h 15 min

Travelling from GATWICK airport
Approximate distance: 147km
Approximate travel time by car: 100 minutes

We do not recommend to travel to this airport, as it is the furthest, and there is a lack of convenient direct public transport connections.

Taxi – to pre-book visit http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk
Taxi fare – approx. £100 (one way)
Taxi travel time – approx. 100 minutes

Taxi

From Milton Keynes Central Train Station to the Open University: fare approx. £7.00, journey time about 10 mins.

Open University Rail Shuttle Bus

Departs from bus stop no. 34 at Milton Keynes Central Rail Station (fair costs £1)
Suggested local hotels in Milton Keynes

This hotel is highly recommended for a short stay period as the hotel is located directly opposite the Open University.

**Hilton Milton Keynes** (Next to OU campus)
Timbold Drive
Kents Hill Park
Milton Keynes
MK7 6HL

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 694433
Fax: +44 (0) 1908 695533
URL: [www.hilton.co.uk](http://www.hilton.co.uk)
Email: reservations.miltonkeynes@hilton.com

This hotel is recommended for a longer stay period, with a lower price range and still within short walking distance to the Open University. Because this is a conference centre it may be very busy.

**Kents Hill Park Training and Conferencing**
Kents Hill Park
Timbold Drive
Milton Keynes
MK7 6TT

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 358000
Fax: +44 (0) 1908 358621
URL: [http://kentshillpark.com](http://kentshillpark.com)
Email: reservations@kentshillpark.com

**Double Tree by Hilton**
Stadium Way West
Milton Keynes
MK1 1ST

Tel: +44 (0) 845 454 5045
URL: [http://doubletree3.hilton.com](http://doubletree3.hilton.com)

**Woughton House - MGallery by Sofitel**
Newport Road
Woughton on The Green
MK6 3LR

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 661919
URL: [www.accorhotels.com](http://www.accorhotels.com)
Bus travel time –
Bus fare – approx. £9 one way

Take the Heathrow Express to Paddington

Train

Coach fare – approx. £30 return
Coach – visit approx. 70 minutes

Taxi travel time – approx. £75 (one way)
Taxi fare – Taxi – visit

Approximate travel time by car:
Approximate distance:

Travelling from HEATHROW airport

approx. 1h 40 min

Coach travel time –
Coach fare – approx. £16 return
MK16 0AA – not in the city centre!
Coach – visit
http://www.nationalexpress.com
(to Milton Keynes Coachway - Coachway Rd, Milton Keynes

Taxi travel time –
Taxi fare – approx. £40 (one way)
Taxi – to pre-book visit http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk

Approximate travel time by car:
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Travelling from BIRMINGHAM INTERNATIONAL airport

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Travelling from LUTON airport

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Travelling from STANSTED airport

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Coach fare – approx. £20 return
MK16 0AA – not in the city centre!
http://www.nationalexpress.com
(to Milton Keynes Coachway - Coachway Rd, Milton Keynes

Taxi travel time –
Taxi fare – approx. £150 (one way)
Taxi – to pre-book visit http://www.newsite.carltoncarservice.co.uk

Approximate travel time by car:
Approximate distance:
ACCOMODATION

Guest house, B&B

Jean Gates (walking distance),
23 Marshworth
Tinkers Bridge
MK6 3DA

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 670832

Apple Tree House

16 Verley Close
Woughton on the Green
Milton Keynes
MK6 3ER

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 669681
Fax: (01908) 669681

South Lodge

Cross End
Wavendon
Milton Keynes
MK17 8AQ

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 582946
Email: stay@southlodgebandb.co.uk
URL: http://southlodgebandb.co.uk/
Open University needs to be quoted when making a booking to receive a discount

Fairview Cottage

1 Newport Road
Woughton on the Green
Milton Keynes
MK6 3BS

Tel: +44 (0) 1908 665520
Email: info@fairviewmk.co.uk

The White House

Watling Street
Little Brickhill
Milton Keynes
MK17 9LR

Tel: 01525 261353
Fax: 01525 261897