



National Cochlear Implant Users Association

President: Jackie Ashley

Dear Members, CI Users and Candidates,

After two years, when Covid has forced us to abandon our annual Summer Conference and AGM, we are pleased to invite you to join us again in person on 11th June, 10.30 am to 16.00 pm.

For the first time we will be meeting in an attractive canal side location at the National Council for Voluntary Organisations as Birkbeck, the location previously advertised, is no longer able to offer us catering facilities because of their campus wide Covid precautions.

The Canal Suite at the NCVO is in 10 minutes walking distance from King's Cross and St Pancras Stations and is served by bus routes 17, 91 and 253. (Killick St.)

Speakers will include: Helen Cullington, Chair of the BCIG and Professorial Fellow of Southampton University who will talk about the future of "Cochlear Implants and Artificial Intelligence"; Dr Mark Fletcher, Senior Research Fellow at Southampton University will bring us up-to-date on "Using vibration on the wrists to enhance cochlear implant listening"; Sue Archbold, coordinator of Cochlear Implant International Community of Action will talk on "Improving access to Ci for adults and lifelong services"; and Brian Archbold, Editor, "Insights into EURO-CIU Newsletter".

The manufacturers will be present to answer your questions with an exhibition of their latest processors and accessories.

Speech to text reporting (STTR) will be available and the lecture theatre is equipped with an inductive loop.

We request a donation of **£14** per person to pay for costs not covered by the sponsorship we receive from the manufacturers. CAF Bank Ltd has introduced a charge for paying cheques into our account, and some months ago they increased these charges further. It would be appreciated if those members who are able to pay by bank transfer or internet banking would use this method of payment.

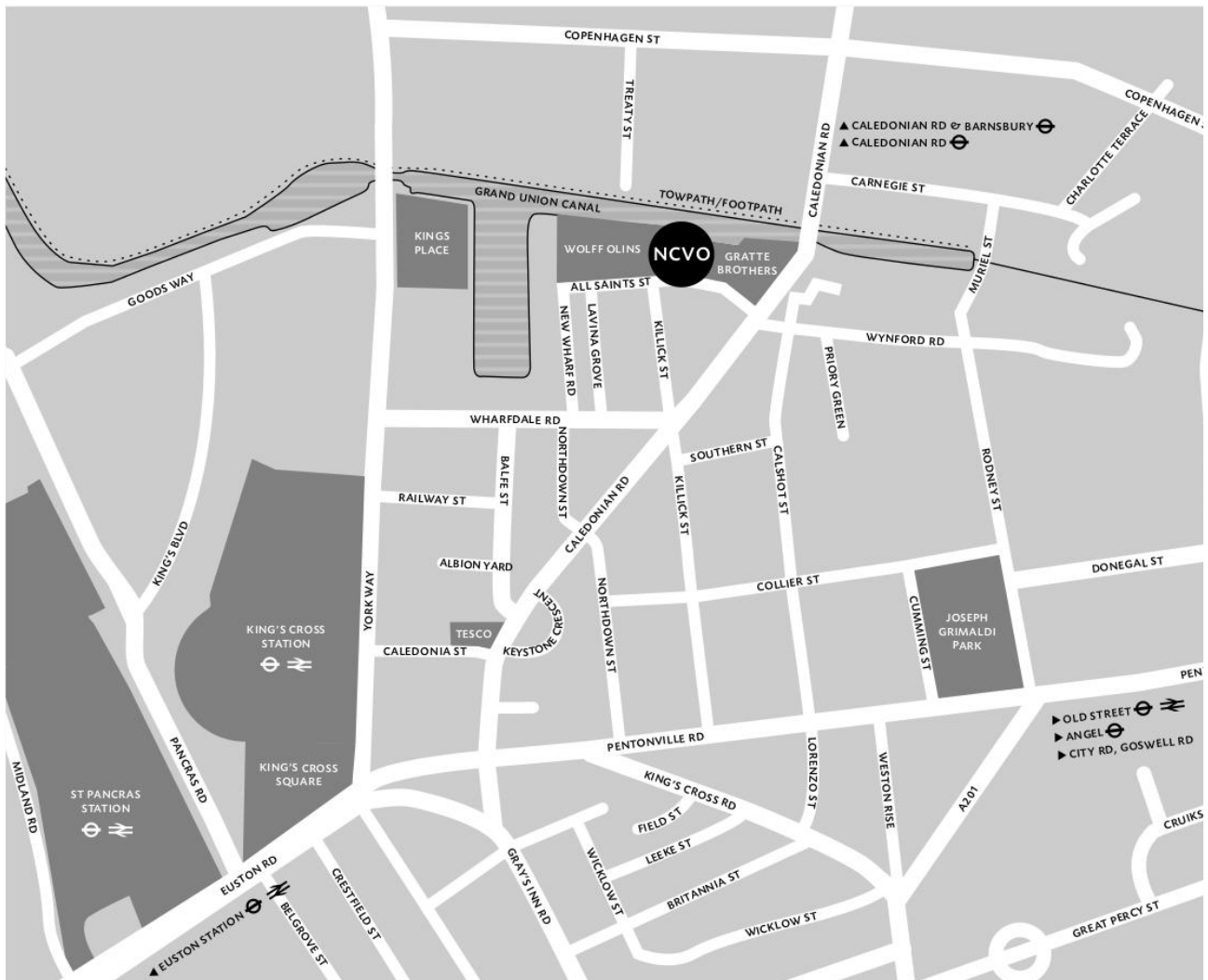
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Please ensure that the Reference field on the transfer contains your surname to identify you as the source of the payment! It is essential that we ensure a good attendance out of courtesy to our speakers and the manufacturers who are providing sponsorship. **We require bookings to be made by 8th June in order that the catering requirements can be confirmed.**

Best wishes,

Ray Glover – Honorary Secretary, NCIUA

NCIUA Summer Conference & AGM 11 June, 2022, 10.30 – 16.00



*National Council for Voluntary Organisations, Regent's Wharf, 8 All Saints Street, London N1 9RL
10 minutes walk King's Cross and St Pancras Stations.*

Nearest stop for buses 17, 91, 259: Killick Street/Caledonian Road, stop K going north, S going south.

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and return it via email to secretary@nciua.org.uk before 8 June, 2022.