

## ROUTES TO SWANSEA

### By Air

#### From Heathrow

**Train:** *Either* take the Rail-Air Link bus to Reading and the train from Reading to Swansea *or* take the train from Heathrow to London (Paddington) and the train from Paddington to Swansea.

**Bus:** Take bus 201 from the airport bus station to Swansea.

#### From Gatwick

**Train:** Take the train from Gatwick to Reading and the train from Reading to Swansea.

**Bus:** Take bus 201 from the airport bus station to Swansea

#### From Cardiff Wales Airport

Catch a bus or take a taxi to central Cardiff and then make rail or bus connections to Swansea. Alternatively, pre-book a minibus connection via Airport Travel (Tel: 01792 702999 for details; [www.airporttravelservices.com](http://www.airporttravelservices.com)).

### By Bus

Inter-city journeys by bus terminate at the Quadrant Bus Station. Catch local bus numbers 3A (Swansea to Mumbles – 20 and 50 minutes past the hour; Mumbles to Swansea – 26 and 56 minutes past the hour), or 82 (term-time only): these come onto the campus. Alternatively, take bus numbers 2, 2A or 3; these stop immediately outside the main entrance. There is also a taxi rank just outside the bus station. (Tel: 0870 608 2608 for bus details; [www.tobycoach.com](http://www.tobycoach.com)).

### By Ferry

Details of year-round ferry services to the Irish Republic via Pembroke Dock and Fishguard are available from Stenaline (08705 707070; [www.stenaline.co.uk](http://www.stenaline.co.uk)) and Irish ferries (08705 329543; [www.irishferries.ie](http://www.irishferries.ie)). The Swansea-Cork ferry service runs from March until November (Tel: 01792 456116; [www.swansea-cork.ie](http://www.swansea-cork.ie)).

### By Rail

High-speed Inter-City trains run at hourly intervals from London (Paddington) to High Street Station, Swansea. Travel time approx. 2 hours 50 minutes. The main Inter-City services offer connections to Swansea from Birmingham, Bristol Parkway, Cardiff and London. There are also regional services via Sprinter trains to west, mid and north Wales. There are taxi ranks outside High Street Station, St. Mary's Church (city centre) and the Quadrant Bus station. (Tel: 08457 48 49 50 for details of all rail services; [www.railtrack.com](http://www.railtrack.com)).

**By Road**

Travelling west on the M4 leave the motorway at junction 42 and follow signs for Swansea on the A483 (Fabian Way). On crossing the River Tawe the A483 becomes the A4067: continue west along this road, passing Sainsbury's Superstore, Swansea Leisure Centre and County Hall, all on the left-hand side of the road. Approx. 1.5 miles further on there is a footbridge over the road. The University's main entrance lies just before the footbridge and is controlled by traffic lights. As you approach the lights keep to the right-hand lane and prepare to turn right into the University. There is a visitors' Car Park immediately right of the main entrance.