

# **A Route-Finding Guide for Singularity Visitors**

## **Derry Office**

### **By Car - Dublin to Derry**

(150 miles, at least 3 to 4 hours)

Take the N2 North, from Dublin through Ardee, Carrickmacross, Monaghan Town, Aughnacloy (A5, North-West Passage) Omagh, Strabane and into Derry - see illustration 1.

Upon reaching Derry City - follow the signs for the city centre and Craigavon Bridge - see illustrations 2 and 3. Turn left onto the Craigavon Bridge, heading for the city centre. Craigavon Bridge has two levels and you need to turn right at the end of the bridge, staying along the waterfront into town.

If you cross on the upper deck of the bridge, at the far end of the bridge take the third exit on the roundabout. Follow the road to the next roundabout and take the second exit.

If you cross on the lower deck at the far end of the bridge, turn right at the lights. Follow the road to the roundabout and take the third exit.

In either case you should now be on the dual carriageway along the waterfront – see illustration 3. Proceed along that road (Foyle Rd), straight through the traffic lights to a large roundabout (outside the Guildhall). Take the second exit off the roundabout, proceed through the traffic lights turning right and make the next left turn into Patrick St. Singularity is located in the large three storey building on the right.

## **By Car - Belfast to Derry**

(75 miles, 1 hour 30 minutes)

### **From the City Airport and East of the City**

Cross the Lagan Bridge on the M3 and directly on to the M2. On exiting the City Airport you must turn left onto the dual carriageway. This unfortunately heads in the wrong direction. Get into the right hand lane and U-turn back at the next junction, heading back into Belfast and onto the M3, then the M2 North.

### **From the West of the City**

Follow the M1 into Belfast. Connect with the Westlink and follow the signs for M2. When on the M2, continue to the end of the M2, straight onto the A6, into Toome.

### **From the South of the City**

Follow the A1 to Sprucefield where it joins the M1. Follow the M1 to the Westlink and exit for M2. When on the M2, continue to the end of the M2, straight onto the A6, into Toome.

### **From Belfast International Airport**

Follow the signs for Antrim and then the M2 north. When on the M2, continue to the end of the M2, straight onto the A6, into Toome.

Proceed straight through Toome, over the Glenshane Pass and straight through Dungiven. The A6 enters Derry up a steep hill, passing the large area hospital (Altnagelvin). Proceed straight through the lights and roundabout outside the hospital, following signs for the city centre and Craigavon Bridge. After the roundabout proceed straight through the next set of lights to the next roundabout. Veer left of this roundabout and straight through the next set of lights down to a roundabout near the waterfront, at the railway station. Take the first exit off this roundabout, the double decked Craigavon Bridge will be straight ahead. Cross the bridge - see illustrations 2 and 3.

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If you cross on the lower deck at the far end of the bridge, turn right at the lights. Follow the road to the roundabout and take the third exit.

In either case you should now be on the dual carriageway along the waterfront. Proceed along that road (Foyle Rd), straight through the traffic lights to a large roundabout (outside the Guildhall). Take the second exit off the roundabout, proceed through the traffic lights turning right and make the next left turn into Patrick St. Singularity is located in the large three storey building on the right.

## **By Car from City of Derry Airport**

(7 miles, 20 minutes).

Turn right at the airport exit - see illustrations 2 and 3 - onto the A2 into Derry City. Keep on the A2 straight through two roundabouts. At the next (third) roundabout turn right, that is, take the third main exit for Foyle Bridge (about four miles from the airport).

Cross the Foyle Bridge and take the first exit at the roundabout (Culmore Rd). Pass straight through two sets of lights and a roundabout onto Strand Road. Follow this road to the next roundabout, taking the first exit onto the waterfront.

Take the next right (just before a large redbrick building - Tesco's) onto Lower Clarendon Street and proceed to the traffic lights. At the traffic lights turn left and proceed (just before the Strand Multiplex) then turn right into Patrick Street. Singularity is located in the large three story building on the right. For the nearest car parks see illustration 4.

## **By Car from West of Ireland(Cork, Galway, Limerick and Sligo)**

### **From Cork**

Take the N20 through Mallow, Charleville and Adare to Limerick. At Limerick, follow signs for Galway. Take the N18 from Limerick through Ennis and Gort to Galway.

### **From Galway**

Take the N17 through Tuam, Claremorris and Charlestown to Sligo.

### **From Sligo**

Follows the signs for Derry. Take the N15 through Bundoran, Ballyshannon, Donegal Town and Ballybofey. Turn left onto the N56 at Stranorlar. Follow the signs for Derry, bypassing Letterkenny.

Enter Derry City on the Buncrana Rd., taking the second exit (straight through) at the first roundabout (at the Ulster Technology Park). Pass straight through the next set of traffic lights before you meet another roundabout.

At this roundabout, take the third exit onto Strand Road. Follow this road to the next roundabout, taking the first exit onto the waterfront. Take the next right (just before a large redbrick building - Tesco's) onto Lower Clarendon Street and proceed to the traffic lights. At the traffic lights turn left and proceed (just before the Strand Multiplex) then turn right into Patrick Street. Singularity is located in the large three storey building on the right.

## **By Bus from Dublin to Derry**

Bus Éireann Central Station. Tel : 00353 (0)18366111.

There are regular Express services from Dublin to Derry. The journey time is 4.5 hours approximately.

There are regular countrywide Bus and Train routes from Cork, Galway and Limerick that provide feeder services to Bus Éireann in Dublin - see illustration 1.

There are regular shuttle Buses from Dublin Airport to the Bus Éireann Station in Dublin City Centre. The shuttles are available from outside the arrivals terminal building.

When you arrive at the Ulsterbus Station in Derry, Singularity is a five minute walk. Exit the bus station on to Foyle St. and turn right. Walk along Foyle St. to the junction with Shipquay St. Cross Shipquay St. onto Guildhall Square.

Proceed across Guildhall Square to Waterloo Place and follow the path to the right onto Strand Rd. Follow Strand Rd. past Great James St. Stop at the Strand Multiplex. Patrick Street is directly opposite on the left. Proceed up Patrick Street. Singularity is located in the large three storey building on the right.

## **By Bus from Belfast to Derry**

From Belfast Europa Station. Tel : 0044 (0)2890333000.

There are regular Express services from Dublin to Derry - see illustration 1. The journey time is 2.5 hours approximately.

There are regular shuttle Buses from Belfast City Airport and Belfast International Airport to Belfast City Centre. The shuttles are available from outside the arrivals buildings of both Airports.

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## **By Bus from the West of Ireland (Cork, Galway, Limerick and Sligo) to Derry**

From the Regional Bus Centres. Tel : 00353 (0)18366111.

There are regular Regional services from Cork, Galway, Limerick and Sligo to Derry - see illustration 1. Journey times vary.

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## **By Train from Dublin to Derry via Belfast**

From Connolly Station. Tel : 00(353) 1 8366222.

There are regular Express services from Dublin to Derry - see illustration 1. The journey time is two hours approximately.

There are regular countrywide Bus and Train routes from Cork, Galway and Limerick that provide feeder services to Connolly Station in Dublin.

There are regular shuttle Buses from Dublin Airport to Connolly Station in the City Centre. The shuttles are available outside the arrivals terminal building.

When you arrive at the NI Railway Station in Derry, Singularity is a 25-minute walk. We recommend that you take the free shuttle bus that operates between the Train Station and the Bus Station (which is located closer to Singularity). Alternatively, taxis are available.

When you arrive at the Bus Station, exit the bus station on to Foyle St. and turn right. Walk along Foyle St. to the junction with Shipquay St. Cross Shipquay St. onto Guildhall Square.

Proceed across Guildhall Square to Waterloo Place and follow the path to the right onto Strand Rd. Follow Strand Rd. past Great James St. Stop at the Strand Multiplex. Patrick Street is directly opposite on the left. Proceed up Patrick Street. Singularity is located in the large three storey building on the right.

## **By Train from Belfast to Derry**

From Belfast Central Station. Tel : 0044 (0)2890899411.

There are regular Express services from Dublin to Derry - see illustration 1. The journey time is three hours approximately.

There are regular shuttle Buses from Belfast City Airport and Belfast International Airport to Belfast City Centre. The shuttles are available outside the arrivals buildings of both Airports.

From the NI Railway Station in Derry, Singularity is a 25-minute walk. We recommend that you take the free shuttle bus that operates between the Train Station and the Bus Station (which is located closer to Singularity). Alternatively, taxis are available.

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## **By Train from the West of Ireland (Cork, Galway, Limerick and Sligo) to Dublin then Belfast and Derry**

From the Regional Train Stations. Tel: 00(353) 1 8366222

There are regular Regional services from Cork, Galway, Limerick and Sligo to Dublin. Journey times vary – see illustration 1.

From the NI Railway Station in Derry, Singularity is a 25-minute walk. We recommend that you take the free shuttle bus that operates between the Train Station and the Bus Station (which is located closer to Singularity). Alternatively, taxis are available.

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## **Belfast Office**

### **By car approaching Belfast on the M1 (e.g. from Dublin)**

At the end of the M1 there is a traffic light controlled round about (it's best to be in the middle lane). Go straight ahead - the second exit, a dual carriageway – the West Link. Follow the signs for the M3. You will approach a second traffic light controlled roundabout, again go straight.

At the end of the West Link keep right (signposted M3 - Bangor). Proceed across the junction to another set of lights after which you ascend a slip road onto the M3 bridge. Keep to the left and you will descend (signposted A2 and Belfast (E)). At the bottom of the slip road there are lights - it's best to be in the middle lanes. Turn right into the one-way system, and at the next lights bear right then keep to the leftmost lane which will turn left into the Short Strand – see illustration 4.

On the Short Strand you will pass through a set of lights then arrive at the junction with the Albert Bridge Road. Cross this junction into the Ravenhill Road. Ravenhill Business Park is on the left. It is a set of gray and blue two storey buildings. The sign for CEM is clearly visible; here turn left through a gateway into a Car Park. Singularity is in NiSoft House which is in the right corner of the car park as you come through the gates.

### **By car approaching Belfast on the M2 (e.g. from Derry or Belfast International Airport)**

Following a steep descent the M2 merges with the M5 and becomes a five lane highway. Move to the rightmost lanes (signposted Belfast (E) and M3). Keep left as you cross the M3 (which is a bridge) and take the first slip road on the other side (signposted A2 and Belfast (E)). At the bottom of the slip road there are lights - it's best to be in the middle lanes. Turn right into the one-way system, at the next lights bear right then keep to the leftmost lane which will turn left into the Short Strand – see illustration 4.

On the Short Strand you will pass through a set of lights then arrive at the junction with the Albert Bridge Road. Cross this junction into the Ravenhill Road. Ravenhill Business Park is on the left and is a set of gray and blue two storey buildings. The sign for CEM is clearly visible; here turn left through a gateway into a Car Park. Singularity is in NiSoft House, which is in the right corner of the car park as you come through the gates.

## **By car approaching Belfast on the Sydenham ByPass (e.g. from City Airport)**

After passing through the Tillysburn Lights proceed towards Belfast. You will pass Belfast City Airport on your right. After the next set of lights bear left (signposted Belfast (E)). Keep left and you will come to another set of lights at the bottom of a slip road. Turn left into the one-way system and bear right then keep to the leftmost lane which turns left into the Short Strand – see illustration 4.

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## Map Illustrations



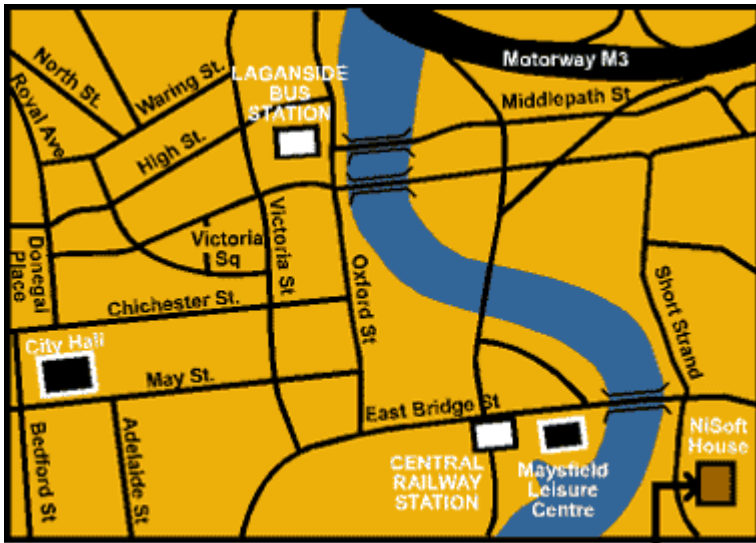
Illustration 1 – Derry, Northern Ireland



Illustration 2 – Singularity, Derry City



Illustration 3- Singularity, Derry City



Nisoft House, Ravenhill Business Park,  
Ravenhill Road, Belfast BT6 8AW

**Singularity**

Illustration 4 – Singularity, Belfast