

# 'Secret London' with the Royal Society of Medicine

Secret London 3: Now, Then and Beyond

2 – 5 August 2024



Bringing secrets into focus

**"I thought I knew London until now; wow!"**

Agent NoName and participant on Secret London, September 2021

London is full of secrets. Its long and multi-layered history takes many twists and turns and even today there are sides to London many people will never see.

On this tour we take you beneath the known to reveal some of London's secrets, its hidden nooks and crannies and the places where only insiders

can go; but of course, the information is strictly classified. We can only hint at our secret itinerary in this all-too-public space.

In the interests of security, we will mostly travel by private transport or use drivers of the ether. All will be revealed to the privileged few who secure a place on this tour; but until then, sssshhh.

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Level 3  
MODERATE





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## Itinerary 2 – 5 August 2024

**B** = Breakfast **L** = Lunch **D** = Dinner

### Day 1: London (Fri, 2 Aug) **D**

**Pm:** Journey through the utmost part of something and into the New Heart of London

**Eve:** Welcome dinner at the Royal Society of Medicine.

### Day 2: London (Sat, 3 Aug) **B L**

**Am:** Participate on a walking tour to see what stood for just fifteen years before being destroyed and rebuilt, on a much larger scale. Visit a cellar where followers enjoyed their feasts.

**Pm:** Get your plates of meat to a rub-a-dub-dub and explore the smooth plain, known for its jousts, merrymaking and debauchery. Be guided by a fraternity across the dead lying below; where Wellington, Gladstone and Cromwell governed and of which Defoe, Dickens and Thackeray wrote.

### Day 3: London (Sun, 4 Aug) **B L**

**Am:** Visit a substantial house whose style is named after a man with no name. Promenade along the promenade, past an old ship, animals and birds and a historic house owned by a crafty communist.

**Pm:** Anvil lunch. Take part in a proud and extra special tour of the Griffin.

### Day 4: London (Mon, 5 Aug) **B**

**Am:** By new tube to where a pig once flew, to climb up to admire the view. Explore *Badrices īeg*, known for its radical politics, American treason, and the marriage of a visionary. Clip it back.

## Tour Activity Level

#### Level 1 Relaxed



A gentle pace, involving minimal walking and exertion. Shorter travel distances and a full but relatively relaxed itinerary.

#### Level 2 Gentle



Easy walking at a mostly leisurely pace. Slightly more daily activity and travel.

#### THIS TOUR IS CLASSIFIED AS:

#### Level 3 Moderate



Regular walking at destinations, extended standing and / or increased travel distances. Good fitness is required.

#### Level 4 Active



Longer and fuller days. Significant levels of walking, covering longer distances, requiring very good fitness and mobility.

#### Level 5 Challenging



May involve extended drives, hikes and multiple visits across busy days. Excellent fitness is required.



## Tour Leader

Until recently **Janice Liverseidge** was a Director at The Royal Society of Medicine and is now a full-time guide and in her spare time a trustee of both the Royal Medical Benevolent Fund and the London Handel Festival. Earlier in her career she worked for the British Medical Association. She is also a registered Blue Badge tourist guide and regularly leads groups in London on medical history walks, tours of the Wellcome Collection and other healthcare locations plus provides music and art tours for the Foundling Museum and the London Handel Festival. Janice has travelled extensively, has led highly successful RSM tours around the world.

**“Janice was excellent throughout.”**

‘Scaramanga’, participant on Secret London, 2021







The Royal Society of Medicine

## Hotel

**Domus Medica** is located on the first floor of the RSM on the corner of Wimpole Street and Wigmore Street in Marylebone. This stylish and comfortable hotel has 47 en suite and climate-controlled bedrooms. They feature ample desk space, a flat-screen TV with Freeview, tea and coffee making facilities, bottled water, a room safe, complimentary Wi-Fi and Noble Isle toiletries. Guests can enjoy continental breakfast included in their stay and are welcome to dine and relax in the restaurant and lounge bar.

**“Visits were fantastic, so interesting, I would never have found those places by myself.”**

Agent Devon and participant on Secret London Sept 2021

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**The cost of the tour per person sharing is USD \$1,397. The cost of the tour with a room to yourself is USD \$1,670. RSM members receive a USD \$60 pp discount.**

**The cost of the tour without accommodation is USD \$896. RSM members receive a USD \$60 pp discount.**

### The cost includes:

- Three nights' accommodation in double or twin-bedded rooms at the Royal Society of Medicine's Domus Medica, 1 Wimpole Street, London on a sharing basis.
- Tour leader (Janice Liverseidge)
- Breakfast daily (if taking accommodation)
- Transport by private and other means
- One secret dinner and two mysterious lunches
- Unknown drinks
- A full programme of hidden visits, walks and talks
- Specially arranged secret agents
- Admission fees throughout
- VAT

### The cost excludes:

- All personal extras such as laundry and drinks and meals not mentioned
- All optional excursions, tours and visits
- A fully disclosed itinerary