To celebrate its twenty-first birthday BNCOD is coming to Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland, where it will be hosted on the Heriot-Watt University campus on the outskirts of the city (close to the International Airport). The conference will be the focus of a week of co-located activities with sister conferences, workshops, tutorials, a doctoral consortium, and BNCOD21 itself all running at the same venue, offering delegates a feast of opportunities.

In addition to the intellectual activities, BNCOD will offer delegates some fine Scottish hospitality. Entertainment will range from the opportunity to drink, dance and relax with colleagues at a genuine Scottish ceilidh, to fine dining at the conference banquet at Edinburgh Castle. Places are limited so book early to avoid disappointment, the Early Bird registration deadline is 1st June 2004.