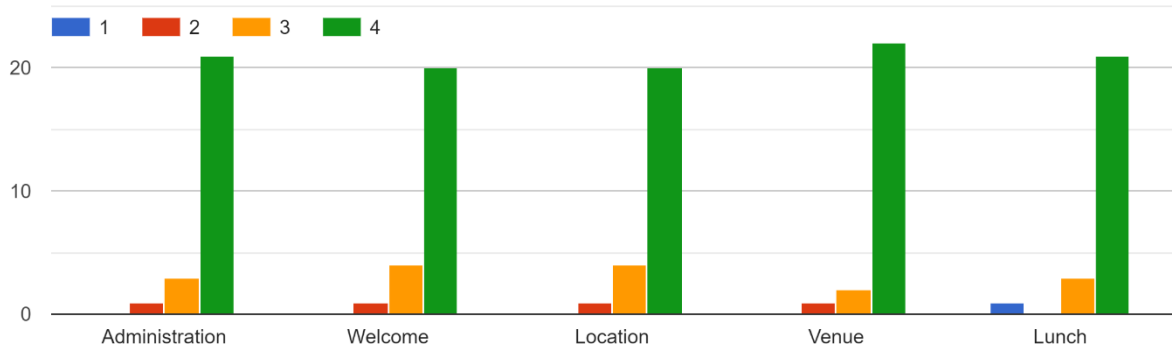


H2H 2024 Conference Feedback

How would you rate these aspects of the day From 1 (poor) to 4 (excellent)



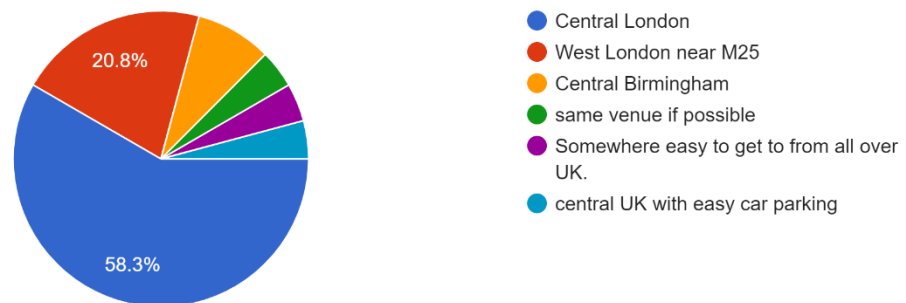
What is the best day for this sort of event?

23 responses



What would be your preferred location (assuming outside London will be less expensive)?

24 responses



Do you think this event will make a difference to what you do and if so, how?

23 responses

More efforts to connect and network

Some helpful new contacts to follow up and some different perspectives.

Increase my ambition!

I made good contacts with people who share my values about business for the Kingdom helps me find projects to work on by matchmaking talent & resources

Yes its very encouraging as we in this world, but not of this world in business and we need more brothers and sister stepping up

Yes, it was an inspiring day, leading to much thought for new ideas! Spiritually refreshing and uplifting and encouraging to persevere in a what can be a struggle! Also great to network and connect with new people ... and hear what others are doing.

Exposed me to new kingdom driven opportunities and fellow brother and sisters in Christ whom I can partner with

Yes, in that it will move me a step or two closer to putting into practice an idea that has been gestating in my mind for some months.

Yes.. open my eyes to what the Lord does with a willing and courageous heart.

I feel it will open up opportunities for much more collaborative working and sharing of what works and what doesn't work - no need to reinvent wheel. I love the idea of celebrating failures.

Yes, I feel encouraged, and got some ideas I am progressing

Yes, because I am about to go part-time in my job so have time to earn the rest of my living doing something else. Hopefully it will be in this space, working with one of the organisations represented at the conference. If I was not at this stage, it would be harder for me to get involved due to time and money constraints.

Broaden my network

It was great for building the ecosystem of organisations and making more connections.

Certainly provided more contacts

Gave a platform for 5000Plus and its partners to network and be inspired.

Yes, I believe so.

It has got me to think more about our public image as a brand

connecting me with likeminded people with the same goal to fight against poverty by using businesses. I am happy to know that I am not alone.

Definitely!

Yes - firstly spurred me on and opened the door to opportunities I was unaware of and propose to follow up on.

I went along to learn and to network, both of which were fulfilled abundantly, thank you. Quite how I follow up remains unclear except for four new friends with whom I intend to stay in touch.

Any other comments or suggestions?

17 responses

It was a shame not to be able to pray for the different ministries and businesses that we heard about, as well as praying for one another. In the Q&A, a couple of people touched on the idea of our weakness and vulnerability rather than our stories of success. I think that was the Lord speaking to us, and needs to be reflected on for any future event. Good to have sisters' voices, so more female speakers please!

A well put together agenda, and with a good profile of contributors. Also very well managed and 'godly' as well as business oriented. Thank you Jerry. Well worth the effort. More networking opportunities - perhaps force people to sit at different tables after coffee and after lunch? Or have one session with about four 'special interest' breakout groups? I think it could build by organising it again next year.

Well done - excellent day.

Good range of topics. Thank you!

How about an annual "Dragons Den" pitch competition for UK/EU faith driven entrepreneurs with a prize of ?? £10,000 (or £50,000 if the church "jewels" can easily cover - and precede it with regional heats (N, S, E, W) in the preceding 4 months.

Time is always too short for these things! But splitting into workshops for smaller groups could offer more focussed niche topics for various interests. Recording the sessions could then make catch-up possible for sessions you couldn't attend in person. It was a brilliant day ... thank you to everyone who organized and contributed.

Very good conference - 5/5. Let's meet again next year

Would love to see more prayer and intercessors involved and do feel every board should have at least one. Maybe one of the missing links for the honey group? Thank you for organising such a worthwhile and enjoyable event.

Re location, Birmingham would be the preferred place but I can see that many delegates have some base in London at least, and there is a buzz there, so my preference might not be the best overall. Regarding networking, no conference I have ever been to does this well. The problem is that, without any steer/guidance/process from the organisers, people just meet randomly. You are then engaged in a conversation for a few minutes. Trying to catch someone you want to speak to requires (a) knowing what they look like (except that the text size on your badges was helpful) and (b) them becoming free in time before the next session starts. I'm not very good at barging into conversations. None of the people I met randomly were relevant to my interests etc, so randomness often doesn't work. I would suggest two methods to improve this. (1) Allocate one or two 'speed networking' sessions in the programme. 20 minutes in which you meet in pairs for mutual introductions of 1 minute each, so you'd meet 10 people. You could then follow up in the breaks as appropriate. (2) If delegates can be divided into categories, or self select one or more categories on registration, these could be marked by coloured dots on badges. People would then know whether someone is relevant to talk to .

I loved the diversity - age/gender/nationality/areas of expertise - very impressive. Packed a lot in to a few hours - liked the different types of learning: talks/interviews/hackathon/panel/conversations etc. Great food! I think the point about sharing failures/ challenges as well as suggestions is valuable.

Hopefully it will result in practical actions and long term benefit

Add organisational ID on name badges

Jerry and the team deserve huge thanks for the way they put together everything needed to make the conference successful. Thank you.

The training should be more days to have more case studies with practical ideas.

Thank you so much for organising such a wonderful event.

this is from phyllida@vanstones.u-net.com - Google insisted on changing it!! I think in the feedback form it would be useful to be able to give two options for day of the week and location.

Jerry, this was an amazing day, thank you. Thanks also for introducing me, otherwise I would felt like an onlooker with grand hopes and no results compared to all the achievements of others. Instead you made me feel very welcome despite my place on the fringe of business!