



AMMC Workshop Planning

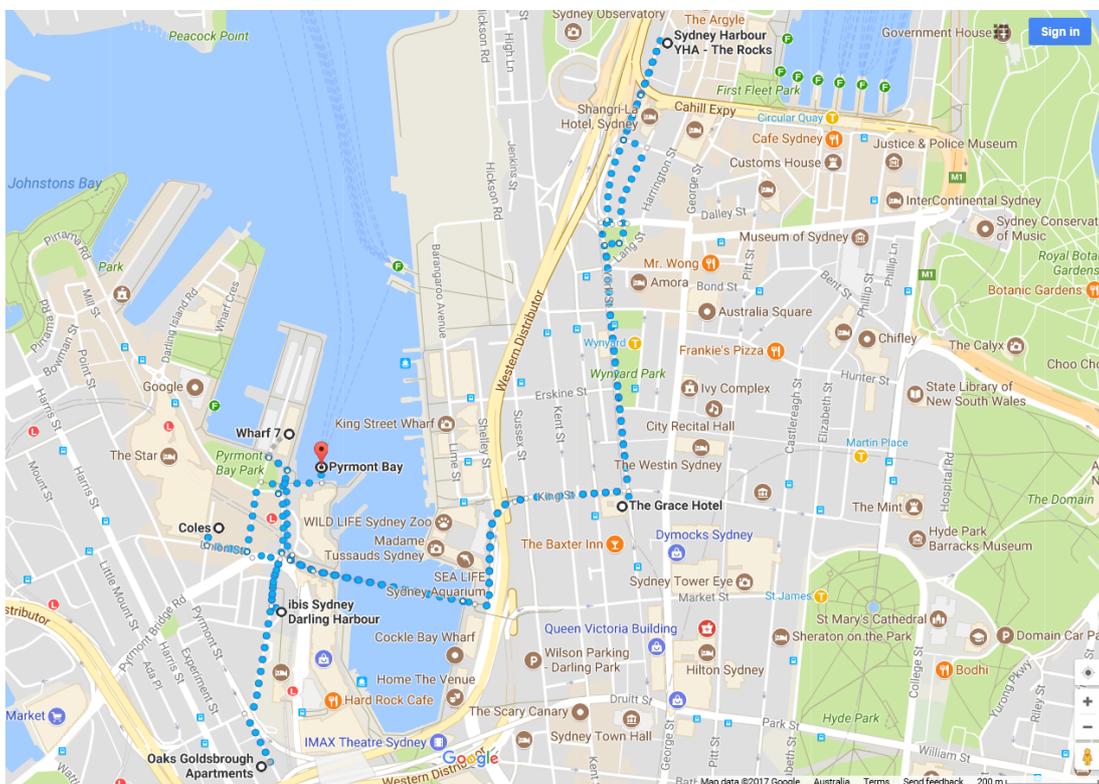
ANMM / SHF James Craig Location:

From the airport, Pyrmont can be reached by taxi (approximately 30 minutes) or via train and then the [light rail](#). Have a look at [Transport NSW trip planner](#) to get an idea of options.

The museum is located at 2 Murray Street, Pyrmont. The ANMM and SHF office staff are located in a building next to the museum called Wharf 7 (58 Pirrama Road, Pyrmont NSW 2009). The James Craig is berthed alongside Wharf 7. You will be spending much of your time at Wharf 7.

This [Google Map](#) shows a few key points of interest that are described in the information below.

- Wharf 7
- Coles Pyrmont
- L = Light Rail
- F = Ferry Terminal
- Pyrmont Bay Ferry Terminal
- Pyrmont Bay Light Rail station
- Oaks Goldsbrough
- Ibis Darling Harbour
- The Grace Hotel
- YHA - The Rocks





Accommodation:

Some options to consider and get you started are listed below:

Serviced Apartments:

As your stay is for a week, you may want to consider booking a serviced apartment which has cooking facilities. There is a Coles very close to the Museum.

- [Oaks Goldsborough Darling Harbour](#).

This is very close walking distance to Wharf 7 (approximately 700 meters) and guests have stayed there in previous years as it is so convenient, but the prices have increased somewhat.

YHA - The Rocks:

Although you may not have considered this as an option, the [YHA \(Youth Hostel Australia\) in the Rocks](#) has a very high review rating online, due largely to its amazing location, right in the heart of Circular Quay and [built around an archaeological dig](#) (they give tours of this too). Its reputation according to Trip Advisor includes that it is; no-frills, modern and clean, remarkably quiet, staff are friendly and helpful, recommended to anyone not requiring luxury. If you were to take this option, it would involve a very pleasant ferry ride or approximately a 20 minute walk. For a 3 nights stay from Wed 21 - Friday 24th Feb this would be approximately;

- \$203 per night for a 'premium' double room with a bathroom which have a view (depending on if there is a cruiser berthed in Sydney Harbour at the time). You can admire the view equally well from their rooftop terrace however!
- Breakfast vouchers for the café cost \$8.00.

Check out the reviews of this YHA location on [Trip Advisor](#) (including from seniors and families).

Hotels:

- [Grace Hotel](#)

This hotel is in easy walking distance from the ANMM. It comes highly recommended for quality and location. It is across Pyrmont Bridge in the CBD at 77 York Street, Sydney. If you are interested in this hotel, the ANMM may be able to secure you a cheaper rate than you see online (currently showing at approximately \$1,965 for 5 nights), please just let me know.

- [Ibis Darling Harbour / Novatel Darling Harbour](#)

This hotel is about as close as you can get to the ANMM, only 300 meters away on the same street.



[Airbnb:](#)

You may be interested to explore accommodation options via this site or any other site that you would like. Have a look at maps of Sydney online to get an idea of the area. Due to the ferry and light rail lines there are a lot of suburbs around the harbour, i.e. Balmain, Glebe and Pyrmont that might be suitable options. Some examples of options located are as follows: (Based on 21-24/02/2018 - 3 nights)

- [North Sydney Historic Whalers Cottage](#)
2 bedrooms \$1,295 (\$431 p/n) or if sharing \$216 p/n
- [Spacious Apartment with Courtyard - North Sydney](#)
2 bedrooms \$941 (\$313 p/n) or if sharing \$156 p/n
- [3 Bedroom Apartment - Location - Cremorne](#)
3 bedrooms (one with single bed) \$772 or \$257 p/n or if sharing as double \$128 p/n
- [Spacious two bedroom apartment near Darling Harbor](#)
2 bedroom (one room with single beds) \$1,422 (i.e \$474 p.n or \$237 per person if sharing)
- [Spacious Apart In City Hyde Park](#)
1 bedroom \$760 (or \$253 p//n)
- [Relaxing New Town](#)
2 bedrooms \$627 (or \$209 p/n)

Getting around Pyrmont Bay:

Travel in Sydney: [Opal Card](#). 

To catch Trams (Light Rail), Trains, Buses and Ferries in Sydney you should consider purchasing an Opal Card when you are here. Place a balance on the card when you purchase it and 'tap on' when entering and 'tap off' when exiting to have the fare deducted. Opal cards can be purchased from [many retailers](#) including newsagents, post offices, convenience stores and supermarkets, just look out for the Opal card symbol.

Ferry: the closest Ferry stop to the Museum is called *Pyrmont Bay*. You can take a 25 minute ferry ride from this stop to *Circular Quay* for example for \$5.88. You can look at [trip planners for the ferry at Transport NSW](#).