# VENUE



Discover one of the oldest cities in the Netherlands called de Prinsenstad, the Princes City, since William of Orange held court in Delft in the 16th century. Stroll through the well-preserved, lively historical centre, with characteristic canals, ancient merchant houses, old churches and the splendid city hall which make Delft a perfect location for a high-quality EOS Topical Meeting in an enjoyable atmosphere. See also: <u>www.delft.nl</u>

#### The 8th EOS Topical Meeting on Diffractive Optics (DO2012)

takes place at the Conference Centre of the Delft University of Technology, located at the heart of the University campus and in walking distance from the Delft city centre and public transport facilities.



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## **GETTING THERE**

### **BY PLANE**

The Amsterdam Airport Schiphol that can be reached from various international airports in the world is about 45 min away by train. For Delft, you have to change at Leiden Centraal or Den Hague Hollands Spoor (Den Haag HS). If you prearrange a taxi to pick you up at Schiphol, expect to pay about €60 to Delft.

The *Rotterdam The Hague Ai*rport is only 12 kilometres away and can be reached by RET city bus 33 that runs frequently to Rotterdam Centraal Station in about 20 min. From there you can go to Delft by train in 20 minutes. When taking an airport taxi from *Rotterdam The Hague Airport*, expect to pay about €35 for the trip to Delft.

#### **BY TRAIN**

Delft has two railway stations: Delft (near the city center and best for the university) and Delft Zuid (Delft's southern residential area). Trains run from:

Den Haag Central Station or Hollands Spoor (10 min, €2,20)

Amsterdam (1 h, €11,50) Rotterdam (15 min, €2,90) Schiphol Airport (45 min, €8,70) (Please note that the train from Schiphol does not stop at

Delft and you need to change at Leiden or Den Haag HS)

For the journey planner please refer to <u>www.ns.nl/en</u>

#### **BY TRAM**

From Den Haag HS also tramline 1 runs to Delft. Travelling time is approximately 20 minutes and a one-way ticket costs  $\in$  1,74.

On the trams you must use the OV-Chipcard or a day-pass which can be bought at the ticket office and vending machines at the station.

More information at <u>www.htm.net</u> and at the journey palnner at <u>http://journeyplanner.9292.nl/Default.aspx</u>

## BY CAR

Coming from Amsterdam or Schiphol, Delft is at the end of motorway A4. Coming from Rotterdam, Delft has three exits

# **GETTING THERE (continued)**

off the A13 motorway. The city centre is best reached via the IKEA exit or exit Noord.

# GETTING AROUND IN DELFT

#### **BY CAR**

During the next years construction works are in progress as a new train tunnel is being built through Delft. Therefore the flow of traffic and parking is severely affected and it is recommended not to use the car while visiting Delft.

Anyone who still goes by car please note that in the TU Delft area parking is possible for free but not in the old city. It has been made largely car-free but there are three large car parks at the edge of the center (Zuidpoort garage, Koepoort garage and Phoenix garage). These parking garages are opened 24 hours a day and parking fee is € 2,00 per hour.

Download more information about parking in Delft and a map with all possible spots <u>here.</u>

Note also that parking policy differs per aera and is not allways clear. Beware of signs "alleen vergunninghouders" (permit holders only) in some streets especially in residential areas. Sometimes only a floor tile with a "P" is visible. This means permit parking only. Unauthorized parking will cost you about €70.

# BY BUS

From the station Station Centrum, which is at the back of

Delft railway station, several bus lines run to the station *Aula TU*.

51 (direction: Zoetermeer, Centrum West) Runs only Monday-Friday. For the timetable please click <u>here</u>.

69 (direction: Delft, Heertjeslaan) Runs only Monday-Friday. For the timetable please click <u>here</u>.

121 (direction: Zoetermeer, Centrum West) For the timetables please click <u>here</u>.

174 (direction: Zoetermeer, Centrum West) For the timetables please click <u>here</u>.

See the network map of Delft here.

#### BY FOOT

The city centre of Delft is small enough to walk across in ten minutes. Most streets in the city centre are pedestrianized and only taxi's are allowed to use these streets, too.

From city center to the aula of TU Delft are approximatly 10-15 minutes walk.

# FURTHER INFORMATION

More information about Delft at <u>www.delft.nl/delften</u>



# ACCOMODATION

Rooms at special rates have been blocked at four selected hotels. Find the booking details below.

## HAMPSHIRE Hotel Delft Centre \*\*\*\*

Phone: +31 (0)15 212 21 25 Fax: +31 (0)15 212 21 25

Koepoortplaats 3 2612RR Delft, NL

reservations@hoteldelftcentre.nl www.hoteldelftcentre.nl

Remarks:	Free Internet available in the rooms, free
	Wi-Fi in common areas. Discount tickets for the
	parking garage Koepoort available, € 10,- per 24 hours.
Rate(s):	Room for single occupancy incl. breakfast

Keyword: Please use this <u>registration form</u> when making your reservation and mention the keyword "EOS Conference".

99,50 € plus visitors' tax.

This offer is valid until 31 January 2012. Afterwards a reservation at this rate is possible only upon availability.

### Hotel Johannes Vermeer \*\*\*

Phone: +31 (0)15 212 64 66 Fax: +31 (0)15 213 48 35

Molslaan 20 2611 RM Delft, NL

info@hotelvermeer.nl www.hotelvermeer.nl

Remarks:	Free Wi-Fi in the rooms included. Discount tickets for the parking garage Zuidpoort available, € 10,- per 24 hours.
Rate(s):	Room for single occupancy incl. breakfast 106,40 € plus visitors' tax.
	Room for double occupancy incl. breakfast 118,75 € plus visitors' tax.
Keyword:	Please mention "EOS Conference" when mak ing your reservation.

This offer is valid until 15 January 2012.

#### Hotel Juliana \*\*\*

Phone: +31 (0)15 256 76 12 Fax: +31 (0)15 256 57 07

Trompstraat 33 2628 RC Delft, NL

info@hoteljuliana.nl www.hoteljuliana.nl

Remarks:	Free Wi-Fi in the rooms and free parking included.
Rate(s):	Single room incl. breakfast 79,80 € plus visi- tors' tax.
	Double room for single occupancy incl. breakfast 89,30 € plus visitors' tax.
	Double room for double occupancy incl. breakfast 98,80 € plus visitors' tax.
Keyword:	Please mention "EOS Conference" when mak- ing your reservation.

This offer is valid until 31 January 2012. Afterwards a reservation at <u>standard rates</u> is possible only upon availability

## Hotel de Plataan \*\*\*

Phone: +31 (0)15 212 60 46 Fax: +31 (0)15 215 73 27

Doelenplein 10 2611 BP Delft, NL

info@hoteldeplataan.nl www.hoteldeplataan.nl

Remarks:	Free Wi-Fi in the rooms and free parking included.
Rate(s):	Room for single occupancy incl. breakfast 89,10 € plus visitors' tax.
	Room for double occupancy incl. breakfast 102,60 € plus visitors' tax.
	Room for three persons incl. breakfast 143,10 € plus visitors' tax.
	Room for four persons incl. breakfast 183,60 € plus visitors' tax.
Keyword:	Please mention "EOS Conference" when mak- ing your reservation.

This offer is valid until 31 January 2011.

# Alternative Hotels in Delft

**Please note** that room rates as well as information on internet facilities (internet plugs, Wi-Fi etc.) are taken from the homepages of the listed hotels. Rates may vary from the prices listed below (e.g. during fairs) according to room availability and reservation date. Please contact the hotel directly to make your reservation.

#### Hotel de Ark \*\*\*\*

Prices:	118 - 145 € (incl. breakfast) plus visitors' tax
Address:	Koornmarkt 65, 2611 EC Delft, NL
URL:	www.deark.nl
Contact:	<u>hotel@deark.nl</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 215 79 99
Fax:	+31 (0)15 214 49 97
Remarks:	No information about internet access avail-
	able, parking chargeable

## Hotel Best Western Museumhotels Delft \*\*\*\*

Prices:	112 - 226 € plus visitors' tax
Address:	Oude Delft 189, 2611 HD Delft, NL
URL:	www.museumhotels.nl
E-Mail:	<u>info@museumhotels.nl</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 215 30 70
Fax:	+31 (0)15 215 30 79
Remarks:	Free internet access via TV with wireless key
	board, parking chargeable

## Bridges House Hotel \*\*\*

Prices:	90 - 200 € plus visitors' tax (No information
	about breakfast available)
Address:	Oude Delft 74, 2611 CD Delft, NL
URL:	www.bridges-house.com
E-Mail:	<u>info@bridges-house.com</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 212 40 36
Fax:	+31 (0)15 213 36 00
Remarks:	Free internet access in rooms, parking charge- able

### Campanile Hotel Delft \*\*\*

Prices:	60 - 100 € plus visitors' tax (No information
	about breakfast available)
Address:	Kleveringweg 53, 2616 LZ Delft, NL
URL:	www.campanile-delft.nl
E-Mail:	<u>delft@campanile.com</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 279 90 00
Fax:	+31 (0)15 279 90 01
Remarks:	Free Wi-Fi access in rooms, free parking

# Hotel Coen Delft \*\*\*

Prices:	72 - 110 € plus breakfast & visitors' tax
Address:	Coenderstraat 47, 2613 SN Delft, NL
URL:	www.hotelcoendelft.nl
E-Mail:	info@hotelcoendelft.nl
Phone:	+31 (0)15 214 59 14

Further accomodation facilities in Delft are available at: www.delft.nl/delften/Tourists/Accommodations/Hotels\_in\_Delft

# Fax: +31 (0)15 212 63 84

Remarks: Free Wi-Fi access in rooms, parking chargeable

#### Hotel de Emauspoort \*\*\*

Prices:	85 - 175 € (incl. breakfast) plus visitors' tax
Address:	Vrouwenregt 9, 2611 KK Delft , NL
URL:	www.emauspoort.nl
E-Mail:	<u>info@emauspoort.nl</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 219 02 19
Fax:	+31 (0)15 214 82 51
Remarks:	Free Wi-Fi access in rooms, parking chargeable

# Hotel de Koophandel \*\*\*

Prices:	94 - 144 € plus breakfast & visitors' tax
Address:	Beestenmarkt 30, 2611 GC Delft , NL
URL:	www.hoteldekoophandel.nl
E-Mail:	<u>info@hoteldekoophandel.nl</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 214 23 02
Fax:	+31 (0)15 212 06 74
Remarks:	Chargeable Wi-Fi access in rooms, parking chargeable

#### Hotel de Vlaming \*\*\*

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Prices:	70 - 115 € plus visitors' tax (No information
	about breakfast available)

URL:	www.hoteldevlaming.nl
E-Mail:	info@hoteldevlaming.nl

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Phone: +31 (0)15 213 21 27
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Fax: +31 (0)15 212 20 06
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Remarks: Free internet access in rooms, parking chargeable

#### Hotel Leeuwenbrug \*\*\*

Prices:	83 - 125 € (incl. breakfast) plus visitors' tax
Address:	Koornmarkt 16, 2611 EE Delft, NL
URL:	www.leeuwenbrug.nl
E-Mail:	<u>sales@leeuwenbrug.nl</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 214 77 41
Fax:	+31 (0)15 215 97 59
Remarks:	No information about internet access avail-
	able, parking chargeable

#### Het Koningshuys \*\*

Prices:	52 - 99 € (incl. visitors' tax) plus breakfast
Address:	Markt 38-42, 2611 GV Delft , NL
URL:	www.hetkoningshuys.eu
E-Mail:	<u>hotel@hetkoningshuys.eu</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 212 51 15
Fax:	+31 (0)15 213 60 69

Remarks: Internet access available, parking chargeable

#### Jorplace First Hostel

Prices:	19 - 67 € (incl. breakfast) plus visitors' tax
Address:	Voldersgracht 16 - 18, 2611 GV Delft, NL
URL:	<u>http://jorplace.nl/delft</u>
E-Mail:	<u>delft@jorplace.nl</u>
Phone:	+31 (0)15 570 88 75
Remarks:	Wi-Fi access available