

VENUE



Take advantage of your stay in this northern city of Germany and discover the historical market square, the popular Weser promenade and the picturesque Schnoor quarter. Enjoy a hands-on approach to science and visit the *Universum* presenting science as an adventure, with more than 250 exhibits in the *Science Centre* and *EntdeckerPark* plus temporary exhibitions in the *Schaubox*. Visit the Bremen Christmas market and *Schlachte Magic* with its 160 Christmas stalls, beautifully decorated and assembled right in front of the 600-year-old town hall. For more information on Bremen and its destinations, please visit the official tourism website www.bremen-tourismus.de.



The 1st EOS Topical Meeting on Micro- And Nano-Optoelectronic Systems takes place at

Ringhotel Munte am Stadtwald
Parkallee 299
28213 Bremen
Phone: +49 (0)421 2 20 20
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GETTING THERE

BY PLANE

There are frequent direct connections from a number of German and international airports. The *City Airport Bremen* is located in the south-west of the city and just 3.5 km away from the centre of Bremen.

The city centre is easily accessible by tram (line 6) or bus (line 52) that stops directly in front of the airport terminal and takes about 15 minutes to the centre. It departs at daytime every 10 minutes, at nighttime every 30 minutes.

The venue hotel can be directly reached by tram line 6 direction *Universität*. Alight *Klagenfurter Straße/Universität/NW1*. The journey takes about 45 minutes.

BY TRAIN

The InterCityExpress (ICE) and InterCity/EuroCity (IC/EC) provides services to the main station that is one of the most modern in Germany.

Regular and frequent services connect Bremen with all major German cities. There are two trains every hour to Hamburg in the north and Osnabrück, Münster and the Ruhr Area in the South as well as to Hanover. There are also trains (via main station) connecting the peripher areas of Bremen (2 times per hour to North Bremen, final station Bremen-Vegesack, or to Verden via Mahndorf or Sebaldsbrück.

For timetables and journey planner, please refer to <http://reiseauskunft.bahn.de/bin/query.exe/en>.

BY TRAM/BUS

From the Main Station, take tram line 8 to stop *Kulenkampfallée*. Change to Bus No. 22 direction *Universität* and alight at *Munte* after 2 stops.

Another option from main station is to take tram line 6 direction *Universität* and alight at *Klagenfurter Straße/Universität/NW1*.

BY CAR

The A1 motorway connects Bremen with Hamburg in the north and with Cologne in the south. The A27 goes north to Bremerhaven and Cuxhaven and south towards Hanover, Braunschweig, Berlin and other eastwards connections. The Bremer Kreuz intersection is a major transport hub linking the A27 Cuxhaven-Bremerhaven-Hannover motorway and the A1 Hamburg-Osnabrück-Rhineland motorway.

Coming from direction Bremerhaven, Hamburg, Hannover:

Change to A27 if necessary, take exit *Horn-Lehe/University*, direction *University*. After the 3rd traffic light turn right into *Universitätsallee*. The venue hotel is located after approx. 1 km on the left hand side.

Coming from direction Osnabrück:

Change from A1 to A27 at Bremer Kreuz direction *Bremerhaven*. Take exit *Horn-Lehe/University*, direction *University*. After the 3rd traffic light turn right into *Universitätsallee*. The venue hotel is located after approx. 1 km on the left hand side.

Find map on how to get to the venue hotel [here](#).

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GETTING AROUND IN BREMEN

BY CAR

Long before you reach the city centre the tourist information system and the parking information system will direct you to attractions, hotels and available car parks. Alternatively, please use the park+ride scheme which connects with tram and bus (BSAG) services. Information panels can be found at prominent locations throughout the city centre.

From July 2011, only cars with green discs will be permitted to enter the Bremen low-emission zone (LEZ). Low emission zones are identified by traffic signs and additional signs. The ordinance on the marking of vehicles (35th BImSchV) stipulates that vehicles have to be marked with stickers (on the windscreen inside the vehicle) and lays down the criteria vehicles have to meet for the different kinds of stickers.

If you are staying in a hotel within the LEZ zone, you are allowed to enter the zone without the green sticker if you place the booking confirmation of the hotel behind the windscreen. The confirmation must be readable from outside the car and needs to state the name of the hotel and the duration of your stay. If your hotel does not lie within the low emission zone, but you want to cross the zone to get to your hotel you need to obtain a sticker or a certificate of exemption before driving into the zone.

However, you are allowed to access the parking garages *Ostertor/Kulturmeile*, *Stephani* and *Pressehaus* which are within the zone via *Osterdeich*, *Tiefer*, *Martinstraße*, *Am Brill*, *Faulenstraße*. For the other city centre parking garages, this exemption does not apply so that you need to have a windscreen sticker.

Find a map of the LEZ zone [here](#).

Please note that the Ringhotel Munte am Stadtwald is located outside the low-emission zone.

BY TRAM/BUS

Bremen offers an intensive public transportation network with trams and buses. Bremer Straßenbahn AG (BSAG), is the public transport provider for Bremen, offering tramway and bus services.

About 10 tram lines are run by BSAG.

Find map of the tram lines [here](#).

The BSAG also operates quite many regular bus lines. In front of the Main Station and near the City Hall, there are main hubs.

Lines (from main station) to venue hotel:

Tram 6 (direction *Universität*, stop: *Klagenfurter Straße/Universität/NW1*)

Runs Monday - Sunday (6.00 - 0.00 CET)



Tram 8 (direction: *Kulenkampallee*, stop: *Kulenkampallee*)

Runs Monday - Sunday (5.00 - 20.00 CET)

From Kulenkampallee to venue hotel:

Bus 22 (direction: *Universität/Lehe*, stop: *Munte*)

Runs Monday - Sunday (5.00 - 0.00 CET)

For the timetables, please click [here](#).

There are night buses and trams (indicated by an "N"), running through almost the whole night, departing every 30 minutes from the Main Station. Fares on the night network are 1 € in addition to normal individual, group or day fares. Tickets can be bought on the bus or tram. It is slightly cheaper to buy a set of 4 rides or a day pass for individuals or groups, or a weekly pass for individuals.

For all public transportation timetables and ticket fares, please see [here](#).

BY FOOT

Like other cities in Germany, Bremen's sights are located within easy walking distance from one another and as the city centre is quite compact. Since many streets in the centre are pedestrianized, exploring on foot definitely is the best option. Bremen's Main Station is located about 10 minutes away from the centre, the Markt. There are also bike rentals available.

Find a map of Bremen and its surroundings [here](#).

FURTHER INFORMATION

More information about Bremen and its places of interest can be found at www.bremen-tourismus.de.

ACCOMODATION

Rooms at a special rate have been blocked at the venue hotel, the Atlantic Hotel Universum and the City Partner Hotel Residence Bremen nearby. Please find the booking details below:

Ringhotel Munte am Stadtwald ****

Phone: +49 (0)421 2 20 20

Fax: +49 (0)421 2 20 26 09

Parkallee 299, 28213 Bremen

info@hotel-munte.de

www.hotel-munte.de

Remarks: Free WiFi in rooms and common areas. Private parking chargeable (6 € per 24 hrs.)

Rate: Room per single occupancy incl. breakfast 95 €/night.

Keyword: Please refer directly to the hotel reservation via email or telephone. When making your reservation, please mention the keyword "1st EOS Topical Meeting".

Booked period: 6 - 9 December 2011

This offer is valid until 21 October 2011. Afterwards, a reservation at this rate is possible only upon availability.

Atlantic Hotel Universum ****

Phone: +49 (0)421 24 67 0

Fax: +49 (0)421 24 67 500

Wiener Str. 4, Horn-Lehe, 28359 Bremen

reservierung.ahu@atlantic-hotels.de

www.atlantic-hotels.de/universum/hotel

Remarks: 500 m walking distance to venue hotel. Free internet access in the rooms.

Private parking chargeable (7/10 € per 24 hrs.).

Rate(s): Room for single occupancy incl. breakfast 99 €/night.

Double Room incl. breakfast 129 €/night.

Keyword: Please use this [registration form](#) when making your reservation and mention the keyword "EOS Meeting".

Booked period: 6 - 9 December 2011

This offer is valid until 8 November 2011. After this date, rooms can be booked at this rate upon availability.

City Partner Hotel Residence Bremen ***

Phone: +49 (0)421 34 87 10

Fax: +49 (0)421 34 23 22

Hohenlohestr. 42, Schwachhausen, 28209 Bremen

info@hotelresidence.de

www.hotelresidence.de

Remarks: 300 m walking distance from Main Station. 3.4 km (approx. 7 minutes by car) distance to venue hotel. Internet Access/WiFi available (3€/day). Parking chargeable (5/8 €/day).

Rate(s): Comfort Single Room incl. breakfast 88 €
Superior Single Room incl. breakfast 99 €.
Standard Single Room incl. breakfast 77 €.

Keyword: Please mention the keyword "EOS Meeting" when making your reservation.

Booked period: 7 - 9 December 2011

This offer is valid until 1 November 2011.



ALTERNATIVE HOTELS IN BREMEN

Please note that the room rates as well as the 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.

SCHWACHHAUSEN (NEAR VENUE HOTEL)

Parkhotel Bremen *****

Prices: Single Room 125 - 185 €
 Double Room 175 - 235 €
 (breakfast not included, 25 €/night)
 Address: Im Bürgerpark, 28209 Bremen
 URL: www.park-hotel-bremen.de
 E-Mail: relax@park-hotel-bremen.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 34 08 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 34 08 602
 Remarks: free WiFi available in all areas, free parking
 Distance: 3.4 km (approx. 7 minutes by car)

Hotel Bölts am Park **

Prices: Single Room incl. breakfast 50 - 65 €
 Double Room incl. breakfast 85 €
 Address: Slevogtstraße 23, 28209 Bremen
 URL: www.hotel-boelts.de
 E-Mail: info@hotel-boelts.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 34 61 10
 Fax: +49 (0)421 34 12 27
 Remarks: free WiFi available in rooms, no parking facilities available
 Distance: 3.4 km (approx. 7 minutes by car)

CITY CENTRE

Swissôtel Bremen *****

Prices: Room for single occupancy incl. breakfast 465 €
 Double Room incl. breakfast 525 €
 Address: Hillmannplatz 20, Centre, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.swissotel.com/DE/Destinations/Germany/Swissotel+Bremen
 E-Mail: bremen@swissotel.com
 Phone: +49 (0)421 62 000 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 62 000 222
 Remarks: free WiFi in entire hotel, public parking chargeable (15 €/day)
 Distance: 3.9 km (approx. 8 minutes by car)

Courtyard by Marriott Bremen ****

Prices: Double/Twin Room incl. Breakfast 79 - 185 €
 Address: Theodor-Heuss-Allee 2, 28215 Bremen
 URL: www.marriott.de/hotels/travel/brecy-courtyard-bremen
 Phone: +49 (0)421 69 640 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 69 640 555
 Remarks: WiFi and internet access chargeable (12.50 € per 24 hrs.), private parking on site (10 €/day), public parking chargeable (4 €/day)
 Distance: 3.2 km (approx. 6 minutes by car)

Maritim Hotel Bremen ****

Prices: Single Room incl. breakfast 129 €
 Double Room incl. breakfast 129-155 €
 Address: Hollerallee 99, Findorff, 28215 Bremen
 URL: www.maritim.de/de/hotels/deutschland/hotel-bremen
 E-Mail: info.bre@maritim.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 37 89 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 37 89 610
 Remarks: free WiFi available in rooms, private parking chargeable
 Distance: 3.2 km (approx. 6 minutes by car)

Designhotel ÜberFluss ****

Prices: Design Single Room incl. breakfast 139 - 154 €
 Design Double Room incl. breakfast 184 - 199 €
 Address: Langenstr. 72, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.hotel-ueberfluss.de
 E-Mail: info@hotel-ueberfluss.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 322 86 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 322 86 77
 Remarks: directly located at the Weser promenade
 Distance: 4.8 km (approx. 9 minutes by car)

Atlantic Grand Hotel Bremen ****

Prices: Single Room 135 - 145 €
 (breakfast at additional charge, 20 €/day)
 Address: Bredenstraße 2, Centre, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.atlantic-hotels.de/grandhotel/hotel
 E-Mail: grandhotel@atlantic-hotels.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 620 62 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 620 62 500
 Remarks: free WiFi available in rooms, private parking chargeable (20 €/day)
 Distance: 5.2 km (approx. 10 minutes by car)

Hilton Bremen ****

Prices: Single Room 109 - 124 €
 Double Room 124 €
 (breakfast at additional charge, 16 €/day)
 Address: Böttcherstr. 2, Centre, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.hilton.de/bremen
 E-Mail: info.bremen@hilton.com
 Phone: +49 (0)421 36 96 0
 Remarks: WiFi available in rooms (22 € per 24 hrs.)
 Distance: 5.8 km (approx. 12 minutes by car)

Hotel Classico ***

Prices: Single Room 106 €
 Double Room 129 €
 (breakfast at additional charge, 6,50 €)
 Address: Hinter dem Schütting 1A, Centre, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.hotel-classico-bremen.de
 E-Mail: info@hotel-classico-bremen.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 24 40 08 67
 Fax: +49 (0)421 17 84 696
 Remarks: free WiFi available in entire hotel, private parking chargeable
 Distance: 5.8 km, (approx. 12 minutes by car)

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InterCity Hotel Bremen ***

Prices: Double Room for single use incl. breakfast 98 €
 Double Room incl. breakfast 122 €
 Address: Bahnhofsplatz 17-18, Centre, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.intercityhotel.com/Bremen
 E-Mail: reservation@bremen.intercityhotel.de
 Phone: 00800 – 784 683 57 (free-of-charge reservation hotline)
 Fax: +49 (0)421 16 03 599
 Remarks: free WiFi and internet access available in entire hotel, public parking available (10 €/day)
 Distance: directly located at the Central Station, 3.7 km (approx. 8 minutes by car)

Star Inn Bremen Columbus ***

Prices: Standard Single Room 59 €
 Business Single Room 74 €
 Business Double Room 84 €
 (breakfast at additional charge, 11 €/day)
 Address: Bahnhofsplatz 5 - 7, Centre, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.starinnhotels.com/de/bremen-columbus
 E-Mail: bremen.columbus@starinnhotels.com
 Phone: +49 (0)421 30 12 0
 Fax: +49 (0)421 30 12 123
 Remarks: free internet access in public areas, WiFi in rooms chargeable (5 € per 24 hrs.), public parking chargeable (11 € per 24 hrs.)
 Distance: 3.7 km (approx. 8 minutes by car)

Prizeotel Bremen-City **

Prices: Single Room 74 - 84 €
 Double Room 79 - 89 €
 Breakfast not included (9.75 €/day)
 Address: Theodor-Heuss-Allee 12, 28215 Bremen
 URL: www.prizeotel.com/hotel-bremen
<https://www.prizeotel.com/contact/reservation>
 Phone: +49 (0)1805 68 77 49
 Remarks: free WiFi available in all areas, parking chargeable
 Distance: 3.9 km (approx. 8 minutes by car)

Gästeträume

Prices: Apartments for 2 - 6 persons 70 - 80 €/night
 Address: Sielwall 80 (office only), 28203 Bremen
 URL: www.gaestetraeume.de
 E-Mail: info@gaestetraeume.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 33 13 455
 Fax: +49 (0)421 790 11 844
 Remarks: free WiFi in rooms available, free public parking
 Distance: 4.6 km (approx. 9 minutes by car)

Further hotels and accomodation facilities in Bremen can be booked [here](#).

HOSTELS

GastHaus Bremer Backpacker Hostel

Prices: Single Room 29 €
 Twin Room 23 €/person
 Room for 3 Persons 22 €/person
 Room for 4 Persons 20 €/person
 Dorm 18 €/person
 Address: Emil-Waldmann-Str. 5-6, 28195 Bremen
 URL: www.bremer-backpacker-hostel.de
 E-Mail: gasthaus@bremer-backpacker-hostel.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 22 38 057
 Fax: +49 (0)421 22 38 102
 Remarks: free WiFi available in rooms
 Distance: 4 km (approx. 9 minutes by car)

Townside Hostel Bremen

Prices: Single Room 30 - 35 €
 Twin Room 25 - 28 €/person
 4/5-Bed-Room 21 - 23 €/person
 6-Bed-Room 18 - 20 €/person
 7-Bed-Room 17 - 20 €/person
 9-Bed-Room 14 - 17 €/person
 Address: Am Dobben 62, 28203 Bremen
 URL: www.townside.de
 E-Mail: info@townside.de
 Phone: +49(0)421 78 01 5
 Fax: +49 (0)421 70 40 91
 Remarks: free WiFi in common areas, private parking chargeable
 Distance: 4.1 km (approx. 8 minutes by car)

The Grand Hostel Bremen

Prices: Single Room 27 €
 Twin Room 38 - 46 €/room
 3-Bed-Room 57 €/room
 4-Bed-Room 64 - 88 €/room
 5-Bed-Room 75 €/room
 Address: Feuerkuhle 30, 28207 Bremen
 URL: www.thegrandhostel.com
 E-Mail: info@thegrandhostel.com
 Phone: +49 (0)421 64 37 209
 Fax: +49 (0)421 64 37 178
 Remarks: free private parking available
 Distance: 6 km (approx. 12 minutes by car)

Schlafcompany

Prices: Single room (with shared bathroom) 33 €
 Double room (with shared bathroom) 49 €
 (breakfast at additional charge)
 Address: Ölmühlenstraße 1-5, Centre, 28195 Breme
 URL: www.schlafcompany.de
 E-Mail: info@schlafcompany.de
 Phone: +49 (0)421 27 67 921
 Remarks: free WiFi available, private parking chargeable (5 €/day)
 Distance: 5.1 km (approx. 10 minutes by car)