

Venue



The conference will take place in the **Senate Hall** (Sala Senatu) and the **Golden Hall** (Sala Złota) at **Kazimierzowski Palace** (Pałac Kazimierzowski). The Palace is situated at the **Main Warsaw University Campus** (ul. Krakowskie Przedmieście 26/28). In order to get to the Palace, you should enter the main gate featured above and walk straight on towards the historic Old Library building positioned centrally. The Kazimierzowski Palace is right behind the Library.

The Kazimierzowski Palace can be found on this map at number 1 at the top. At the bottom of the map is the main entrance gate from Krakowskie Przedmieście Street and the Old Library Building is at 10: <http://www.uw.edu.pl/strony/uwdzis/map1/zoom1.html>

The Kazimierzowski Palace and the two halls can be viewed panoramically on the Warsaw University virtual tour: <http://www.uw.edu.pl/strony/uwdzis/pan/index.htm>

Information about Warsaw University in English can be found at: <http://www.uw.edu.pl/en/>

GETTING THERE

Getting there: Getting from **The Warsaw Frederic Chopin Airport** to the venue – the Main Warsaw University Campus

There is only one airport in Warsaw. However, it is situated in the south-west part of Warsaw, only 10 kilometres from the city centre, where both the campus and the main hotels are located, which makes the trip reasonably short and inexpensive. The Warsaw Frederic Chopin Airport (<http://www.lotnisko-chopina.pl/?lang=en>) consists of two terminals: Terminal 1, which is the main facility for both arriving and departing passengers, and the Etiuda Terminal (<http://www.lotnisko-chopina.pl/katalog/etiuda/en/etiuda.php>), which serves both arriving and departing passengers on economy airlines.

By taxi

The easiest and fastest way is to take a taxi. We recommend clearly marked taxi stands in the Arrivals Hall, where you will be served by English-speaking personnel who will order the taxi for you. You can also take one of the taxis waiting outside of the Arrivals Hall, provided it is clearly marked with the name of one of the companies recommended below. There may be other taxis waiting outside, but it is wise to avoid these so as not to get unexpected and unreasonable costs.

The recommended taxi companies available are:

Ele Taxi, phone +48 (22) 8111111

Merc Taxi, phone: +48 (22) 677 77 77

MPT Radio Taxi, phone: +48 (22) 9191

Sawa Taxi, phone: +48 (22) 644 44 44

The estimated prices of a trip are as follows:

from the airport to the Main Warsaw University Campus: 35 PLN (day tariff) = 9 EUR

from the airport to the IBIS Hotel: 40 PLN (day tariff) = 10.49 EUR

50 PLN (night tariff) = 12.86 EUR

from the airport to the CAMPANILE Hotel: 25 PLN (day tariff) = 6.43 EUR

35 PLN (night tariff) = 9.26 EUR

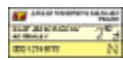
The address you should tell the driver in order to get to the Main Campus is:

UNIwersytet Warszawski
Kampus Główny
ul. Krakowskie Przedmieście 26/28
Brama Główna

By public transport:

Getting the ticket:

Getting from the airport to the Main Campus by bus is reasonably fast and very inexpensive.



In order to travel by any means of public transport in Warsaw you need to buy a standard single ticket which costs 2.40 PLN = 0.62 EUR if you buy it at one of the newsstands at the airport; the stands are commonly known as KIOSKS. You can also buy it from the bus driver, but this means that the ticket will cost 3 PLN = 0.77 EUR in exact change (this is what you should say in order to get the ticket: “Proszę 1 bilet normalny.” [Prosze ieden beelet normalni] / “Proszę 2 dwa/3 trzy bilety normalne.” [Proshe dva/tchee beeleti normalne]). This single ticket allows you to travel on one bus for as long as you need with any luggage you may have. In order to validate the ticket, you have to insert it with the yellow side on top into the slot in one of the validators inside the bus before the bus sets off. The validator will print some data out on the other side of the ticket.



The most comfortable bus that goes to the Main Campus is the 175.

You will find it outside the Arrivals Hall. The bus stops are

marked with signs such as the one in the picture. You should look for a sign with the number 175 on it. The 175 runs very frequently and you should not have to wait for it any longer than 20 minutes at a time. The 175 you should take must have the name KONWIKTORSKA displayed on the windscreen, which shows the direction in which the bus is going. The journey will take you anything between 30 and 45 minutes depending on the traffic. The bus stop is on the same side of the road as the Main Campus, just in front of the main entrance gate. Indeed, the bus stop's sign UNIWERSYTET is displayed on the bus shelter. You will also recognize it easily by the characteristic appearance of the gate, which is featured under the **Venue** section.

Getting there: Getting from Warsaw Central Railway Station (Warszawa – Dworzec Centralny) to the venue – the Main Warsaw University Campus

Warsaw Central Railway Station is situated in the very centre of Warsaw, and most trains from outside of Poland arrive there. In fact, the station is within walking distance from the Campus for the very fit who are ready to take a 40-minute walk.

By taxi:

The taxi ranks are situated outside the Main Hall (Hol Główny) to the left of the ticket offices. You can also follow the “Taxi” signs. It is advisable to order a taxi by phone, or to take one which has one of the recommended companies’ names clearly displayed. Please, refer to the “Getting from the airport” section for the name of the destination and more information.

The recommended taxi companies available are:

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Merc Taxi, phone: +48 (22) 677 77 77

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Sawa Taxi, phone: +48 (22) 644 44 44

By public transport:

In fact, the same bus (number 175) as the one that departs from the airport takes you to the Main Warsaw University Campus. Please see the instructions above on how to buy the ticket in the “Getting the ticket section”

The bus stop which you should set off from is on Aleje Jerozolimskie Street. It has the DWORZEC CENTRALNY sign displayed on the shelter. You can get there by following the “Aleje Jerozolimskie” direction signs or the “Hotel Marriott” signs, as the stop is situated right next to the hotel building on the other side of the road from the Central Station. As it is impossible to cross the road “on the ground”, the only way to get to the stop is by a subway (an underground passage).



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going. The journey will take you anything between 10 and 15 minutes depending on the traffic. The bus stop is on the same side of the road as the Main Campus, just in front of the main entrance gate. The bus stop's sign UNIWERSYTET is displayed on the bus shelter. You will also recognize it easily by the characteristic appearance of the gate, which is featured under the **Venue** section.

If you feel that knowing a bit of Polish may be helpful while travelling around, you will find a little phrase book here:

I'd like to get to ...- Proszę zawieźć mnie do... [prosha zaveschch mne do]

How much is it? – Ile płacę? [ile pwatze]

Please – Proszę [proshe]

Thank you – Dziękuję [djekuie]

Can I have one standard ticket, please? - Proszę 1 bilet normalny. [Proshe ieden beelet normalni] / Proszę 2 dwa/3 trzy bilety normalne. [Proshe 2 dva/ 3 tchee beeleti normalne].

HOTELS

We have booked rooms for the conference participants in two hotels. The hotels will keep a number of rooms available for the participants of the conference up to the 10th July 2007. The payment for the hotel can be made by the participants to the hotel itself. We recommend that you book early in order to ensure that comfortable accommodation is available.

In order to book a place at either of the two hotels, you need to send an e-mail to the address provided below together with your personal data referring to TNP Conference

IBIS HOTEL

WARSZAWA STARE MIASTO

This hotel is situated very conveniently, close to both the most beautiful part of Warsaw, the Old Town, and to the Main Warsaw University Campus.

Address:

St. Muranowska 2

00-209 Warszawa, Poland

Phone: +48 (0) 22 310 10 00

fax: +48 (0) 22 310 10 10

e-mail: H3714@accor.com

reservation: H3714-RE@accor.com



The Ibis hotel website (available in English, Polish and German)

<http://www.orbis.pl/?h=80&j=2>

CAMPANILE HOTEL WARSAWA

This hotel is conveniently located in the centre of Warsaw, and the main train station is only a 5-10 minute walk from the hotel.

Address:

ul. Towarowa 2
00-811 Warszawa

Phone: +48 (022) 582 72 00

fax: +48 (022) 582 72 01

e-mail: warszawa@campanile.com.pl



The Campanile Hotel site:

http://hotels.poland-bookings.com/hotel/pl/hotelwarsawwars.en.html?label=gg_en_bh_87041-poland-warsaw-campanile-hotel-warsaw;sid=81c95d7f08a2bcc8bf4bb8e08379b5a2

(site available in English as well as many other languages)

Other hotels in Warsaw

http://www.hotelepolsce.com.pl/m_warsz.htm

<http://www.warsawtour.pl>

(this site also contains information on entertainment, events and attractions in Warsaw in English, German and Spanish)

GETTING FROM THE VENUE TO THE HOTEL

The easiest way to get to the hotel, apart from ordering a taxi (refer to the Getting There section above for more information on getting a taxi) is going by bus. For information on how to travel by bus in Warsaw refer to the Getting There section.

Getting from the Main Warsaw University Campus to the IBIS Hotel by bus

The buses that can take you to the Ibis Hotel are as follows: 116, 122, 195, 303 and 503. You should set off from the bus stop next to the University Main Gate, on the same side of the road as the Main Campus (this is the bus stop you will get off at if you travel from the airport to the Main Campus). The hotel is situated just a few stops away from the University. You should look out for the MURANOWSKA sign at the bus stop. The stop is right in front of the hotel, which is very noticeable.

Getting from the Main Warsaw University Campus to the CAMPANILE Hotel by bus

The bus that will take you to the Campanile Hotel is the 175. You should set off from the bus stop opposite the University Main Gate, on the opposite side of the road from the Main Campus (you will have to cross the road after leaving the Campus). The hotel is situated near the PLAC ZAWISZY bus stop.

More general information about Warsaw:

The official website of the city of Warsaw in English:

<http://www.e-warsaw.pl/index.php>

Map of Warsaw:

<http://www.euroave.com/maps/00mapx.php?xcity=warsaw>