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Sgroup GA Meeting – Ghent University 10-11 November 2017

Practical information

Ghent, Europe's best kept secret...

Ghent is a historic city, yet at the same time a contemporary one. The modern daily life of the city's active inhabitants plays itself out against a gorgeous historical backdrop. In Ghent, they live, work and enjoy life over and over again each day.



More info: <http://www.arrivalguides.com/en/Travelguides/Europe/Belgium/Gent/thecity>

How to get to the city center

On 9 November, the LO Meeting will take place in Liège. At the end of the meeting, a bus will take all participants to Ghent. For people arriving directly to Ghent, the following options are available:

BY AIR - Brussels National Airport

Ghent is only 45 minutes from the international airport of Zaventem 'Brussels Airport', where flights arrive from and depart to more than 70 destinations. There are two direct trains per hour between the airport railway station (Brussel-Nationaal-Luchthaven) and the railway station, Ghent-Sint-Pieters



(Gent Sint-Pieters station). In the airport, follow the signs to the railway station, which is below ground level. Buy a ticket for Ghent-Sint-Pieters station at the counter in the train station of the airport or online on www.b-rail.be/main/E/

You can board the direct train to Ghent or you can take the shuttle train to Brussels Central Station, which runs every 15 minutes. There, you can change to a train to Ghent-Sint-Pieters.

BY AIR - Charleroi Brussels South Airport

There are 3 options for travelling between Charleroi (Brussels South) Airport and Ghent:

- Option 1

First you need to take a bus to Charleroi Sud railway station. A ticket “billet bulk” can be purchased at the bus stop at the airport. From the Charleroi Sud railway station you can take a train to the Ghent-Sint-Pieters railway station. Train schedules are available under <http://www.b-rail.be/>

- Option 2

There is also a shuttle service running every 30 minutes between Charleroi (Brussels South) Airport and the international railway station, Brussels South (Bruxelles Midi). Shuttle tickets vary between € 5 and € 14 for a single ticket and can be purchased online: <https://www.brussels-city-shuttle.com/en/>

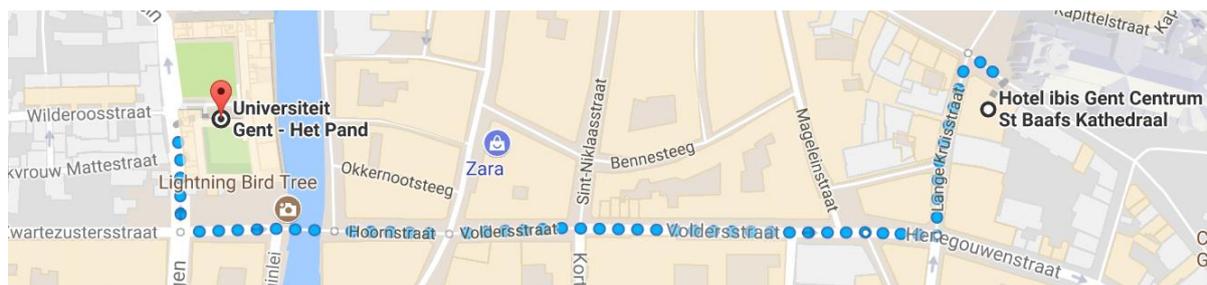
- Option 3

There is a direct bus from Charleroi (Brussels South) to Ghent (station). Prices vary between € 5 and € 15 per trip. More information: <https://www.flibco.com/en#/booking>

Venue Het Pand

Information: <https://www.ugent.be/het-pand/en>

Find out [here](#) How to get to Het Pand. It is a [7 minutes walk](#) from the hotel Ibis Hotel.





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Accommodation

Rooms are pre-booked at the [Hotel Ibis Gent Centrum St Baafs Kathedraal](#).

The price is € 110/night for a single room (breakfast included) and € 128/night for a double room (breakfast included).

All participants are kindly asked to make the booking through the reservation form which is available on the website by the latest deadline on **18th September 2017**.