

## Kick-off meeting Aarhus University, June 28 - July 1, 2011

The meeting is sponsored by the Nordic Network in Soft Matter Physics (NordForsk).

### Participating groups:

For each of the participating groups, 3 participants will be paid by the Network grant. The payment includes Meeting Fee including conference dinner, accommodation in one of the hotels mentioned below, and 1700 DKK for travel. Note, that in order to reduce administration, only the most expensive part of your ticket (flight or train) will be refunded by sending valid documentation (invoice, used tickets, boarding cards) for you expenses, filled out travel form, and bank information to:

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N-7491 Trondheim  
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The travel form is available at: <http://www.ntnu.edu/physics/nordsoft/activities>

The participating institutions of the Nordic Network in Soft Matter Physics:

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**Registration:** Workshop home page:

[https://webshop.dpu.dk/NordSoft1\\_Kick-Off\\_Meeting\\_Aarhus\\_June\\_2011](https://webshop.dpu.dk/NordSoft1_Kick-Off_Meeting_Aarhus_June_2011)

Deadline May 28th.

**Additional participants:**

The participating groups as well as scientists that are not part of the network can participate by registering at the workshop home page:

[https://webshop.dpu.dk/NordSoft1\\_Kick-Off\\_Meeting\\_Aarhus\\_June\\_2011](https://webshop.dpu.dk/NordSoft1_Kick-Off_Meeting_Aarhus_June_2011)

and pay a registration fee of 1200 DKK when registering.

**Schedule:**

The meeting starts on June 28 at 12:30 by a lunch and ends on July 1 by a lunch (12:10-13:10). For further information:

<http://www.ntnu.edu/physics/nordsoft/activities>

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00-9:40			40 min	40 min	40 min
9:40-10:10			30 min	30 min	30 min
10:10-10:40			Coffee	Coffee	Coffee
10:40-11:10			30 min	30 min	40 min
11:10-11:40			30 min	30 min	30 min
11:40-12:10			30 min	30 min	30 min
12:10-13:10			Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
13:10-13:50		Lunch(12:30-13:30)	40 min	40 min	
13:50-14:20		40 min 13:30-14:10	30 min	30 min	
14:20-14:50		30 min 14:10-14:40	30 min	30 min	
14:50-15:20		30 min 14:40-15:10	40 min 14:50-15:30	30 min	
15:20-15:50		Coffee 15:10-15:40	Coffee	Coffee	
15:50-16:20		40 min 15:40-16:20	Poster session	30 min	
16:20-16:50		30 min 16:20-16:50		30 min	
16:50-17:30		30 min 16:50-17:10		40 min	
		40 min 17:10-17:50	Ending 18:00		
18:30				workshop dinner	

11 x 40 min invited  
22 x 30 min contributing

**Presentations:**

The contact of each participating group will be asked to provide titles and speakers for 3 talks: One 40 min talk presenting the group and its activities and two 30 min talks on selected scientific topics. Additional contributions can also be submitted for presentation as posters. Contributions submitted by scientists that are not part of the network will also be presented as posters.

**Venue:**

The meeting takes place at Studenterhusfonden's meeting venue, Ndr. Ringgade 3, 8000 Aarhus C. The room for the main event is called 'Lokale 2' and its window section make out one end wall of the building. The venue is marked with a blue circle on figure 1.



Figure 1: Venue

**Hotel:**

For participants to be paid by the network, the hotel will be paid directly by the network. However, all participants are responsible for guaranteeing the reservations and payment in case of late cancellation.

Participants not paid by the network will of course pay directly to the hotel.

Pre-reservations have been made at the CABINN Aarhus. Individual reservations shall be made directly to the hotel.

CABINN

The cost of a room is € 85 per night for a single room.

To get access the pre-reserved rooms, use phone or e-mail ([aarhus@cabinn.com](mailto:aarhus@cabinn.com)) to make reservation. For those to be paid by the network it is of course also important that you book a pre-reserved room. Do not use the homepage of the hotel for booking, as the room will not be registered as a pre-reserved room of the network! When phoning or e-mailing the hotel, booking number '914 283' must be stated.

Final reservation must be done no later than May 28.

This hotel is situated between the cathedral and the small river that runs through Aarhus.

Hotel contact information: Kannikegade 14, DK-8000 Aarhus C. Tel: +45 86 75 70 00. More information can be found at [www.cabinn.com](http://www.cabinn.com).

## Travel information

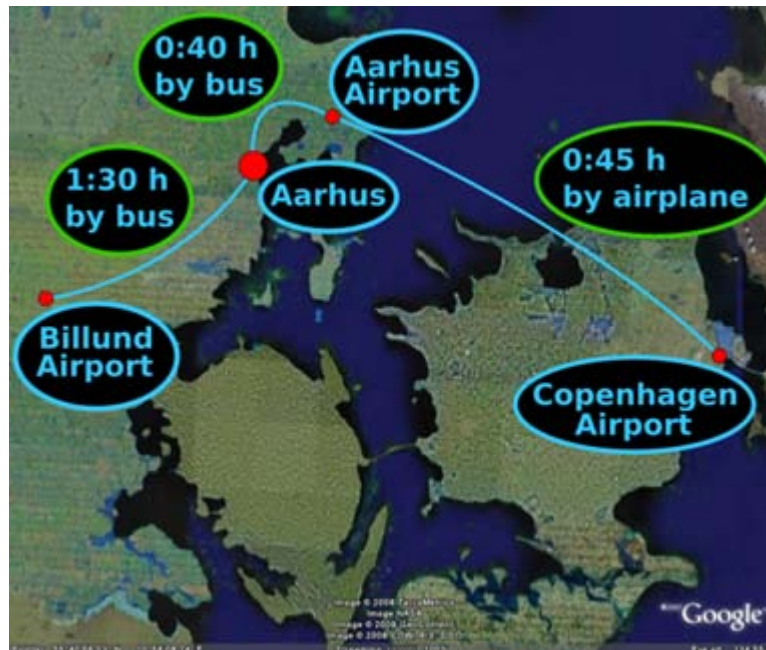


Figure 2: Airports

### Arrival at Aarhus Airport:

Aarhus Airport is a minor airport with connections to London, Oslo, Stockholm, Göteborg and Copenhagen.

An airport bus will take you directly to the venue in 40 minutes – get off at the stop called v/Randersvej (see figure 3). If you miss the stop, see LOCAL TRANSPORTATION for how to get to the venue from the central station.

Tickets are sold on the airport bus. A one-way fare is about € 12. Norwegian Crowns, US Dollars, Pounds, Euros and major credit cards are accepted.

For more information see [www.aar.dk](http://www.aar.dk), 'English', 'getting there', 'bus service'.

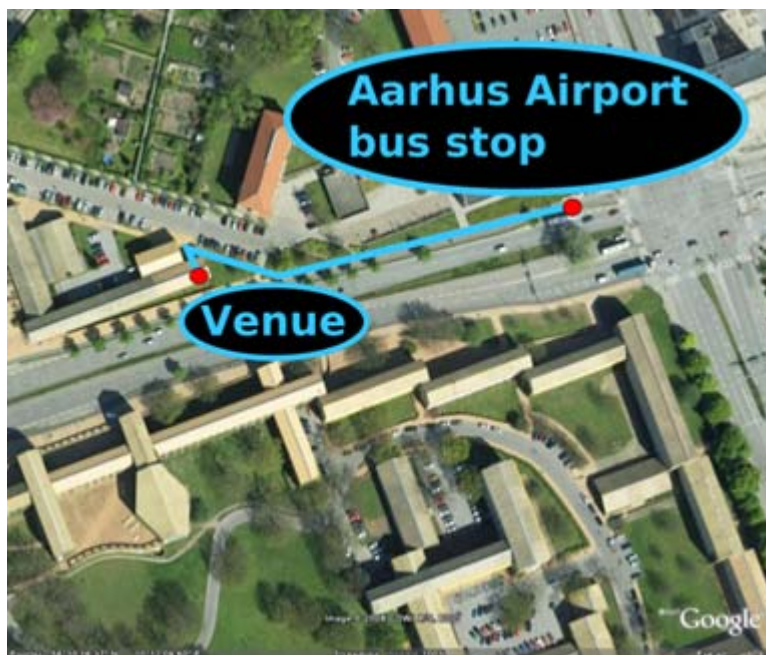


Figure 3: Aarhus airport bus stop

#### **Arrival at Billund Airport:**

An airport bus will take you to the SAS Radisson Hotel in 1:30 hours.

Tickets are sold on the airport bus. A one-way fare is about € 24. According to the webpage most 'common' currencies and 'selected' credit cards are accepted.

The SAS Radisson Hotel is situated at Margrethesplads 1, 8000 Aarhus C. Taxis should be available at the hotel. Otherwise the central station is five minutes' walk from the SAS Radisson. See LOCAL TRANSPORTATION on how to get to the venue from the central station.

For more information see [www.billund-airport.com](http://www.billund-airport.com) , 'English', 'To and from the airport', 'Airport and Public Buses'.

## Local transportation

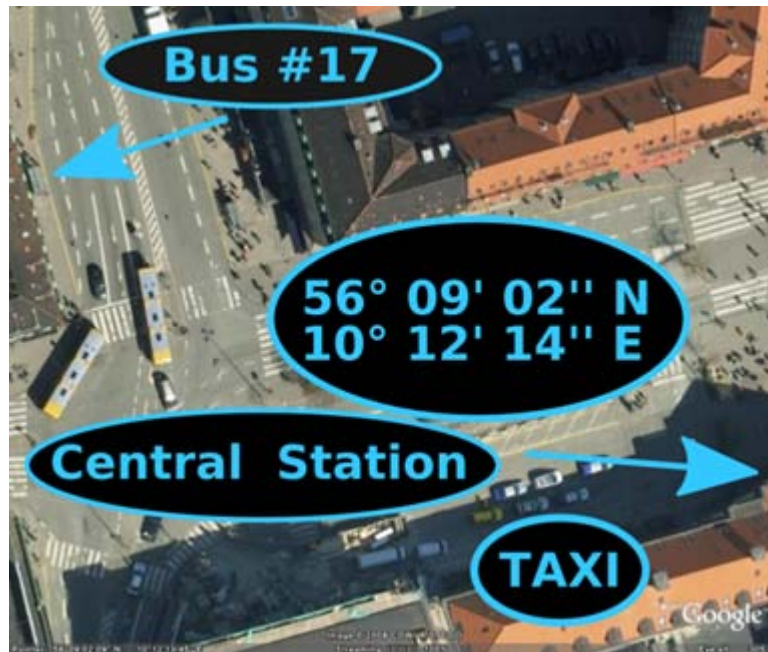


Figure 4: Central station square

Bus #17 has a stop right in front of the Scandic Plaza Aarhus on the same square where you find the central station. The bus runs every 30 minutes.

Attention! The right stop is on the same side of the road 'Park Allé' as the Scandic Hotel. Initially it points in the wrong direction relative to the venue. In the schedule the stop 'Universitetet' (which is where you want to go) should be found to the right of 'Banegårdspladsen' (which is where you are).

The stop 'Universitetet' is reached just after making a right turn and passing the 'Statsbiblioteket' which is the tall yellow building found in the lower right corner of figure 1.

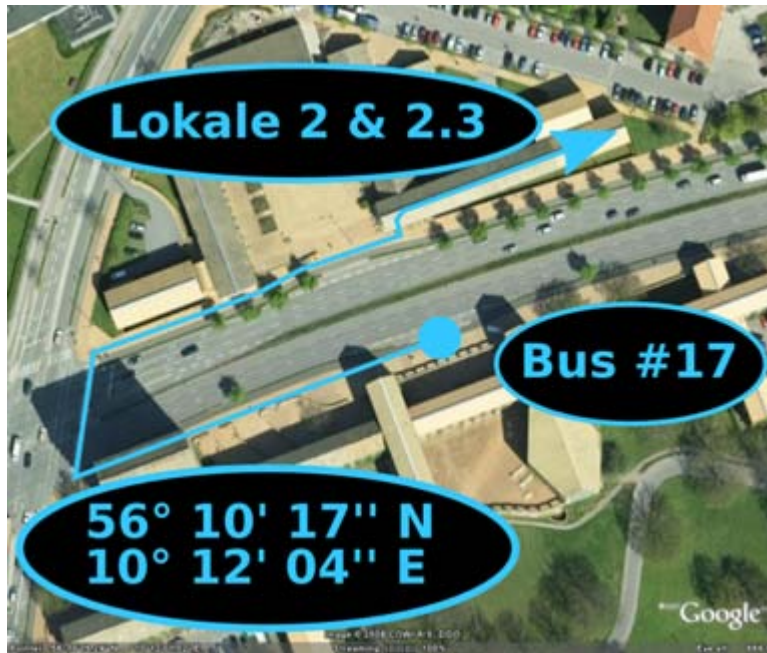


Figure 5: Venue & Bus #17 stop



Figure 6: Local overview