

# WELCOME TO AALBORG

## COST IC1206 MC meeting & SPLINE2016 Workshop

Aalborg, Denmark on July 6-8, 2016.

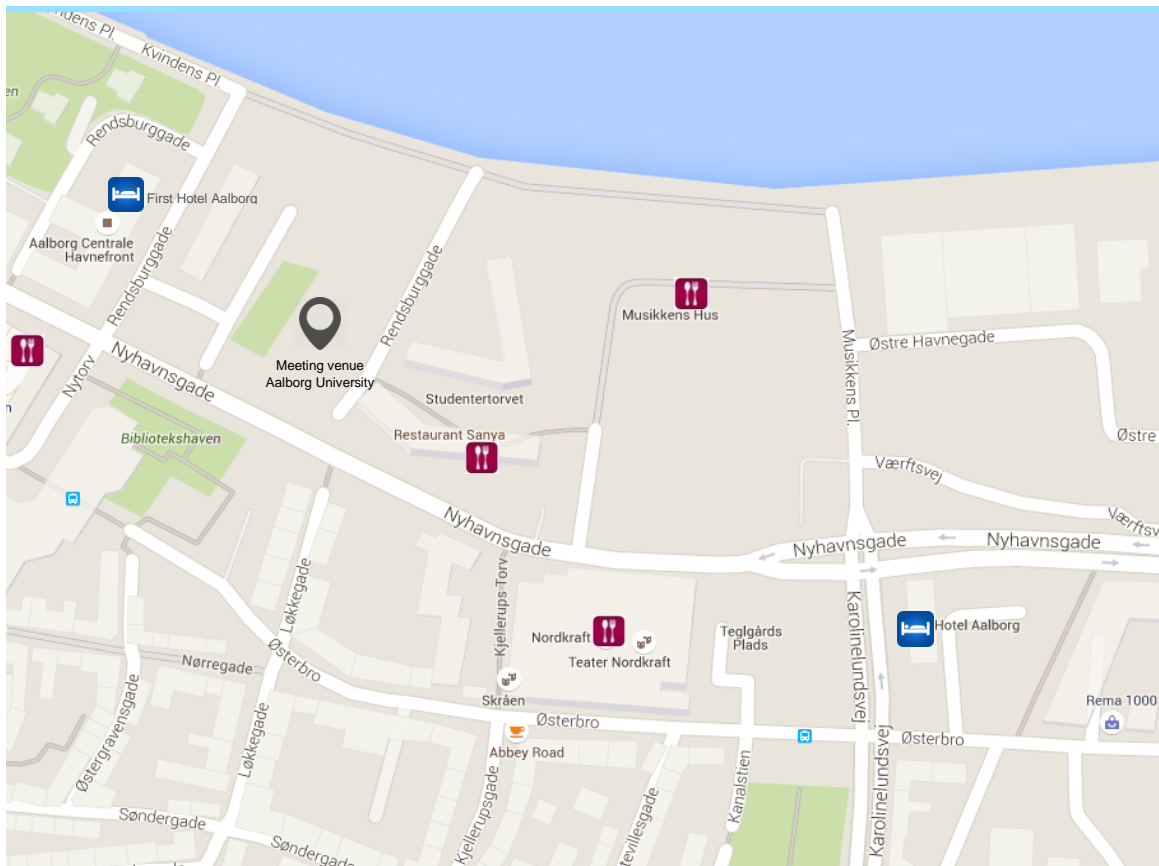
## MEETING VENUE



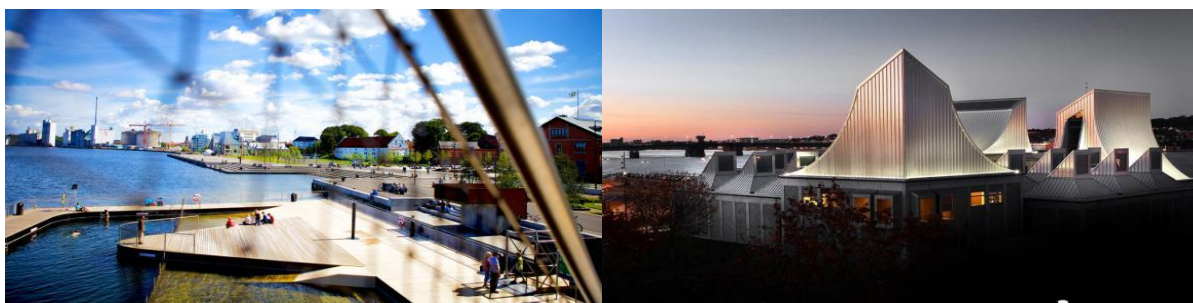
The address for the **COST IC1206 MC meeting & SPLINE2016 Workshop** is:

Aalborg University, Rendsburggade 14, 9000 Aalborg

The below map shows the meeting venue, nearby restaurants and nearby hotels with special negotiated prices. Nearby hotels and restaurants are within 400 meters distance from the meeting venue.



Aalborg has a lot to offer. Not only if you would like to go shopping but also if you would like to take part in Aalborg's many cultural events. At Aalborg's new waterfront, you have the option of having nice food while you follow the life on the Limfjord. Please visit: <http://www.visitaalborg.com/In-int/aalborg/city-life> for more information about Aalborg.



## HOW TO REACH AALBORG

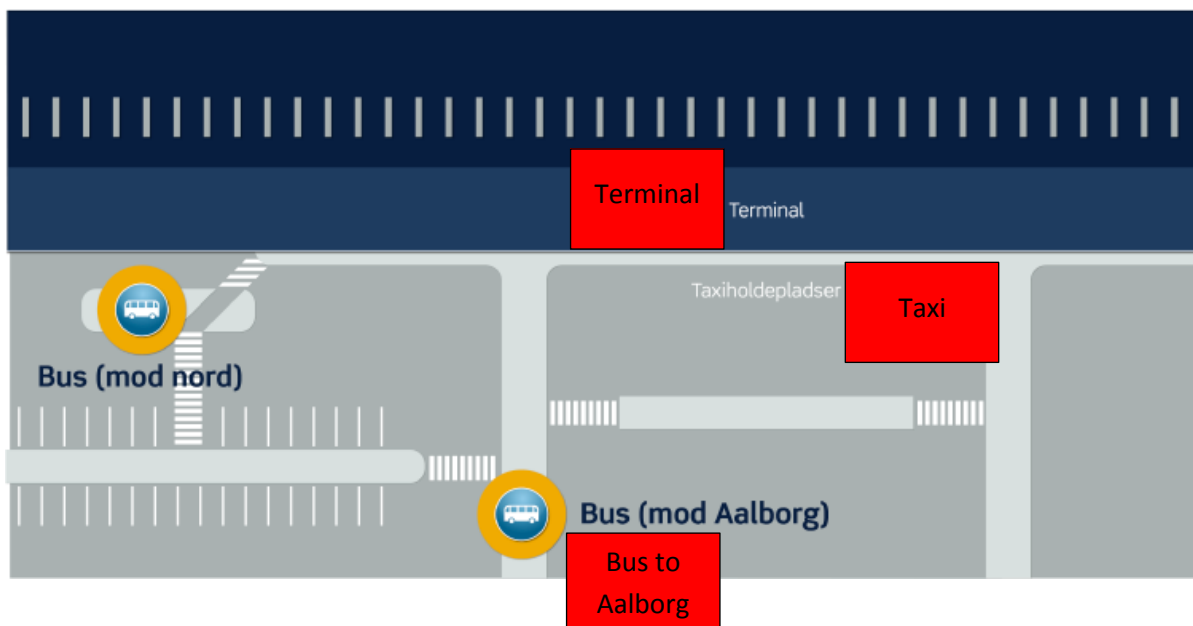
### Flight connections

Aalborg airport offers both domestic and international flight connections. They have more direct routes to all round Europe. Through their web, you will find time schedules and routes to/from Aalborg airport [Read more about the flight connections to and from Aalborg Airport...](#)

### Location

Aalborg airport is situated very close to the city center of Aalborg (6 km) and therefore it is very easy to go from Aalborg airport to the city center of Aalborg by bus or taxi. Bus no. 2 leaves from the airport two times per hour and takes you to the city center. The bus fare is DKK 20 per person, cash only. Price for taxi to the hotels nearby the meeting place is aprox. DKK 200.00.

For bus schedules from/to Aalborg airport to the city center of Aalborg and in the city center in general and to the meeting venue, please visit <http://www.rejseplanen.dk/> to organize your bus ride.



### Taxis

-Taxa Aalborg Taxa +45 9810 1010

-Taxa Vendsyssel +45 9856 5656

### **Currency**

The Danish currency is Danish Kroner (DKK) and 1 EUR is approximately 7.50 DKK

### **Power supply in Denmark**

The electric power supply in Denmark is 230V. Electric plugs have two round pins as shown in the picture below.



Electrical outlets in Denmark use a two-prong plug typical for continental Europe. As Denmark strays from the Scandinavian norm, make sure the adapter you buy is suitable especially for Denmark (some outlets are deeper than European standard.) Look for plug types C, F, or K, they have the correct size of two round prongs. Pls. see photo below.

### **Weather and Climate**

Many jokes are told about the Danish weather. One of them is about a foreign visitor who writes home that there are two seasons in Denmark, a green one and a grey one. The green one is the worst, he writes, because then the Danes turn off the heat!

The truth is, however, that the Danish weather is neither worse nor better than in any other Northern European country. Spring comes in April, and June, July and August are usually the warmest months with temperatures above 22 °C.

## **ACCOMMODATION**

### **First Hotel Aalborg**



Blocks of rooms at specially negotiated rates for COST IC1206 MC Meeting & SPLINE2016 Workshop participants have been set aside at the First Hotel until June 6, 2017.

The First Hotel Aalborg is situated less than 200 meters from the meeting venue on the waterfront:

Address: Rendsburggade 5, 9000 Aalborg, Denmark

Phone: +45 98 10 14 00

E-mail: [Aalborg@firsthotels.dk](mailto:Aalborg@firsthotels.dk)

Ordering at the First Hotel Aalborg at the negotiated price can only be done via mail to the above email or by phone directly to the hotel using the booking code " 6215011". Special rates guaranteed until June 6, 2016. However, "First come, first served" principle.

Single room: DKK 895, breakfast included

## Hotel Aalborg



At the same time blocks of rooms at special rates have been blocked for COST IC1206 MC Meeting & SPLINE2016 Workshop participants at the Hotel Aalborg (Please note the similarity in the names!). The hotel is situated less than 400 meters from the meeting venue.

– <http://hotel-aalborg.com/>

The address is: Østerbro 27

9000 Aalborg

Phone: +45 98 12 19 00

E-mail: [info@hotelaalborg.dk](mailto:info@hotelaalborg.dk)

*Bookings at the Hotel Aalborg should be made directly to the hotel via phone or e-mail using the booking code 'COST IC'. Special rates are guaranteed until June 23, 2016. However, "First come, first served" principle.*

Single room: DKK 600.00, breakfast included

Double room: DKK 700.00, breakfast included

We urge all COST IC1206 MC Meeting & SPLINE2016 Workshop participants to place hotel reservations as soon as possible, since hotel capacity in Aalborg can be rather scarce at this time of year. Once a reservation has been made, the individual participant is economically responsible for any cancellation, no-show etc.

Aalborg has many more hotels which can all be found here: <http://www.visitaalborg.com/ln-int/danmark/hotels/hotels-aalborg>

## Social Event (Tentative)

### Social Event – Evening with the Vikings



A Banquet/Gala Dinner will be offered to all COST IC1206 MC Meeting & SPLINE2016 Workshop participants.

Time: Thursday, July 7 from 19:00 – 22:00

Place: Lindholm Høje Museets Café  
Vendilavej 11  
9400 Nørresundby

Please note, that bus transportation from the workshop venue at 18:30 has been arranged.

## Reimbursement

COST IC1206 active participants need to register through the official COST registration page.

COST IC1206 active participants are either MC Members OR participants at the workshop who are co-authoring as well as presenting a paper or poster at the SPLINE2016 workshop AND are residents in a COST IC1206 participating COST country.

COST IC1206 active participants can get reimbursed. Reimbursement takes places via the COST web pages.

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