

## Bergen Info Sheet

Welcome to Bergen, Norway! Here are some helpful tips for getting around

### Airport

The airport that serves Bergen, called Flesland, is outside of the city and connected by roads (if you prefer a taxi) and light rail (goes between downtown Bergen and the airport terminal).

Taxi. The drive is 20 minutes or so. Taxis in Bergen are quite expensive; you can expect to pay more than 50 Euro for a one-way trip to the city.

Light rail (called the "bybanen"). This is very convenient, and takes about 45 minutes between the airport and the Bergen city. To pay, you download the "Skyss" app on your phone (**Skyss Billett**) and purchase a single ride or a period ticket. This costs 40 kr or ~3.50 € for a single ride. There is also a ticket machine at the train stop at the airport, however, if you plan to take the bus or light rail several times, we recommend the app as ticket machines are sparsely distributed over Bergen.

### Hotel

There are a number of hotels in the city of Bergen. We do not recommend any single one. There is one small hotel near the university that should give you a university rate if you tell them you are in town for a university (University of Bergen or "UiB") event.

**Hotel Park** 1090 NOK single UiB rate (small hotel, with limited availability)

### Workshop Location

The workshop will take place in nice meeting space in the University of Bergen, Law building (Magnus Lagabøtes Plass 1, 5010 Bergen).

The workshop site is about a 10-15 minute walk from many places of interest: Downtown Bergen, the light rail, hotels, restaurants and several tourist attractions.

Picture of meeting building entrance



### Getting around

The city is very walkable. With a pass using the Skyss app on your phone, you can also ride any bus or light rail in the city. It is "honor system," you can buy your ticket on the app and then just hop on and hop off. Security periodically checks that you have an active pass on your phone app.