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Welcome!

In this document, you will find all the practical information you need about the Master's Open Day, such as maps, walking routes and bus connections, parking information, etc. Read this folder carefully and take it with you to the open day. You may bring one person with you, provided you have set the party size on 2 in the registration process.

Click here for the full programme of the Master's Open Day.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

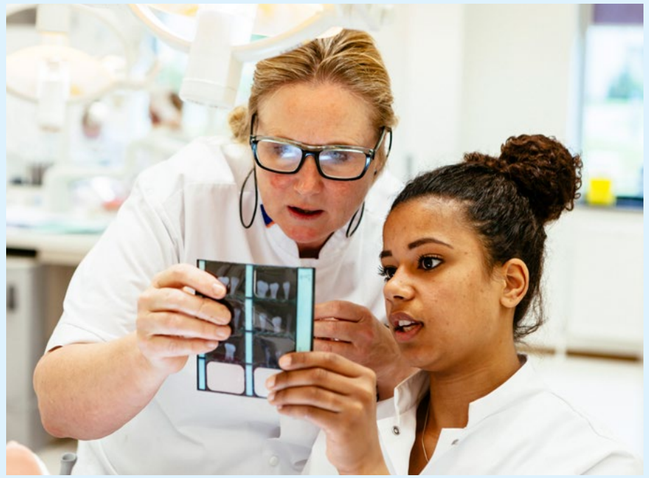
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Locations

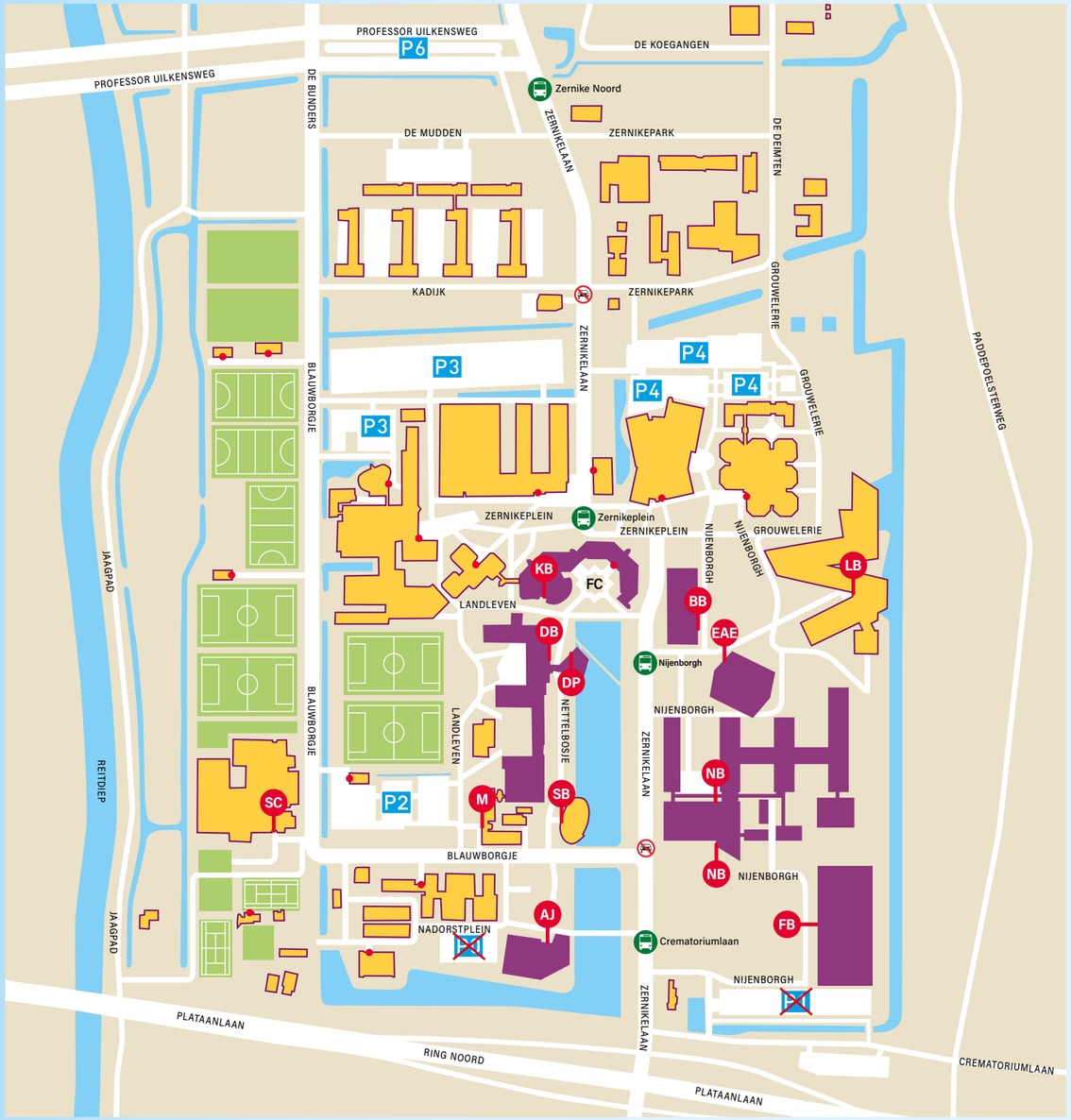
You can find the buildings of the University of Groningen partly in the centre of the city, partly on Zernike Campus in the northwest of the city. From Groningen Central Station (Hoofdstation) you can reach Zernike Campus by bike or by bus in 20 minutes. You can find all Master's Open Day venues on the maps on this page and the next. Please check your confirmation email to see which venue you have to go to.



City centre

1 Academy Building, Broerstraat 5
2 Annex Academy Building, Broerstraat 9
(note: unfortunately, this venue is not accessible for wheelchairs!)
3 Harmony Building, Oude Kijk in 't Jatstraat 26
4 University Library, Broerstraat 4
5 Archaeological Institute, Poststraat 6
6 Röling Building, Oude Boteringestraat 18
7 Faculty of Religion, Culture and Society, Oude Boteringestraat 38
8 Faculty of Philosophy, Oude Boteringestraat 52
(note: entrance at the rear of the building, go through the alley to the right of the building!)
9 Anda Kerkhoven Centre, Antonius Deusinglaan 3
10 Munting Building, garden entrance, next to Nieuwe Kijk in 't Jatstraat 70
11 Bouman Building, Grote Rozenstraat 31
12 Heymans Building, Grote Kruisstraat 2/1

• • • Walking route



Zernike Campus

AJ Aletta Jacobs Hall, Blauwborgje 4
BB Bernoulliborg, Nijenborgh 9
DB Duisenberg Building, Nettelbosje 2
DP Duisenberg Pavilion, entrance opposite Nettelbosje 2
EAE Energy Academy Europe, Nijenborgh 6
FB Feringa Building, Nijenborgh 3
FC Food Court Zernike, Landleven 12
KB Kapteynborg, Landleven 12
LB Linnaeusborg, Nijenborgh 7
M Mercator, Landleven 1
NB Nijenborgh 4
SB Smitsborg, Nettelbosje 1
SC Sports Centre, Blauwborgje 16

Building entrance

Route description by public transport

BY BUS OR TRAIN

Groningen is easily accessible by public transport. From Groningen Central Station (Hoofdstation) you can walk to the locations in the city centre in 10 minutes or take a bus to one of the other venues. Go to www.ns.nl/en or 9292.nl/en to plan your journey.

ON FOOT OR BY BUS FROM THE TRAIN/BUS STATION TO ALL VENUES

On foot
From Groningen Hoofdstation it is a ten-minute walk to the city centre where you will find venues 1 to 8: cross the bridge at the Groninger Museum, and walk straight ahead via Ubbo Emmiusstraat – Folkingestraat – Vismarkt – Stoeldraaierstraat – Oude Kijk in 't Jatstraat – Broerstraat – Oude Boteringestraat.

By bus
Venues 9, 10, 11 and 12 in the city centre and Zernike Campus are further away from the station. Below, you will find all bus connections from Groningen Central Station (Hoofdstation) to these locations.

BUS CONNECTIONS FROM HOOFDSTATION

To the Anda Kerkhoven Centre (venue 9)
Bus 1 or 11 to P+R Reitdiep. *Exit stop:* UMCG Noord.
Bus 3 to Lewenborg. *Exit stop:* UMCG Noord.
Bus 4 to Beijum. *Exit stop:* UMCG Noord.
Bus 10 to Korreweg - Selwerd. *Exit stop:* UMCG Noord.

To the Bouman Building, Heymans Building and Munting Building (venues 10, 11 and 12)
Bus 1 or 11 to P+R Reitdiep. *Exit stop:* Pijpstraat.
Bus 7 to Vinkhuizen. *Exit stop:* Verlengde Visserstraat.
Bus 9 to Paddepoel. *Exit stop:* Verlengde Visserstraat.
Bus 10 to Korreweg - Selwerd. *Exit stop:* Pijpstraat.
Walking route from the bus stops: see map city centre.

To Zernike Campus
Bus 1 to P+R Reitdiep, bus 9 to Paddepoel/Zernike Noord or bus 15 to Zernike Campus.
Exit stop: Aletta Jacobshal (venues AJ, FB and NB) or Nijenborgh (other venues).

Connections between the venues

Look in the left column where you are right now and in the upper row where you want to go. At the intersection of the two you can see how to get there.

	ANDA KERKHOVEN CENTRE	CITY CENTRE (VENUES 1 TO 8)	BOUMAN, HEYMANS AND MUNTING BUILDING	ZERNIKE CAMPUS
ANDA KERKHOVEN CENTRE		Walk or bike	Walk or bike	Bus 1, 2 or 171 to bus stop Aletta Jacobshal or Nijenborgh or bike
CITY CENTRE (VENUES 1 TO 8)	Walk or bike		Walk or bike	Bus 1 to bus stop Aletta Jacobshal or Nijenborgh or bike
BOUMAN, HEYMANS AND MUNTING BUILDING	Walk or bike	Walk or bike		Bus 1 or 171 to bus stop Aletta Jacobshal or Nijenborgh or bike
ZERNIKE CAMPUS	Bus 1, 2 or 171 to bus stop UMCG Noord or bike	Bus 1 to bus stop Sint Jansbrug or bike	Bus 1 or 171 to bus stop Pijpstraat or bike	





Map Circular Road Groningen



By car

Free parking not possible in the city centre!
The centre of Groningen is not very accessible by car and free parking is not possible anywhere. Therefore, preferably choose public transport or come by bike if possible! From Groningen Central Station (Hoofdstation) you can walk to locations 1 to 8 in 10 minutes or take a bus to one of the other venues.
If you still want to come by car, please take your time and use one of the five P+R sites on the edge of the city. For more information, see gemeente.groningen.nl/en/parking.

Park & Rides
Groningen has five Park & Rides. Signs along the entry routes to the inner city direct you to the nearest P+R (see Circular Road Groningen map).

- P+R Kardinge, Kardingerplein, 780 spaces
- P+R Hoogkerk A7, Hoogkerkerplein, 1215 spaces
- P+R Reitdiep, Professor Uilkensweg/corner Friesestraatweg, 300 spaces
- P+R Haren A28, Emmalaan 35 Haren, 825 spaces
- P+R Meerstad, Driebondsweg, 400 spaces

Bus connections from the Park & Rides

P+R Kardinge
Bus 3 to Leek and bus 4 to Roden take you to the Anda Kerkhoven Centre (exit stop UMCG Noord) and the city centre (venues 1-8, exit stop Sint Jansbrug).
Zernike Campus: at bus stop UMCG Noord, change buses to bus 1 to P+R Reitdiep, bus 2 to Zuidhorn or bus 171 to Groningen Zernike (exit stop Nijenborgh for most venues on Zernike Campus, exit stop Aletta Jacobshal for Aletta Jacobs Hall, Feringa Building and Nijenborgh 4).
Bouman Building, Heymans Building and Munting Building: get off at bus stop UMCG Noord and walk via W.A. Scholtenstraat – Turfsingel – Spilsluizen – Lopende Diep to Nieuwe Kijk in 't Jatstraat or Grote Rozenstraat.

P+R Hoogkerk A7
Bus 3 to Lewenborg and bus 4 to Beijum take you to the city centre (venues 1-8, exit stop Sint Jansbrug) and the Anda Kerkhoven Centre (exit stop UMCG Noord).
Zernike Campus: at bus stop Hoofdstation, change buses to bus 1 to P+R Reitdiep, bus 9 to Paddepoel/ Zernike Noord or bus 15 to Zernike Campus (exit stop Nijenborgh for most venues on Zernike Campus, exit stop Aletta Jacobshal for Aletta Jacobs Hall, Feringa Building and Nijenborgh 4).
Bouman Building, Heymans Building and Munting Building: at bus stop Hoofdstation, change buses to bus 1 or 11 to P+R Reitdiep or bus 10 to Korreweg - Selwerd (exit stop Pijpstraat) or to bus 7 to Vinkhuizen or bus 9 to Paddepoel (exit stop Verlengde Visserstraat). Walking route from the bus stops: see map city centre.

P+R Reitdiep
Bus 1 to Hoofdstation and bus 2 to Station Europapark take you to Zernike Campus (exit stop Nijenborgh for most venues on Zernike Campus, exit stop Aletta Jacobshal for Aletta Jacobs Hall, Feringa Building and Nijenborgh 4), the Bouman Building, Munting Building and Heymans Building (exit stop Pijpstraat) and the Anda Kerkhoven Centre (exit stop UMCG Noord). Bus 1 also takes you to the city centre (venues 1-8, exit stop Sint Jansbrug). Bus 11 to Hoofdstation does not stop at Zernike Campus, but will take to the Bouman Building, Heymans Building and Munting Building (exit stop Pijpstraat), the Anda Kerkhoven Centre (exit stop UMCG Noord) and the city centre (venues 1-8, exit stop Sint Jansbrug).

P+R Haren A28
Bus 5 to Meerstad/Harkstede and bus 6 to Delfzijl take you to Groningen Central Station (Hoofdstation). From there, you can reach all venues by foot or by bus (see page 5 of this document).

P+R Meerstad
Bus 5 to Annen takes you directly to Groningen Central Station (Hoofdstation). From there, you can reach all venues by foot or by bus (see page 5 of this document).

Car Parks City Centre

If you do come to the city centre by car, you can best use car park Ossenmarkt for the venues 1-8, the Bouman Building, Heymans Building and Munting Building, and car park Boterdiep (please leave the car park via exit Bloemsingel) for the Anda Kerkhoven Centre. For more information, please check gemeente.groningen.nl/en/parking.

Parking on Zernike Campus

As a visitor to the Master's Open you can only park your car on car parks P2, P3, P4 and P6 (see Zernike Campus map). Parking along the road is not allowed on Zernike Campus.

If you park on P6/Zernike Noord please take bus 1, 9 or 15 to Hoofdstation and get off at bus stop Nijenborgh or Aletta Jacobshal. From P3 and P4 you can reach all venues on Zernike Campus on foot, but make sure you are on time, because it can still be quite a long walk!

The number of parking spaces on Zernike Campus is limited. If there are no places left on P2, P3, P4 and P6, please park at P+R Reitdiep, take bus 1 to Hoofdstation or bus 2 to Station Europapark back to Zernike Campus and get off at bus stop Nijenborgh or Aletta Jacobshal.



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> Any other questions?

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