# Practical Information for the Joint Pilot

# Review and Project Meeting in Turku

# 13-15 February 2018

The Joint Pilot Review and Project Meeting in Turku are approaching faster than we thought! That is why we have prepared a Practical Guidance document for you to ensure that everyone will find the right locations and gets to book their accommodation in advance!

## How to get to Turku

In order to make it a bit easier for you to reach Turku in advance, please take note of this information below!

- **By plane to Turku airport:** you can reach the city centre by bus no.1 (see [timetables](https://www.foli.fi/sites/default/files/Linja%201%2C%20talvi_0.pdf)) arriving to the Market Square bus stop T40 (left corner, opposite of Public Transport Company´s information office ); or by taxi (call +358 2 10041)

**- By plane to Helsinki-Vantaa airport:** from there you can reach Turku using

**• Train (typically 1 change):** check your trip using **VR (Finnish railways) planner** <https://www.vr.fi/cs/vr/en/frontpage>

**• Bus to Turku:** check your trip using <https://www.matkahuolto.fi/en/> (has available options directly from the airport) or <http://www.onnibus.com/en/index.htm> (goes from Helsinki city centre bus station Kamppi)

**• Bus to Helsinki centre:** Local bus 615 to Railway Square, Finnair City Bus to Eliel Square (both near Kamppi), or taxi (call +358 100 0700)

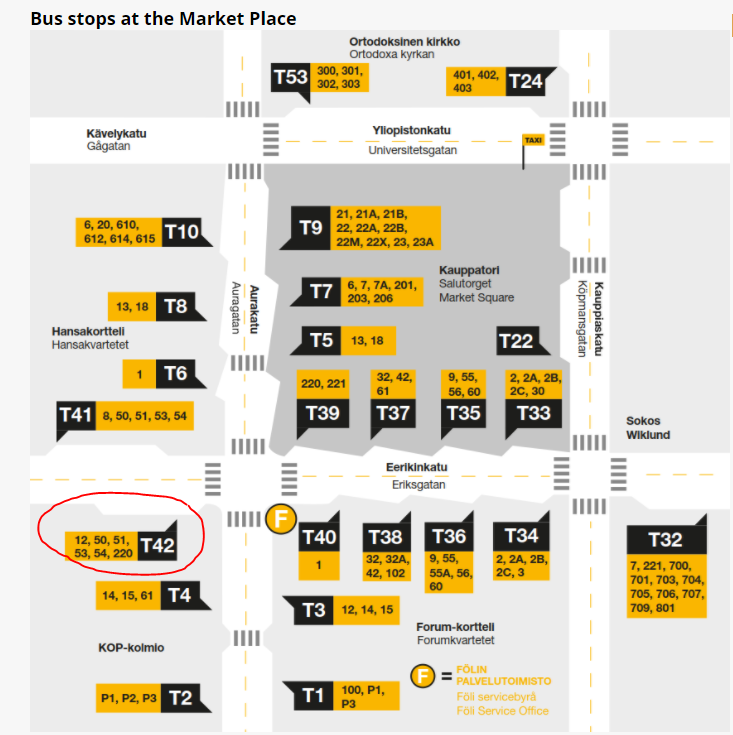
**• By ferry from Stockholm:** you can reach the city centre with the same bus no.1 (see [timetables](https://www.foli.fi/sites/default/files/Linja%201%2C%20talvi_0.pdf)) or taxi (call +358 2 10041)

## Bus tickets

* The price of the single bus ticket is **3 euros** (2 hours valid, also other lengths available, such as 24 h). You can pay by cash directly to the bus driver or using the mobile app

(<https://payiq.net/turku/mobi-en.html>).

* Buses no. 50, 51, 53, 54 and 220 to **Ylioppilaskylä** leave from the stop no. **T42** at the Market Square (Aurakatu 4, Turku). The final stop is located just **in front of the Holiday Club Caribia**. Buses back to the City Centre go from the same stop too. You can see the timetables for all the buses here: <https://www.foli.fi/en/timetables-and-routes/timetables> (note: check out the **buses-on-the- map** feature there to **see where your bus is in real time**)



## Departures from Turku

* **by plane:** you can reach the Turku airport with the same bus n.1 taken from the main square (right outside Hotel Hamburger Börs) or with taxi (+358 2 10041)
* **by plane from Helsinki-Vantaa airport:** you can reach the airport from Turku using
* **train:** from Turku main train station of Kupittaa station (see Map of locations), check your trip with VR (Finnish railways) [planner](https://www.vr.fi/cs/vr/en/frontpage)
* **bus:** **Matkahuolto** buses can be taken from the stop next to Cathedral, **Onnibus** – in front of the city hall or in front of **Holiday Club Caribia**
* **by ferry to Stockholm:** you can reach the harbor with the same bus n.1 or taxi (+358 2 10041)

## Accommodation in Turku

We have received **a group accommodation offer** for three nights 12-15 February 2018 - with the rooms’ quota of 20 rooms - for **the Baltic Urban Lab partners** from the Holiday Club Caribia spa and conference hotel:

**Holiday Club Caribia** (Address: Kongressikuja 1, 20540 Turku, <https://www.holidayclubresorts.com/en/resorts/caribia/> )

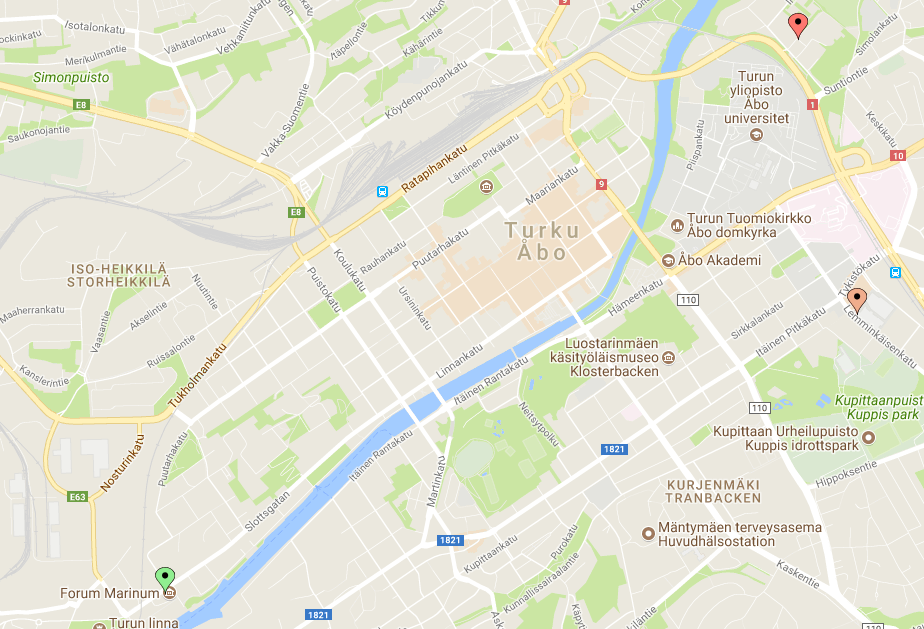
Room rate includes: accommodation, buffet breakfast, free use of sauna, spa and the

fitness centre. *Remember to take your swimsuit!*

**In order to receive a discount price of 98€ (euros) per Single Standard room / 118€ (euros) for a Double Standard room per night (including breakfast),** **partners are expected to make their own bookings to** [hotelsales.caribia@holidayclub.fi](mailto:hotelsales.caribia@holidayclub.fi)  **by 1.02.2018 using the reservation code “Baltic Urban Lab”.**

## Event venues in Turku

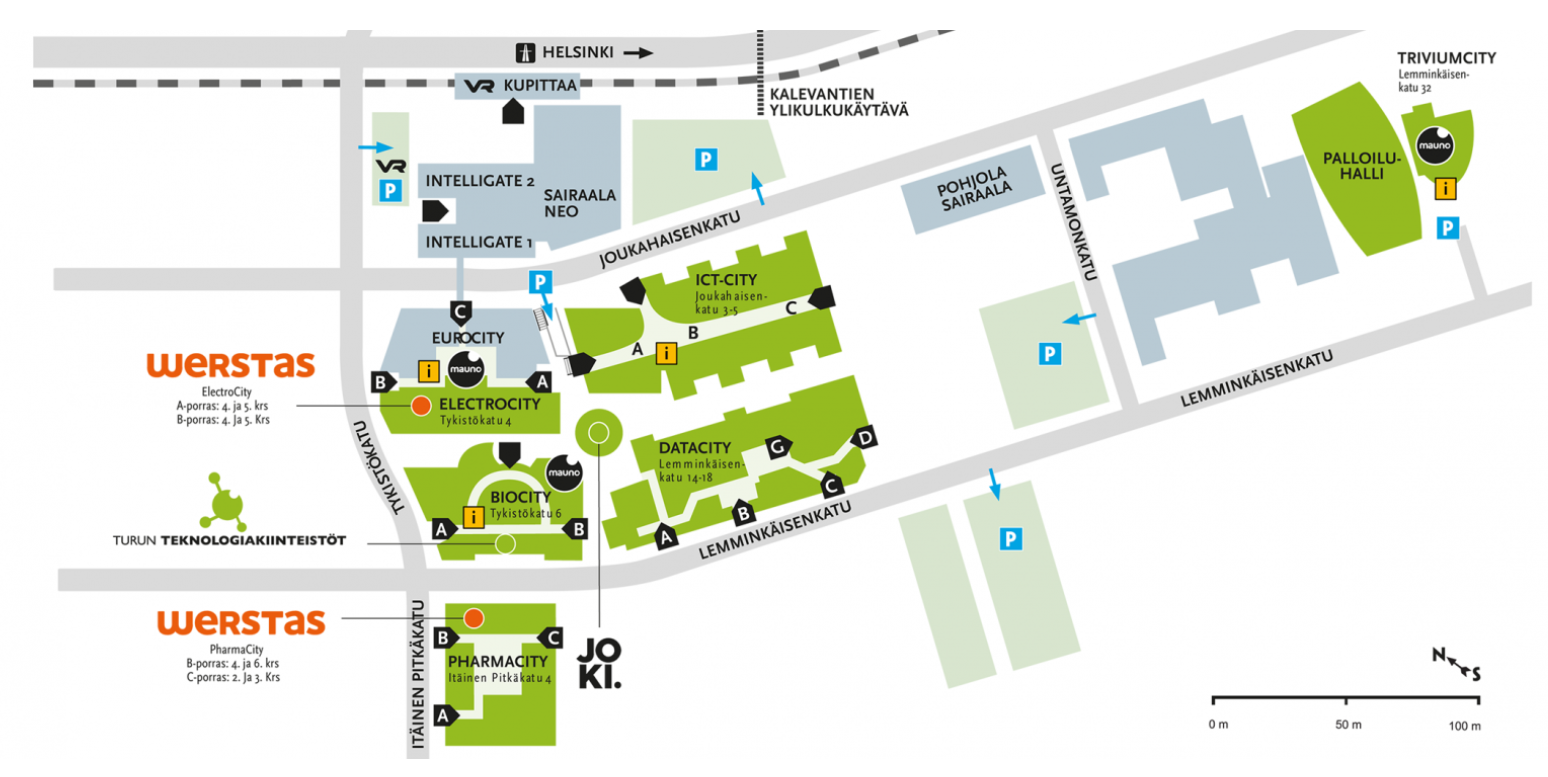
There will be three event venues - **Visitor and Innovation Centre Joki** (orange pinpoint on the map), **Forum Marinum (**green pinpoint on the map) and **Holiday Club Caribia** (red pinpoint on the map). The locations of all the venues can be seen below.



## 13.2.2018 Turku’s Joint Pilot Review

**Event venue:** [**Visitor and Innovation Centre Joki**](https://www.vierailukeskusjoki.fi/en) (Address: Lemminkäisenkatu 12B, 20520 Turku)

Finland’s first regional B2B visitor centre is a diverse and interactive concept for experiences. Its interactive exhibitions offer a great view into the business world and urban development in the Turku region.



## 14.2.2018 Project Meeting Day 1

**Event venue:** [**Forum Marinum**](http://www.forum-marinum.fi/en/) (Address: Linnankatu 72, 20100, Turku), room: Seminaariluokka

**The Forum Marinum Maritime Centre** is a lively and versatile centre for maritime activities, comprising a national special maritime museum, and the Finnish Navy Museum. In addition to being a maritime place of interest, the Forum Marinum is also a venue for meetings and public events.

Getting to **Forum Marinum:**

**On Foot:**

The pedestrian route to the Forum Marinum follows the scenic river path along the banks of the Aura. The distance from the Market Square to the maritime centre is about 2.5 km. The route along the Aura is simple: walk along Läntinen Rantakatu until you arrive at the Suomen Joutsen.

**By public transport:**

Bus n.1 runs between the airport and the harbor. The national bus station is also located along the route. The bus stops at the Market Square and continues towards the harbor. The Forum Marinum bus stop is located shortly before the museum and before the Turku Castle Stop.

## 15.2.2018 Project Meeting Day 2

**Event venue:** [**Holiday Club Caribia**](https://www.holidayclubresorts.com/en/resorts/caribia/conferences/)(Address: Kongressikuja 1, 20540, Turku), room: Linna

Holiday Club Caribia enables smoothly running meetings, whether large conferences or small groups. The spa hotel has facilities for meetings and conferences of up to 1 000 people.

## Registration

Please register your attendance before xx.xx.2018 using the following link:

[**https://www.balticurbanlab.eu/content/turku-joint-pilot-review-and-project-meeting-registration**](https://www.balticurbanlab.eu/content/turku-joint-pilot-review-and-project-meeting-registration)

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