

52nd Seminar Sophus Lie, December, 14-15, Leipzig General Information

1. Conference Venue

The conference will take place in the *Felix-Klein lecture hall* P 501 in the department of mathematics on the fifth floor of the **Paulinum** which is a section of the new main building of the University at the Augustusplatz. See for example

<http://www.math.uni-leipzig.de/cms/en/service/lageplan>

or the enclosed map.

You can enter this building (whose photo you find on the conference poster) from Augustusplatz. It is a 10 minute walk from the central/main railway station (*Hauptbahnhof*) and from the Hotel *Motel One* (5 minutes).

2. Arriving in Leipzig

(a) Arriving at Leipzig/Halle Airport

Local trains (*S-Bahn Mitteldeutschland*) run regularly between Leipzig airport and *Hauptbahnhof Leipzig* (Leipzig central/main railway station) and take 15 minutes. The train station at the airport can be found in the ground floor of the check-in area of the airport. Tickets are available at vending machines at the platforms or at the counter of the railway (*Deutsche Bahn*) in the check-in area (opening hours 7:30 am - 5 pm).

Here you can inform yourself about the train connections:

<https://www.leipzig-halle-airport.de/en/passengers-and-visitors>

There are also various taxi services which offer airport shuttles. A ride to the city center with a taxi will cost between 35 and 40 €. To those to whom we reimburse the travel expenses: Please note that we are not able to reimburse the taxi fare.

(b) Arriving by train

Hauptbahnhof Leipzig (Leipzig central/main railway station) is located right in the city centre. The conference venue can be reached within 10 minutes walk.

3. Motel One Leipzig-Augustusplatz

Address: Ritterstraße 4, D-04109 Leipzig, Tel.: ++49(0)341 25 27 980

Leaving the central railway station through the east entrance in direction of the city you follow *Ritterstraße* until you reach the hotel.

<http://www.motel-one.com/en/hotels/leipzig/>

4. Talks

For a *talk* we reserved 60 minutes, please plan approximately 50 minutes for your talk and 10 minutes for discussions.

In the lecture hall there is a large black board and a beamer. which can be used simultaneously. With beamer, you can either use your own notebook (in the case you use *mac* please bring the adapter) or simply give us the file on a memory stick.

5. Internet connection

If you bring your notebook you can connect via EDUROAM.

6. Mensa, Restaurants

You can use the Mensa (canteen/cafeteria) of the university as a guest. Please note that there is only one cashier in the canteen, where you can pay in cash (the students pay with their student's card). It is the second cashier from the window.

Since the university is in the city center there are plenty of cafes and restaurants nearby and there is the christmas market.

7. Guest agreement for Speakers

We ask the invited speakers to sign a *guest agreement*. Please pay the bill in the hotel. You will be reimbursed later.

For the form which you then have to sign in Leipzig we need the following information:

- Home address, main occupation
- address of the employer
- bank account information (IBAN/BIC) or SWIFT-code

For the refund of travel expenses we need *original* receipts (i.e. a proof of payment with the sum and currency.)

8. Conference dinner, Thursday, December 14, 7 pm

Conference dinner at *Alte Nikolaischule*, Nikolaikirchhof 2 (À la carte dinner on the basis of individual payment).

<http://www.gasthaus-alte-nikolaischule.de>

9. Paulinum Aula/Universitätskirche

The Paulinum (university church) was opened on December, 1, 2017. It is remarkable building worth a visit. It should remember the old university church, which was destroyed 1968.

The university church is part of the building called *Paulinum* in which also the conference takes place.

One can visit the university church:

Tuesday - Friday, 11 am – 3 pm

<https://www.campus-augustusplatz.de/paulinum>

On

Wednesday, December, 13, 6 pm– 6:30 pm

the **Universitätsvesper** (prayer, organ music) takes place in the university church:

<https://gottesdienst.theol.uni-leipzig.de/universitaetsvesper>

10. Exhibition

There is a small exhibition about the history of the university church and building called **Transformationen – Von der Universitätskirche zum Paulinum**, Galerie im Neuen Augusteum, Opening hour: tuesday-friday, 11 am – 6 pm:

<https://www.uni-leipzig.de/kustodie/ausstellungen-und-veranstaltungen/aktuelle-ausstellungen.html>

11. Panorama Tower Leipzig

There is a viewing platform at the panorama tower next to the university building. The entrance fee is 3 €.

12. Telephone numbers

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Figure 1: Map of the conference venue and the hotel