

# Rare Disease Week 2023

## Practical Information

### Venue / Hotel

#### Thon Hotel EU

Rue de la Loi 75, 1040 Brussels  
<https://www.thonhotels.com/our-hotels/belgium/brussels/thon-hotel-eu/>

**Subway stop:** Maelbeek (L1+L5)

**Train station:** Luxembourg (10min walk) or Schuman (4min walk)

**Check-in:** from 14:00 – 23:30

**Check-out:** from 08:00 – 12:00



**Breakfast buffet:** Monday – Friday 06:30 – 10:00  
Saturday – Sunday 06:30 – 12:00

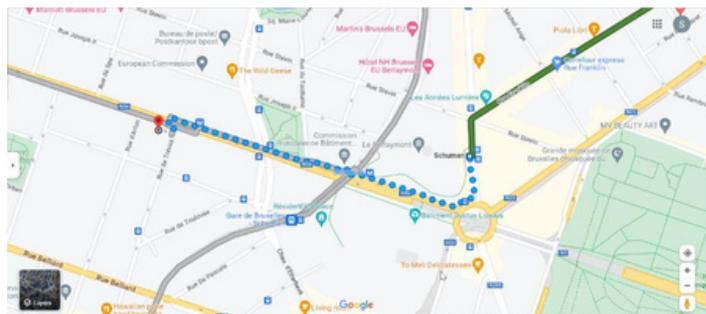
### Your way...

#### ... from Brussels Airport to the hotel

#### By bus:

(40min)

Take the **bus 12** (direction Brussels City (Trone)) to Schuman.



The hotel is a 6-minute walk away.

### By train and metro:

(26 min)

Take the **train IC** direction Dinant to Brussels Schuman and then walk (5min) to the hotel.

### OR

Take the train IC direction Oostende to Brussels Centraal.

Here change to metro L1 or L5 direction Stockel or Herman-Debroux to Maalbeek.

The hotel is a 2-minute walk.



### By taxi:

The hotel is a 25 minute drive by taxi. You can find a taxi service with [Taxis Verts](#).

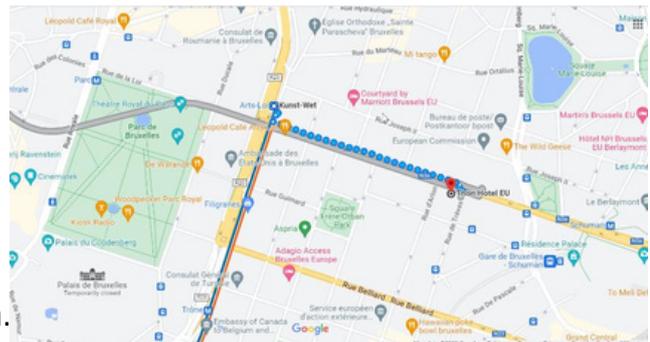
Price between 40-50 euros.

### From Gare Du Midi station to the hotel:

#### By metro: (15 mins)

Take the direct metro L2 or L6 (Elisabeth) to Arts-Loi (Kunst-Wet).

The hotel is a 8-minute walk from the station.



## Role Play Game and Parliamentarium visit

### Parliamentarium

Place du Luxembourg 100, 1050 Brussels

Both the [Role Play Game](#) and the [Parlamentarium](#) visit are at the same place.

**EURORDIS** team will guide between the hotel and the Parliamentarium.



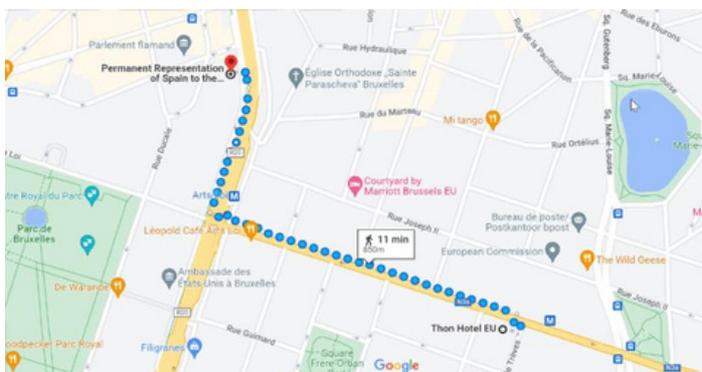
## Meeting with the Spanish Permanent Representation

**Spanish Permanent Representation**  
Boulevard du Régent 52, 1000  
Brussels

11 min walk from the hotel.

**OR** at **Thon Hotel EU**

*Location tbc*



## Meeting point to enter the European Parliament (meeting with MEPs, EURORDIS Conference on OMP and Hemicycle)

**European Parliament**  
Rue Wiertz 60, 1050 Brussels

The meeting point will be at the stairs.



## Meeting point for Bus Tour

**Station Europe**  
Place du Luxembourg, 1050  
Brussels



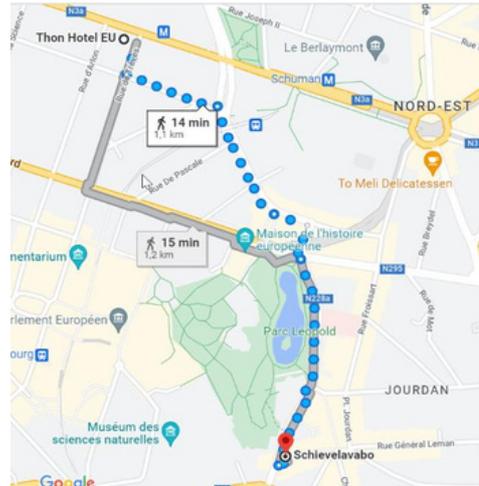
## Closing Dinner

### Schievelavabo

Chaussée de Wavre 344, 1040 Brussels

The restaurant is a 15min walk from the hotel.

Or a 10min bus ride from the hotel. You will have to take the bus n°59 from Maalbeek direction Hôpital Etterbeek-Ixelles and stop at Jourdan.



## Accessibility

### Information on general accessibility in Brussels:

- <https://handy.brussels/en/>

### At Brussels Airport :

- [Airport assistance service](#). Please book in advance.
- [Taxis Verts](#): Taxis Verts is a taxi service with adapted taxis. If possible, book your taxi 24 hours in advance.

### On the metro:

- Accessible carriages are usually situated at the front of the train.
- Most stations on the metro network in Brussels are accessible, however there are some that do not have direct lift access to platforms.
- You can find here [more information on metro accessibility](#) as well as a [map of the metro](#) showing metro stations with lift access.

### Bus network:

- Public buses in Brussels are wheelchair accessible. You can find [more information on bus accessibility](#) here.

## Further Information

**Emergency Numbers and Information:** All emergencies: 112

Information about after-hour pharmacies: +32 903 99 000

## Pharmacies and Emergency Ward:

Emergency Ward  
Clinique Saint Michel  
Rue Charles Degroux 80,  
1040 Brussels  
+3226143000

Pharmacy  
*Pharmacie Be-Pharma*  
Chaussée d'Etterbeek 55,  
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No phone number

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# Overview of places where events will take place

