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Travel Guide



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1. How to reach Stuttgart

There are different ways to reach Stuttgart from abroad: **a)** by plane, **b)** by train and **c)** by bus.

1.1 Stuttgart Airport

[Stuttgart Airport](#) is situated 13 km south of Stuttgart. Flights to Stuttgart are available from:

Airline	Destinations
Aegean Airlines	Athens
Aer Lingus	Dublin
Aeroflot	Moscow-Sheremetyevo
Air France	Paris-Charles de Gaulle
Austrian Airlines	Graz, Vienna
Blue Air	Bucharest, Turin
British Airways	London-Heathrow
Condor	Zakynthos
Delta Air Lines	Atlanta
easyJet	Berlin-Tegel, Edinburgh, London-Gatwick, Milan-Malpensa, Porto, Venice
Eurowings	Amsterdam, Athens, Barcelona, Bari, Berlin-Tegel, Brindisi, Brussels, Budapest, Catania, Düsseldorf, Faro, Hamburg, Hannover, Lisbon, London-Heathrow, Málaga, Milan-Malpensa, Naples, Nice, Palermo, Pisa, Rome-Fiumicino, Valencia, Venice, Vienna, Zakynthos
Finnair	Helsinki
Iberia Express	Madrid
KLM	Amsterdam
Laudamotion	Bergamo, Bologna, Budapest, Copenhagen, Gothenburg, Málaga, Marseille, Naples, Nice, Treviso, Verona
LOT Polish Airlines	Warsaw-Chopin
Lufthansa	Frankfurt, Munich
Onur Air	Istanbul-Atatürk
Pegasus Airlines	Istanbul-Sabiha Gökçen



Ryanair	Dublin, Manchester
Scandinavian Airlines	Copenhagen, Stockholm-Arlanda
Sun d'Or	Tel Aviv-Ben Gurion
Swiss International Air Lines	Zürich
TAP Air Portugal	Lisbon
TUI fly Deutschland	Brindisi, Patras
Turkish Airlines	Istanbul-Atatürk, Istanbul-Sabiha Gökçen
Twin Jet	Lyon
Vueling	Barcelona

From the airport, you can take S-Bahn lines S2 or S3 from train station *Stuttgart Flughafen/Messe* to the Stuttgart main railway station (*Stuttgart Hauptbahnhof*) and DLR Stuttgart and the hotels (station *Universität* for DLR Stuttgart and Campus.guest hotel, station *Vaihingen* for the other hotels). This journey will take around 30 minutes to the main railway station and 17 minutes to Universität ([S-Bahn Stuttgart](#) website only in German). [S2](#) and [S3](#) run between 5:00 and 1:20 Monday-Friday, every 30 minutes; different times on Saturdays and Sundays, check the timetables for each line.

You can also take a taxi from the airport to your hotel. Taxis will be available at the Airport Terminal.

From DLR Augsburg, you can also get to Munich Airport, which offers many flight options. It is rather complicated to get there and will take around 2.5 hours. From DLR Augsburg, walk to the station Augsburg Messe (around 2 km walk), then take the commuter train to Augsburg Hauptbahnhof, and from there a train to München-Pasing, where you can change into the S1 S-Bahn train going to München Flughafen Terminal.

1.2 Reaching Stuttgart by train

You can reach Stuttgart by train via *Stuttgart Hauptbahnhof*, from where you can take S-Bahn lines S1, S2 and S3 to *Universität* (for DLR Stuttgart and Campus.guest hotel, 10 minutes) and *Vaihingen* (for other hotels, 15 minutes). To and from *Stuttgart Hauptbahnhof*, you can take high-speed trains (German ICE or French TGV) to Augsburg, Berlin, Cologne, Dortmund, Frankfurt, Frankfurt Airport, Hamburg, Hannover, Karlsruhe, Leipzig, Mannheim, Munich, Paris Est, Strasbourg and Ulm. Slightly slower InterCity (IC) and RailJet (RJ) trains are available to/from Augsburg, Berlin, Budapest, Cologne, Dortmund, Frankfurt, Hamburg, Hannover, Heidelberg, Innsbruck, Karlsruhe, Leipzig, Mannheim, Munich, Nuremberg,



Salzburg, Ulm, Vienna and Zürich. Commuter train services run to nearby cities, including for example Heidelberg, Karlsruhe, Nuremburg and Ulm.

A FlixTrain route goes from Berlin via Hannover, Kassel, Frankfurt and Heidelberg to Stuttgart.

For tickets, check the German state train company [Deutsche Bahn](#) or [FlixTrain](#).

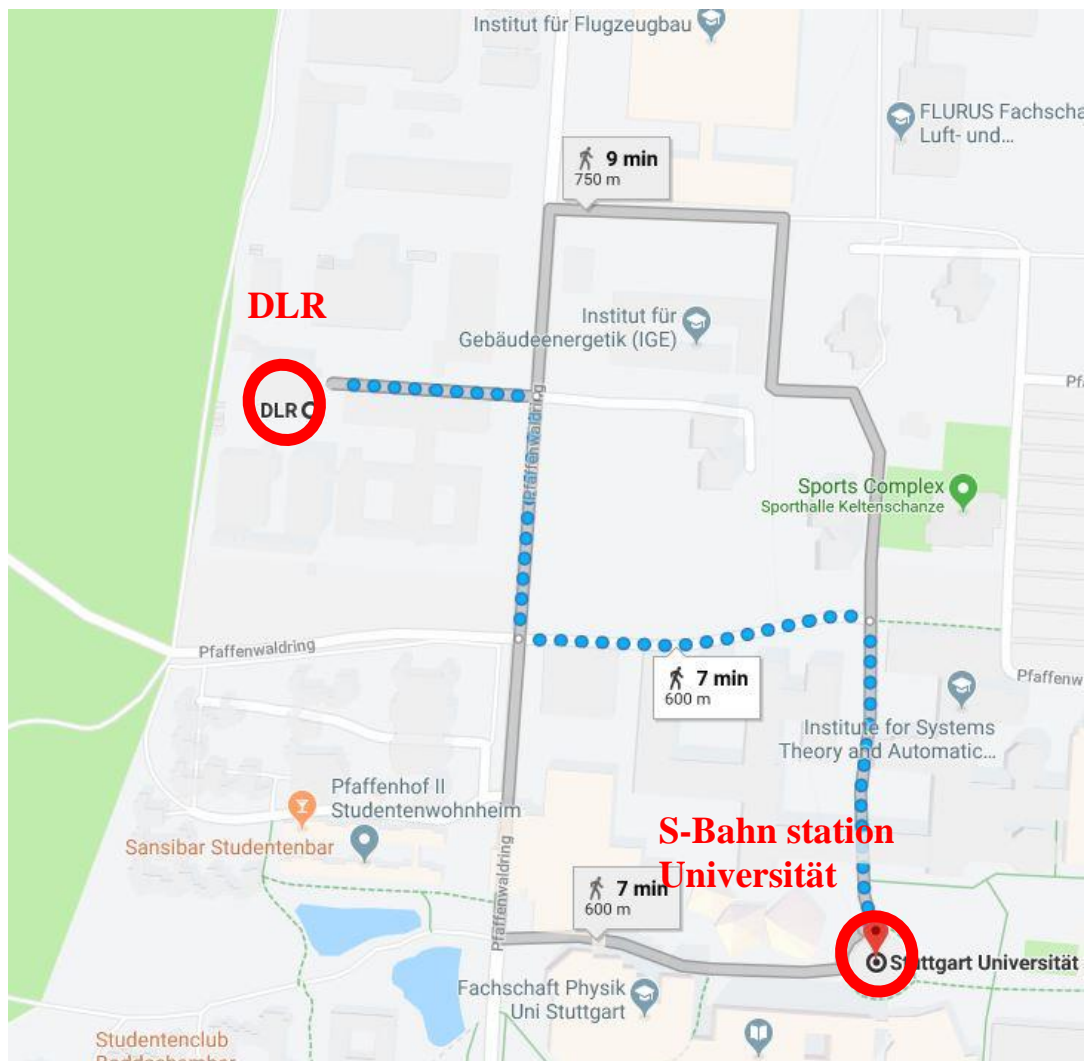
1.3 Reaching Stuttgart by bus

Long-distance buses arrive at the [Stuttgart Airport Busterminal](#) (Check [Section 1.1](#) for reaching Stuttgart from Stuttgart Airport). [International and national destinations](#) can be reached by bus from Stuttgart, including Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Hungary, Italy, Kosovo, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine and London, or in Germany: Augsburg, Berlin, Cologne, Dortmund, Frankfurt, Freiburg, Hamburg, Heidelberg, Karlsruhe, Mannheim, Munich, Nuremburg and Ulm.

2. Meeting venues

The 3rd ICONIC Summer School part on 11-13th June 2019 will be held at the [DLR Stuttgart](#) site (Pfaffenwaldring 38-40, 70569 Stuttgart), while 14th June 2019 will be spent at [DLR's Center for Lightweight Production Technology](#) in Augsburg (Am Technologiezentrum 4, 86159 Augsburg).

2.1 DLR Stuttgart

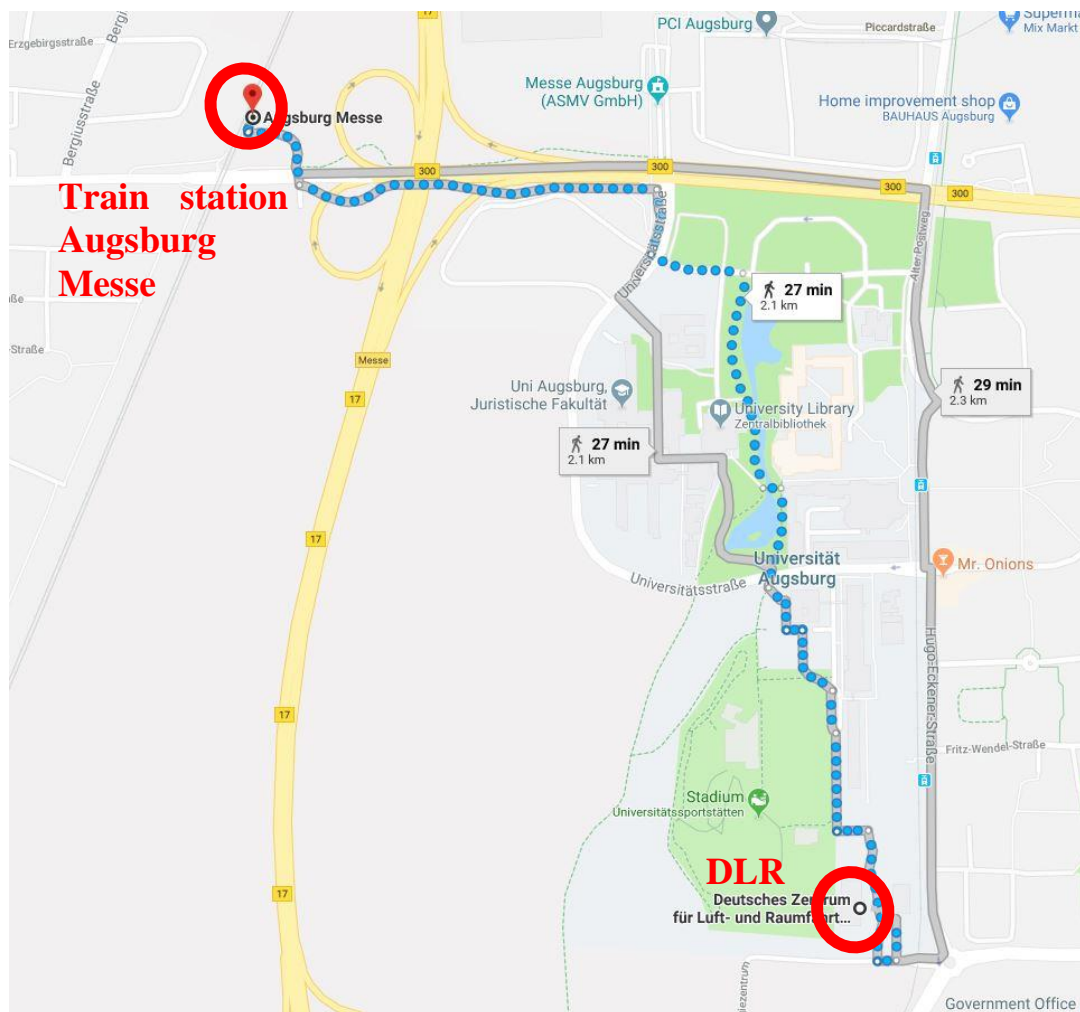


Map of the University of Stuttgart campus, with the location of DLR Stuttgart and S-Bahn station Universität marked with red circles.

DLR Stuttgart is located on the campus of the University of Stuttgart, and is around 7 min walk from the S-Bahn station Universität (with S-Bahn trains from the main railway station and Stuttgart Airport - See information how to find DLR Stuttgart [here](#))

2.2 DLR Augsburg

14th June 2019 will be spent at the DLR site in Augsburg. While transportation to and from DLR Augsburg will be arranged via a chartered bus from DLR Stuttgart, some people might be interested to go to Augsburg city centre, Munich or Munich Airport afterwards. For all three, you first have to get to *Augsburg Hauptbahnhof* (main railway station). To reach the main station, you have to take a commuter train to the north from train station *Augsburg Messe*, around 27 min (or 2.1 km) walk from DLR Augsburg.



Map of the University of Augsburg campus, with the location of DLR Augsburg and train station Augsburg Messe marked with red circles.



3. Hotel accommodation

There are a number of hotels and hostels in close proximity to DLR Stuttgart. Find below three suggestions for hotels.

3.1 Campus.guest

Address: Universitätsstrasse 34, 70569 Stuttgart-Vaihingen

Telephone: +49 (0)711 / 97 464 2333

Email: reservierung@campus-guest.de

Website: <https://www.campus-guest.de/en/>

This modern hotel is located on the campus of the University of Stuttgart, very close to DLR Stuttgart and S-Bahn station *Universität*.

25 single rooms can be booked at a reduced rate of €79.00 per night for any time period between 10th June 2019 and 15th June 2019, via email to reservierung@campus-guest.de and using code word “ICONIC Summer School”. Garage space will be charged with €3.00 per night per car. Check-in time will be from 16:00 and check-out time until 11:00. Reception is open 24 hours.

3.2 Pullman Stuttgart Fontana Hotel

Address: Vollmoellerstrasse 5, 70563 Stuttgart-Vaihingen

Telephone: +49 (0)711 7300

Email: h5425@accor.com

Website: <https://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-5425-pullman-stuttgart-fontana/index.shtml#origin=accorhotels>

This 4-star hotel is located close to S-Bahn station *Vaihingen*, which is around 5 minute S-Bahn ride from station *Universität* where DLR Stuttgart is located. Travel time from the hotel to DLR Stuttgart will be around 20 min. The hotel offers different room types, starting from €100 per night (not including breakfast) and €113 per night (including breakfast), single occupancy.



3.3 Motel One Stuttgart-Hauptbahnhof

Address: Lautenschlagerstraße 14, 70173 Stuttgart

Telephone: +49 (0)711 300 2090

Email: stuttgart-hauptbahnhof@motel-one.com

Website: <https://www.motel-one.com/en/hotels/stuttgart/hotel-stuttgart-hauptbahnhof/>

This simple modern hotel is in Stuttgart city centre, in close proximity of Stuttgart's main railway station, *Stuttgart Hauptbahnhof*, from where S-Bahn lines S1, S2 and S3 go to station *Universität* for DLR Stuttgart in around 10 min. The hotel offers king and queen rooms, starting from €79 per night (not including breakfast) and €85 per night (including breakfast), single occupancy.



4. Visa information

All attendees must ensure that they have obtained any visa that may be required to visit Germany **before** travelling. Information on visa requirements can be found at <https://www.germany-visa.org/schengen-visa/>. Further information is available from your local German Embassy or Consulate.

Please inform the ICONIC Project Manager Dr. Tommaso Scalici (t.scalici@qub.ac.uk) if you require visa support letters for the German visitor visa application latest one month prior to your planned visa application date.

5. Google MyMap for locations

You can find a [Google MyMap](#) that shows all important locations for the 3rd ICONIC Summer School, including all transportation hubs (airports, train and bus stations), hotels, meeting venues and restaurants. This map will be continuously updated until the start of the events.

6. What to do in Stuttgart

Stuttgart is the capital of Baden-Württemberg Land (state). Surrounded by one of Germany's largest wine-growing regions, Stuttgart beckons cultural junkies with its acclaimed ballet, opera and philharmonic.

Major sights in Stuttgart include:

- **Staatsgalerie:** An excellent museum with an unique collection artworks set within a Neoclassical building ([Link](#)).
- **Mercedes-Benz Museum:** a curved metallic building is a journey back to the birth of the automobile ([Link](#)).



1. The Mercedes-Benz Museum

- **Wilhelma Zoological-Botanical Garden:**
Containing more than 1000, species it is exceeded only by the Berlin Zoo ([Link](#))
- **Schlossplatz:** It is the largest square in the heart of Stuttgart and home the facade of classical seat of the kings of Württemberg ([Link](#)).



2. Würtemberg Mausoleum

- **Württemberg Mausoleum:** in the east of Stuttgart, it a royal memorial standing over rows of vines above the Neckar Valley ([Link](#)).
- **Markthalle:** The city central market hall of Stuttgart ([Link](#)).