



Closing Meeting

Berlin | 12-13 April 2024

Venue: Barbara-McClintock-Straße 4, 12489 Berlin



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AGENDA

12 April 2024

10:00 - 10:15 | Welcome words

Pieter-Jan Guns, Coordinator

10:15 - 12:15 | ESRs career perspectives

(~8 min each)

12:30 - 14:00 (Group photo) and Lunch break

I DUE AMICI

14:00 - 15:00 | Visit to TSE System facilities

15:00 - 16:00 | Network's reflections

18:30 Consortium dinner

RESTAURANT NOLLE

[MS Teams link](#) to join on 12 April (agenda in CET Time)

(ID: 243 841 986 106 | Code: JtKS2R)

13 April 2024

11:30 - 13:30 | Consortium Brunch

STÄNDIGE VERTRETUNG (StäV)

14:00 - 16:30 | Treasure Hunt

Groups of 5 people

16:30 | Farewell Happy Hour

BIERMEISTEREI BY LEMKE

BRIEF GUIDELINES

ESR presentations

ESRs are expected to prepare a 6-min presentation including the following items:

1) Scientific impact? Pitch your key result(s) supported by 1 or 2 scientific graphs or diagrams (*i.e. what are you proud of?*)

2) What's next? Provide an overview of unfinalized tasks (prior to your PhD defense) and further career outlook.

3)What was the best? Share your best personal INSPIRE moment or anecdote. Try to be original (a picture may be helpful).

The slides should be sent to info.inspire@uantwerpen.be **no later than 10 April.**

Small task for supervisors

The Supervisors and the Coordinator Team are also invited to share their best personal INSPIRE moment or anecdote along with a supporting image.

VENUE

TSE Systems | Trusted expert in metabolic, behavioral, physiological, and inhalation research

Location: Barbara-McClintock-Straße 4, 12489 Berlin

TSE Systems is a leading specialist in metabolic, behavioral, physiological, and inhalation research through its technologies and integrations. TSE Systems develops multidisciplinary tools making it able to understand science from all perspectives. The company's motto is Better Life. Better Data. It's That Simple.



Top researchers and key opinion leaders worldwide contribute to achieving TSE System's main goal: providing the most advanced equipment for disease research and drug development by designing, building, and customizing translational tools that can solve preclinical challenges such as Time (testing in home cage), Stress (anxiety induced by handling), BIAS (solved through automation), Reproducibility (increased translational value) and Animal Welfare (saving animals, manpower, space, and costs).



SE System's sensor technologies and integrations quantify Energy Expenditure, Locomotion, Respirometry, Brown Adipose Tissue, Memory, Gut-Brain, Circadian Rhythm, Isotope Tracing, Exercise, Food/Drink intake, and more.

Additionally, TSE Systems offer multi-functional TTL signals to control laser generators for Optogenetics or Fiber Photometry setups, counterbalance arms for all cage sizes for optogenetics experiments, trigger video generation, infusion studies compatible with calorimetry, integrations with 3rd party equipment, special lids for handling of wired animals and compatibility with climate chambers.

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

CONSORTIUM LUNCH | 12 APR, 12:30 CET

I DUE AMICI

Rudower Ch 24, 12489 Berlin

We will enjoy a group lunch with excellent Italian food. [Discover more.](#)



CONSORTIUM DINNER | 12 APR, 18:30 CET

NOLLE RESTAURANT

Georgenstraße, S-Bahnbogen
203, 10117 Berlin

For lovers of fine and traditional
Berlinese food. [Discover more.](#)



CONSORTIUM LUNCH | 13 APR, 11:30 CET

STÄNDIGE VERTRETUNG

Schiffbauerdamm 8,
10117 Berlin

We will enjoy a group lunch at
this first and original Stäv in
Berlin. [Discover more.](#)



SOCIAL PROGRAMME

TREASURE HUNT | 13 APR, 14:00 CET

MEETING POINT: Alexanderplatz,
in front of Neptunbrunnen

We will embark on an extraordinary adventure beyond the typical tourist experience with this interactive **Treasure Hunt** in Berlin. This activity combines historical legends and stories, guiding participants through enchanting streets and captivating locales.



Organized in teams of 5 people each, we will engage in problem-solving challenges to showcase our teamwork skills, creativity, orientation, and time management. The Treasure Hunt foresees 3 phases: **(1)** a brief introduction, team formation, and kit distribution; **(2)** a thrilling two-hour treasure hunt through the old town's historic and hidden gems; and **(3)** a lively wrap-up and award ceremony at the closing point to get ready for our INSPIRE Happy Hour.

We look very much forward to counting on your participation in this immersive experience, which promises not only cultural discovery but also a memorable celebration of teamwork.

CLOSING HAPPY HOUR | 13 APR, 16:30 CET

BIERMEISTEREI BY LEMKE

Karl-Liebknecht-Str. 13, 10178 Berlin



TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION

ACCOMMODATION

Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof

Location: Rudower Ch 14, 12489 Berlin

We are pleased to inform you that INSPIRE has secured a group reservation at the **Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof**, which will allow all participants to enjoy a stay of **up to 3 days in a single room with breakfast included (11-14 April)**.

This Airporthotel is situated 8 minutes away from the venue by Tram (also accessible by a 15-minute walk) and 30 minutes from the city center on public transportation.

When you arrive at the hotel, please mention in the reception that you are a member of the INSPIRE Group.



TRAVEL

Participants are invited to book their travel to Berlin via **UNIGLOVE TAGO TRAVEL** by contacting our travel consultant Ms. Joëlle Borremans (ua@uniglobetagotravel.be) and following the instructions below **before 30 DECEMBER**.

- Sent an email with the subject: INSPIRE Closing Meeting
- In CC: info.inspire@uantwerpen.be
- In the email content, please mention the following:
 1. Origin of departure.
 2. Date of departure and desired time.
 3. Date of return and desired time.

Off note! Please note that the travel policy of the University of Antwerp applies, which does not allow air travel for journeys that can be completed within a 8-hour train ride.

FINDING YOUR WAY

From train station Berlin Hbf to Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof

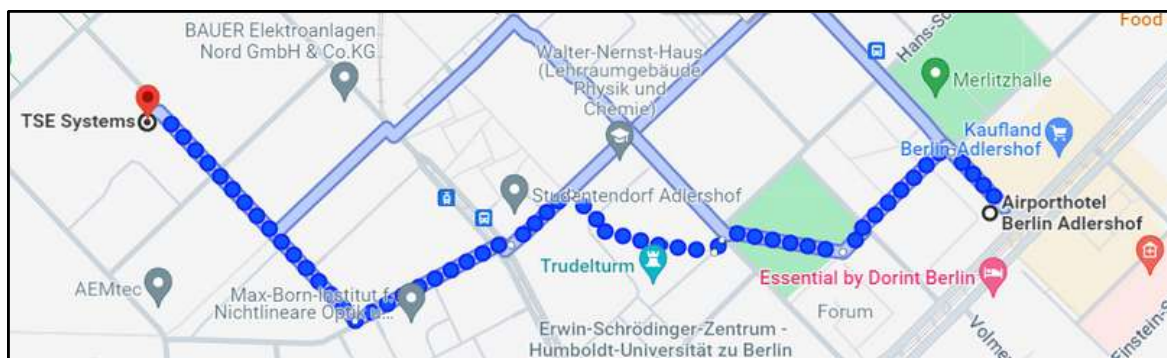
At Berlin Central Station (Hauptbahnhof), take the train **Line S9 direction to Hauptbahnhof** and stop at **Adlershof** (~32-min ride, 12 stops). From Adlershof, you have an 8-minute walk to Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof. A map of the Berlin Railway Lines is [HERE](#). **We highly recommend the purchase of a 24h Ticket, zone AB (Fare: €9,90) - [more info](#).**

From Airport BERLIN to Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof

From Berlin Airport (BER), take the train **Line S9 direction to Spandau** or **Line S45 direction to Südkreuz** and stop at **Adlershof** (~17-min ride, 5 stops). From Adlershof, you have an 8-minute walk to Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof. A map of the Berlin Railway Lines is [HERE](#). **We highly recommend the purchase of a 24h Ticket, zone ABC (Fare: €11,40) - [more info](#).**

From Airporthotel Berlin-Adlershof to TSE Systems

From the hotel, you can get to the venue either on foot (a 15-min walk) or by tram.



To go by tram, take **Line 61 direction to Schöneweide** or **Line 63 direction to Landschaftspark Johannistha** and stop at **Karl-Ziegler-Str** (5-min journey, 3 stops). After, you will need to walk 5 minutes to reach TSE Systems, located at **Barbara-McClintock-Straße 4, 12489 Berlin**. Maps of Metro and Tram routes are [HERE](#).



**WE LOOK FORWARD
TO AN UNFORGETTABLE
CLOSING EVENT
IN BERLIN!**