Conference Directions

MOBIS  IFIP TC 8 Working Conference on Mobile Information Systems

GlaxoSmithKline Conference Center
September 15. – 17. 2004
From the airport

Gardermoen airport

**Train**

* Airport Express Train (Flytoget) (http://www.flytoget.no/ns/bilingual/english.asp)

The Airport Express Train runs frequently from the airport to Oslo Central Station, as well as the National Theater station.

For more information and train schedules, phone +47 815 00 777.

Tickets for the Airport Express Train can be purchased together with air tickets at your travel agency. Tickets are also available at all Airport Express Train stations, at ticket counters as well as card and cash ticket vending machines. There is no seat booking on the Airport Express Train.

*Price: NOK 150*

**Bus vs. Hotels**

* SAS Airport Bus (http://www.flybuss1.no/)

The Airport Bus runs between downtown Oslo and Oslo Airport every 15 minutes every day. First bus from Oslo Bus Terminal departures at 04.05 am. The trip takes about 35-40 minutes one way. The bus stops the following places downtown:

- Oslo Bus Terminal
- Oslo Central Station (Oslo S)
- Prof. Aschehougs plass
- Radisson Scandinavia Hotel (Holbergsgt.)

*Price: NOK 110 (oneway), NOK 160 (w. return)*

* NOR-WAY Bussekspress (http://www.nor-way.no)

NOR-WAY Bussekspress has departures every 30 minutes during rush hours to and from Majorstua in Oslo. This is the 'F1' route. (It does not stop downtown Oslo.)

*Price: NOK 130*

* Direct Bus To MOBIS Conference Location*

You can also take the 'F3' bus (also NOR-WAY Bussekspress) directly to a station near the conference location (convenient if you are
arriving directly on Wednesday morning). Take the ‘F3’ to station ‘Rikshospitalet’. From there, you need to walk about 5 minutes: Cross the bridge across the main road. Follow the walking path north (opposite of the bus direction) – keep right and walk down towards the road 'Forskningsveien’, in which you find GlaxoSmithKline on the left.

| Price: NOK 130 |

- **Taxi**

  Taxi from the airport is possible, but not recommended. It is quite expensive and will easily set you back NOK 800 (EUR 100,-).

| Price: NOK 800 |

- **Airport taxi**

  Airport Taxi is Oslo Taxi’s fixed price offer to and from Gardermoen Airport. The prices are quite low compared to normal fares (from NOK 475,- for a taxi for 4 persons) and they have the same fixed price at all times. Phone +47 23 23 23 23. These taxis have their own logo "Airport Taxi" on the side of the car.

| Price: NOK 475 |

- **Torp airport**

  The Torp Express bus service corresponds with Ryanair’s Torp - London, Glasgow and Frankfurt Hahn flights.
To the conference location

GSK Conference Center
The MOBIS conference will be held at the GSK Conference Center, Forskningsveien 2a

Map: Oslo City Centre and Conference Site
Getting there

Subway
From the Sentral Station (Oslo S), take subway line 3 towards ‘Sognsvann’ or subway line 5 towards ‘Storo’. Exit the subway at ‘Forskningsparken’ station. From there, walk left under the subway and up Nils Henrik Abels vei to Gaustadalleen. Go right, and then follow the pathway to the left until you meet the end og ‘Forskningsveien’, which you then go down until GSK Conference Center

Alternatively, you can exit at one earlier station, ‘Blindern’ go to the left, and then to the right up ‘Gaustadalleen’. Follow the pathway to the left to come over to ‘Forskningsveien’, where you find GSK Conference Center

Ticket: You need to buy a ticket before traveling. A Single ticket will cost NOK 20,- You may also buy a ‘Flexicard’ with 8 travels for NOK 150 or a 7-days card for NOK 190,-
Tram

Line 11, 17 or 18 from the ‘Stortorvet’ station brings you towards GSK. Exit at the ‘Gaustadallén’ station and follow the direction as for walking off at Tram station ‘Forskningsparken’.

Ticket: Same as for the subway. NB – If you buy a single ticket from the driver, it will cost you NOK 30,- instead of NOK 20, so try to buy your ticket beforehand.