

# **Practical information**

# **Local Organizing Committee**

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For better identification, members of the local organizing committee will have red name badges during the Symposium.

### **Venue and Accommodation**

INCEFA SCALE project meeting will be held from 27<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> of October 2024 at conference area of the research institute ÚJV Řež, a. s. (www.ujv.cz) in the vicinity of Prague.

#### Recommended hotels:

- Ibis Praha Old Town (<a href="https://all.accor.com/hotel/5477/index.en.shtml">https://all.accor.com/hotel/5477/index.en.shtml</a>)
- Hotel Meteor Plaza (<a href="https://www.hotel-meteor.cz/en/">https://www.hotel-meteor.cz/en/</a>)
- K+K Hotel Central (https://www.kkhotels.com/cs/products/kk-hotel-central-praha/)
- MARRIOT Prague (https://www.marriottprague.cz/)
- Hilton Prague (https://www.hilton.com/cs/hotels/prghitw-hilton-prague/)
- Hotel Atlantik Prague (<a href="https://hotel-atlantic.cz/en">https://hotel-atlantic.cz/en</a>)
- Botanique Hotel Prague (<a href="https://www.hotelbotanique.com/">https://www.hotelbotanique.com/</a>)
- Hotel Absolutum (https://www.absolutumhotel.cz/en/)

# How to get to the city center

### 1. Public transport from the Vaclav Havel International airport:

https://www.dpp.cz/en/travelling/transport-to-airport

Most of participants will arrive at the Terminal 2 of Vaclav Havel International Airport (terminal for all flights within the EU Schengen area). The public transport to/from the airport is covered by the buses of the Prague Integrated Transport system. Bus stops are in front of the Terminal building on the Arrivals level.





Optimal way of travel to the **city centre (Masarykovo nádraží area)** using public transport is to take a trolley-bus number **59** (bus stop A) to **Nádraží Veleslavín** metro station (terminus), and then to **Náměstí Republiky** metro station (**Yellow line B** – Direction **Černý most**,), or you can use the AE (airport Express) - Special bus line that ensures direct connection of air, railway and public transport by low-floor buses (with extended luggage storage space) from 5:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. (valid timetable).





- Interval: 30 minutes
- Journey time: 40 minutes
- Fare:
  - Regular PID tariff does not apply, tickets are non-transferrable, single-journey, valid on this line only
  - Tickets are purchased from the driver (including card payment)
  - Adults

Hlavní nádraží - Letiště: CZK 100

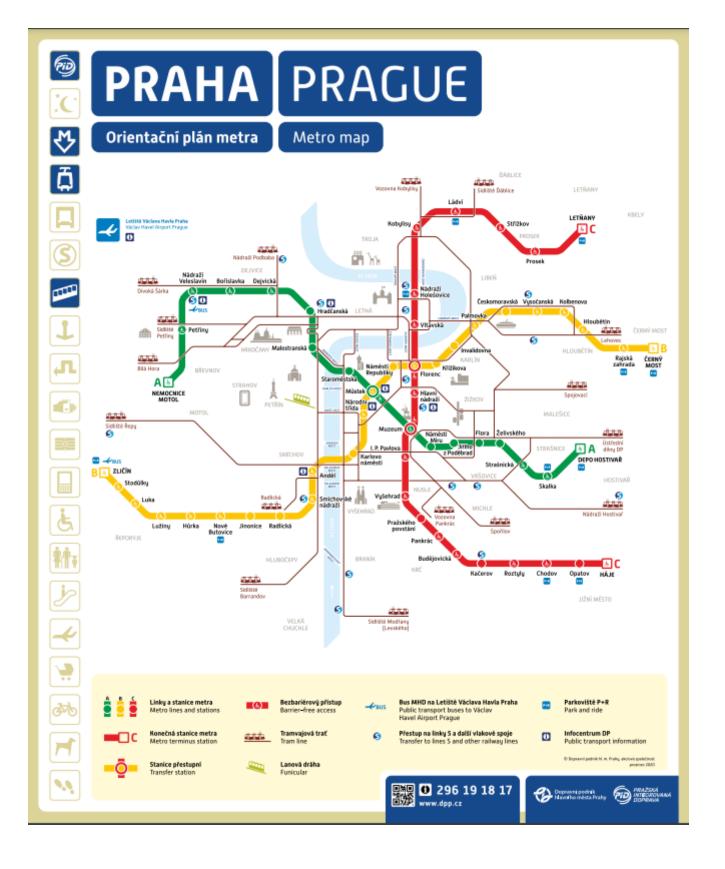
Children 6-15 years, transport of dogs
 Hlavní nádraží - Letiště: CZK 50
 (through the day preceding their 15th birthday)

- Children under 6 years free of charge
- Luggage free of charge
- Relevant travel documents of selected carriers as well as international travel documents issued abroad are valid on the line.
- Find a connection
- Show valid timetable ☑
- Route: Hlavní nádraží (C, train) Terminál 1 disembarking only Terminál 2 disembarking only Letiště
- Terminal 1 flights to countries outside the Schengen Area: in Europe for example Great Britain, Ireland, Cyprus,
  intercontinental flights
- Terminal 2 flights to countries in the Schengen Area: Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Italy, Lithuania, Latvia, Luxembourg, Hungary, Malta, Germany, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Austria, Greece, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Iceland, Norway, Switzerland, Romania and Bulgaria

Example of the connection from the Vaclav Havel International Airport to the **ibis Praha Old Town Hotel** is on the image below. Buses and metros operate in very short intervals, nevertheless, timetables and connection search can be found on the website <a href="https://www.dpp.cz/en">https://www.dpp.cz/en</a>.









How to get from the airport to the city centre in Prague? Quick, easy and cheap option – Use Public transport in Prague. Watch the video bellow:

## https://youtu.be/57WeRN0Nrb4

Video on the link is from the Youtube channel **Honest Guide**, focused on the provision of valuable local information for tourists with the special attention how to avoid tourist traps, that are in Prague - as well as in any major city.



## **Short – term tickets for travelling around Prague:**

All the information about tickets can be found here:

https://pid.cz/en/for-tourists/what-ticket-should-i-use/

You can either buy your ticket in the ticket machines, or you can download the PID Litacka app and buy your tickets there:

## PID Lítačka (pidlitacka.cz)



Don't forget to validate your ticket before the use of public transport!!!!

### 2. Taxi

In addition to public transport, the services of the companies **Uber** (Uber Airport available), **Liftago** and **Bolt** are also very popular in Prague (AppStore or Google Play). If you prefer taxi as the way of transfer from the airport, we recommend to use Airport taxis or one of the above mentioned Apps. Please do not catch taxis on the street - prices per km may vary.

Taxi from the Vaclav Havel International Airport to the Hotel Absolutum will take approx. 15-25 minutes depending on the traffic. Cost of the taxi will be approx. 500 – 800 CZK (22-35 USD or 20-32 EUR).



# How to get to UJV Řež, a. s. from the Masarykovo nádraží:

The easiest and fastest way is to take train that goes directly to the Řež. The train from **Praha-Masarykovo nádraží** to **Řež** takes approximately 21 minutes.

The travel ticket can be bought directly on the train from the train conductor and costs 50 Czech crowns (one way) or in the PID Litacka app (mentioned above). Train goes usually every 30 minutes. Timetables can be found on the website <a href="https://www.dpp.cz/en">https://www.dpp.cz/en</a>.

After you get off the train at Řež station, cross the river and the UJV Řež, a. s. will be located on the left side.

