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Thursday 5 June 2014 (09:00 – 17:30)
De Balie, Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Conference venue

De Balie
Kleine-Gartmanplantsoen 10
NL-1017RR Amsterdam
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Travelling from Amsterdam Airport Schiphol

- By public transport:
  Trains are the quickest and easiest way to travel between the airport and Amsterdam. Trains arrive and depart right below the arrivals terminal, where tickets must be purchased prior to boarding. A 2nd class, one way ticket between Schiphol and Amsterdam Central will cost €4,00. Trains depart to Amsterdam Central Station about every 15 minutes; the journey time is approximately 15 minutes.
- By taxi:
  Taxis are widely available at the airport outside the arrivals terminal. Depending on traffic it will take anywhere between 20 minutes up to 30 minutes to get from Schiphol Airport to the city centre of Amsterdam. Prices vary according to your journey time, but expect to pay around € 100,-.
  [Link to Schiphol transport information]

Directions to De Balie

By public transport:
- From Centraal Station (Amsterdam CS)
  - Tram 1, 2 or 5: exit Leidseplein
  - 100 meter on the left side is De Balie
- From Station Amsterdam Amstel
  - Metro to Weesperplein
  - Change to tram 7 or 10: exit Leidseplein
- From Station Amsterdam Zuid
  - Tram 5: exit Leidseplein

By car:
- ‘Parkeren + Reizen’ (P+R) is a cheap and fast way to get to the conference venue. You can park your car at the border of Amsterdam in a dedicated parking place (€8) and travel for free by public transport.
  - From A2/A4: Exit S106 - P+R World Fashion Centre (follow ‘World Fashion Centre’); Tram 1
  - From A1: Exit S114 - P+R Zeeburg I and II; tram 7
- You can also park in a parking garage nearby the conference venue:
  - From all directions, via the ring A10, take exit S106 to the city center (centrum).
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- From the ring, follow the road to ‘centrum’ (S106)
- At the T-split at the end of the road Overtoom, take a right turn to the Stadhouderskade
- Another right turn after 100m to parking garage ‘Byzantium’ (€ 2 per 20 min)
- 2 minutes walking to the conference venue.