PRACTICAL INFORMATION

EFGCP Annual Conference 2017

Meeting the Ethical Standards under the Clinical Trials Regulation:

The Burning Questions (and Answers) for Researchers, Sponsors and Patients

21 & 22 February 2017, Bluepoint (ex Diamant Conference Centre), Brussels, Belgium

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Participants' Registration

The number of seats in the room being limited, please make sure you have returned your registration form and received a confirmation letter from the EFGCP Secretariat.

Welcome Desk

The EFGCP team will be pleased to welcome you on Tuesday 21st February from 8:15 AM until 6:30 PM and Wednesday 22nd February from 8:30 AM until 3:40 PM at the Welcome desk in the lobby of the Bluepoint. Participants are invited to present themselves at the Welcome Desk to receive their badges and the conference documents. The plenary sessions will be held in the Einstein room (-1 floor).

Conference Language

The language of the conference will be English.

Lunches & Coffee Breaks

Lunches & coffee breaks are included in the registration fee and will take place in the Foyer of the Einstein room (-1 floor).

Social Event

On the evening of February 21st, all delegates are invited to take part in the Annual Conference social event which is a very special occasion for networking while finding out more about some typical and cultural landmarks of the hosting city. More details to come.

Getting to Bluepoint / ex-Diamant Conference Centre

BLUEPOINT – ex-Diamant Conference Centre
Boulevard A. Reyerslaan 80
1030 Brussels, Belgium
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Click here for the website

Tram Station: (lines 7-25) Diamant
Bus Station: (lines 12-21-28-29-79) Diamant
Nearest Metro Station: (line 1) Montgomery

From Brussels Airport – Zaventem

By Taxi:

Taxis are located just outside the arrival hall at the airport. Taxis are metered and the cost should be around 35 €. Travel time in taxi to the Conference venue is usually 10 to 15 min or more depending upon traffic.

Taxis for wheelchair users are available from Taxi Hendriks, Tel.: +32 (0)2 752 98 00; Fax: +32 (0)2 752 98 01; Email: info.melsbroek@hendriks.be

By Bus:

In the Brussels Airport passenger terminal, take the lift to 0 and buy your ticket (4,50€ one way) from the GO ticket vending machines before boarding.
For Brussels, you may take the Bus Airport 12 (Brussels Airport - Luxembourg / Luxemburg) direction Brussels City. You may get off at 'Diamant' station and take right towards the high TV & Radio RTBF/VRT buildings, cross the Kolonel Bourgstreet to reach the Bluepoint Building.
The Bus Airport 12 is only operated from Monday to Friday before 8 PM. After 8 PM and during the weekend and on public holidays, see line 21, Brussels Airport - Luxembourg / Luxemburg, which serves Brussels Airport from Monday to Friday only after 8 PM and on Saturday, Sunday and public holidays during the whole day.

Should you wish to have more details on schedules of Brussels public transport, see the STIB website.

From Brussels South Railway Station / Gare du Midi (National & International trains, Eurostar, Thalys)

By metro:

Take Metro line 2 or 6 (direction Simonis – Elisabeth) to the 'Arts-Loi' station, where you must change to the metro line 1 (direction Stockel/Stokkel). Get off at 'Montgomery' station. There, take Tram 7 (direction Heisel) or 25 (direction Rogier) until the 'Diamant' station. Follow the exit "RTBF/VRT" which will lead you to the Boulevard Reyers. Take a right towards the high TV & Radio RTBF/VRT buildings, cross the Kolonel Bourgstreet to reach the Bluepoint Building.
You can purchase a ticket before boarding the metro from the GO vending machines. The ride will cost you 2.10 €.

By taxi:

Taxis are located in front of the station (near the international trains gates) - Follow the Taxi signage.
The ride will cost you between around 20.00 € and will last +/- 15 minutes or more depending on traffic.

From Courtyard by Marriott Hotel

By Bus:

Take line 21 at Permeke (direction Luxembourg / Luxemburg) , you may get off at 'Diamant' station and take right towards the high TV & Radio RTBF/VRT buildings, cross the Kolonel Bourgstreet to reach the Bluepoint Building.
Serves Brussels Airport from Monday to Friday only after 8 PM and on Saturday, Sunday and public holidays during the whole day.

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By car / Parking Information

GPS Coordinates: "50.8510, 4.4018". For driving directions, you may want to use the following mapping service: Google Maps.

Parking is available in the basement of the Bluepoint Center. Access is located on the left of the building entrance, on Boulevard Reyers. The preferential price for participants for the whole day is 10 euros, payable at the Conference Welcome Desk where exit tickets will be available. Please bring the exact amount.

Preparing your stay in Brussels from abroad

Here are some websites which can help you prepare for your visit to Brussels:

- To find information and advice on organising your stay: in Brussels, Wallonia or Flanders.
- To know more about Brussels and the surrounding region, click here.
- To find restaurants in Brussels, please click here.

Contact Details

For any information, please contact the EFGCP Secretariat – Tel: +32 2 732 87 83 – E-mail: conferences@efgcp.eu
During the conference, you may reach Fanny Senez at + 32 478 35 39 22 or Philomène Bouchon at + 32 498 59 50 83.

Hotel (preferential rates for the conference)

	Courtyard by Marriott Hotel Avenue des Olympiades 6 1140 Brussels, Belgium Tel: + 32 (0)2 337 08 08 – Fax: +32 (0)2 337 08 00 Click here for the website Standard Room: *(Rates are per night, buffet breakfast, VAT, free WIFI Internet Access and city tax included)* Single occupancy: 150.00€ / Double occupancy:170.00 € Booking deadline: 20 January 2017 To book a room: Please follow this link

Guests of the Courtyard Hotel can benefit from a free shuttle service from the Brussels International Airport to the hotel any time. Travel time is usually 10-15 min. The journey back to the airport will cost you 7.00 €. Please refer to the shuttle service document attached to your registration confirmation for detailed instructions.

Once arrived in the Brussels Airport passenger terminal, call the hotel to book your seat in the next shuttle and take the lift to level 0. The Courtyard shuttle departs from platform E at level 0. Please follow the Courtyard signs.

Personal Data Protection

Personal Data

By filing an application, the applicant will be considered as having given his or her consent to the processing of this data in the context of this conference. This includes, unless registered participants object, publishing in the list of EFGCP participants and report.
Purpose of the processing operation: all handling needed for the applicant's participation at the event and for the drafting of a global list of participants which will be distributed at the conference.
Right of access: applicants have a right to access and ask to have their personal data, kept by EFGCP, changed or deleted.

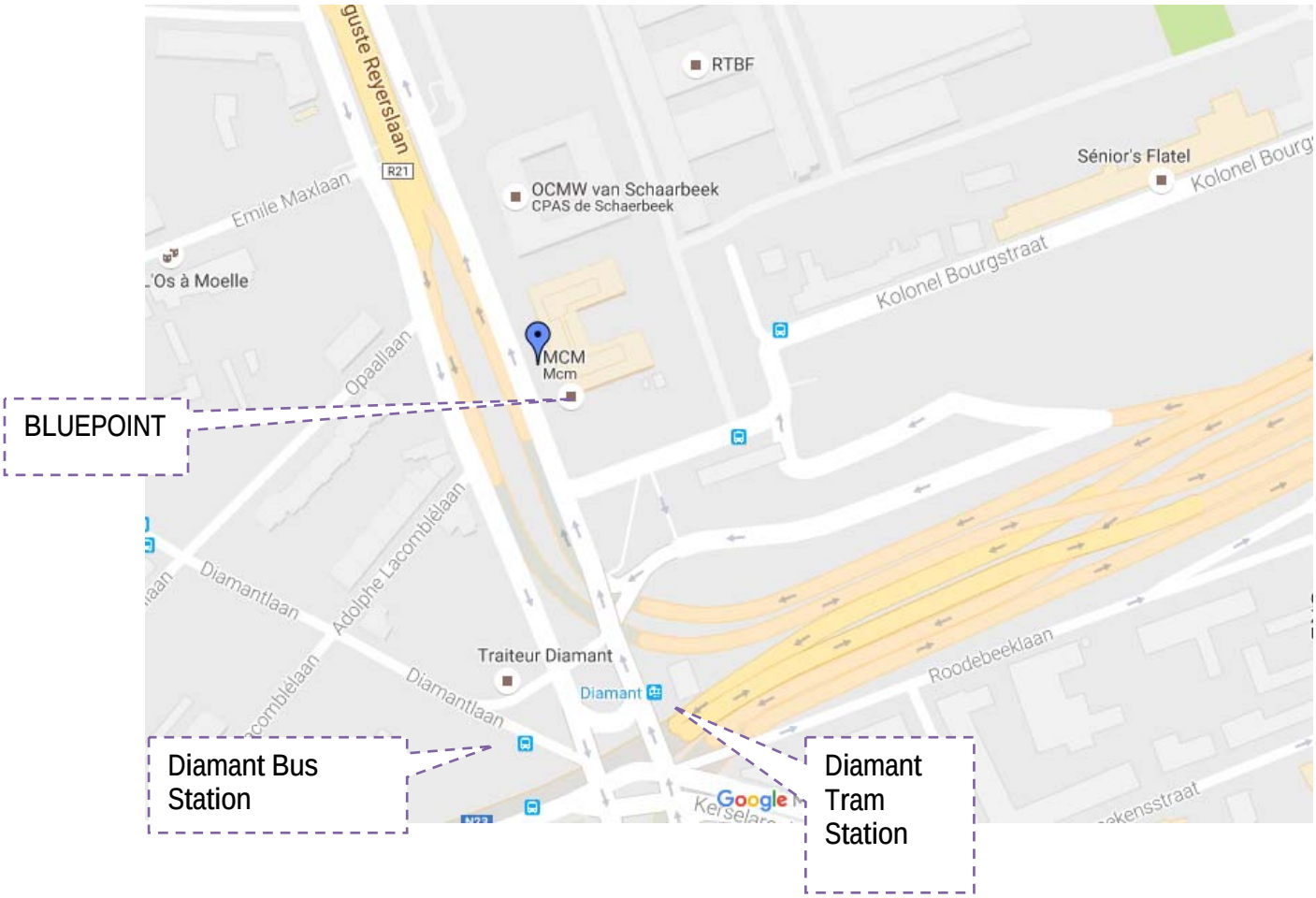
Personality/Image Rights

By filling out the registration form, the participant gives consent that EFGCP can process the data provided within the framework of the event and allow photographs to be made during the conference. This includes, unless registered participants object, all handling needed for the applicant's participation at the event and for the drafting of a list of participants which will be distributed at the conference, and placing photographs in the conference gallery accessible only by participants and EFGCP members, in the EFGCP newsletter or selecting some for articles on the conference in a journal or newspaper, or in any other web/printed publication.

Disclaimer

Please note that the information provided here is not binding: it is intended to help you. EFGCP cannot be held responsible for the possible impact of the information disclosed herein.

Maps



Main entrance: