

# FORUM 2019

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## TRAVEL GUIDE

### I) Arrival in Germany

Please make sure that you have the necessary documents and visa to enter Germany and the Schengen countries.

### II) From the airport to Halle (Saale)

There are four airports close to Halle: Leipzig/Halle, Berlin-Schönefeld, Berlin-Tegel or Frankfurt. Please look at the information below to find out the travel options from your airport of arrival to IAMO or to your hotel. Closest airport among above mentioned airports is the Leipzig/Halle airport. Therefore, we recommend you to look for possibilities of arriving at this airport.

#### **Leipzig/Halle Airport:**

Leipzig/Halle Airport is located 20 km from Halle (Saale). Shuttle trains leave every 30 minutes to Halle (Saale) main station (*Halle (Saale) Hbf*). After your arrival, take the train S-Bahn S5 or S5x from Leipzig/Halle Airport (*Leipzig/Halle Flughafen*), platform (*Gleis*) 2, to Halle (Saale) main station (*Halle (Saale) Hbf*). You do not have to purchase a train ticket from Leipzig/Halle Airport to Halle (Saale) in advance. Train tickets (4.60 EUR each) are available at the ticket machines (*Fahrkarten*). Duration of the trip by train is 11 minutes.



See section III for information about travel options from Halle (Saale) main station to IAMO.

#### **Berlin-Schönefeld Airport:**

150 km from Halle (Saale). Regular trains leave the station *Berlin-Schönefeld Flughafen* (200 m from airport) to Halle (Saale) main station (*Halle (Saale) Hbf*). There are no direct connections: you will have to change trains at one of the train stations in Berlin. Check the official website of German railways ([www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de)), available in English, to choose the convenient train connection. If not purchased in advance, train tickets are available at the ticket machines (*Fahrkarten*) in Terminal A, at the train station or on the platform. You can always ask the rail staff for advice. Trip duration: ca. 2 hours. Price: according to connections, from 30 EUR.

Please note that in the period from 19. June to 07. July there will be construction works in Berlin on the route of the train S 45, heading from Berlin-Schönefeld Airport to the train station Berlin Südkreuz, and part of the route will be substituted with buses. In this regard, we recommend you to read carefully the information on the official website of German railways ([www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de)) while purchasing your train tickets. The purchased train tickets should be valid for the buses that substitute the train during the period of construction works.

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## Berlin-Tegel Airport:

170 km from Halle (Saale). Take the shuttle bus (*Bus TXL*) to Berlin main train station (*Berlin Hbf*). That bus leaves every 5 minutes. The bus ticket (*Ticket AB Einzelfahrschein*, 2.70 EUR) is available at the yellow ticket machine (*BVG*) or from the bus driver. Get off at *Washingtonplatz/Hauptbahnhof stop*. If not purchased in advance at [www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de), the train tickets are available at the ticket machines or at DB service point/Travel Center/*Reise Centrum* at Berlin main train station. You need a train ticket from *Berlin Hbf* to *Halle (Saale) Hbf* (Halle (Saale) main station). You might have to change the train. Duration: about 1-2 hours. Price: depending on connections, from 20 EUR.



## Frankfurt Airport:

400 km from Halle (Saale). There are ICE/IC trains from Frankfurt am Main Airport to Halle (Saale) main station. If not purchased in advance at [www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de), the train tickets are available at DB TravelCenter/*Reise Centrum DB* in Terminal 1, B Concourse, Level 0 or at the ticket machines (*Fahrkarten/Tickets*) in Terminal 1, Level 0. You need a ticket from Frankfurt Airport (*Frankfurt(M) Flughafen Fernbf*) to Halle (Saale) main station (*Halle (Saale) Hbf*). You might have to change the train. Duration: 3-5 hours. Price: depending on connections, from 30 EUR.

## Useful information on transport and tickets:

Check [www.bahn.de](http://www.bahn.de) (available also in English) for detailed information on train connections. Tickets can also be purchased at the platform or at some service points by EC debit card, credit card or cash. Remember that you can always ask someone for help or information! Just look for people wearing the **DB** (Deutsche Bahn) sign. *Please note that the train tickets purchased in advance on the official website of German railways are cheaper than the ones purchased at train stations on the departure date. Also, it is possible to purchase a flexible ticket, allowing you to choose any train in the chosen direction within the day.*

## III) From Halle (Saale) main station (*Halle (Saale) Hbf*) to IAMO

At the tram stop *Hauptbahnhof – C* (Ernst-Kamieth-Straße) take tram 5 (direction *Weinberg Campus*). Please note that you need the tram stop C on Ernst-Kamieth-Straße. Purchase the ticket from the ticket machine (2.30 EUR). Tram ticket should be validated in the machine inside the tram and kept till the end of the ride. Get off at *Weinberg Campus* and walk several minutes to the left, in the direction of travel. You will see the building of IAMO on the left-hand side. The tram 5 in the opposite direction (direction Ammendorf) leaves from the same stop. More information on public transport in Halle (Saale): [www.havag.de](http://www.havag.de).

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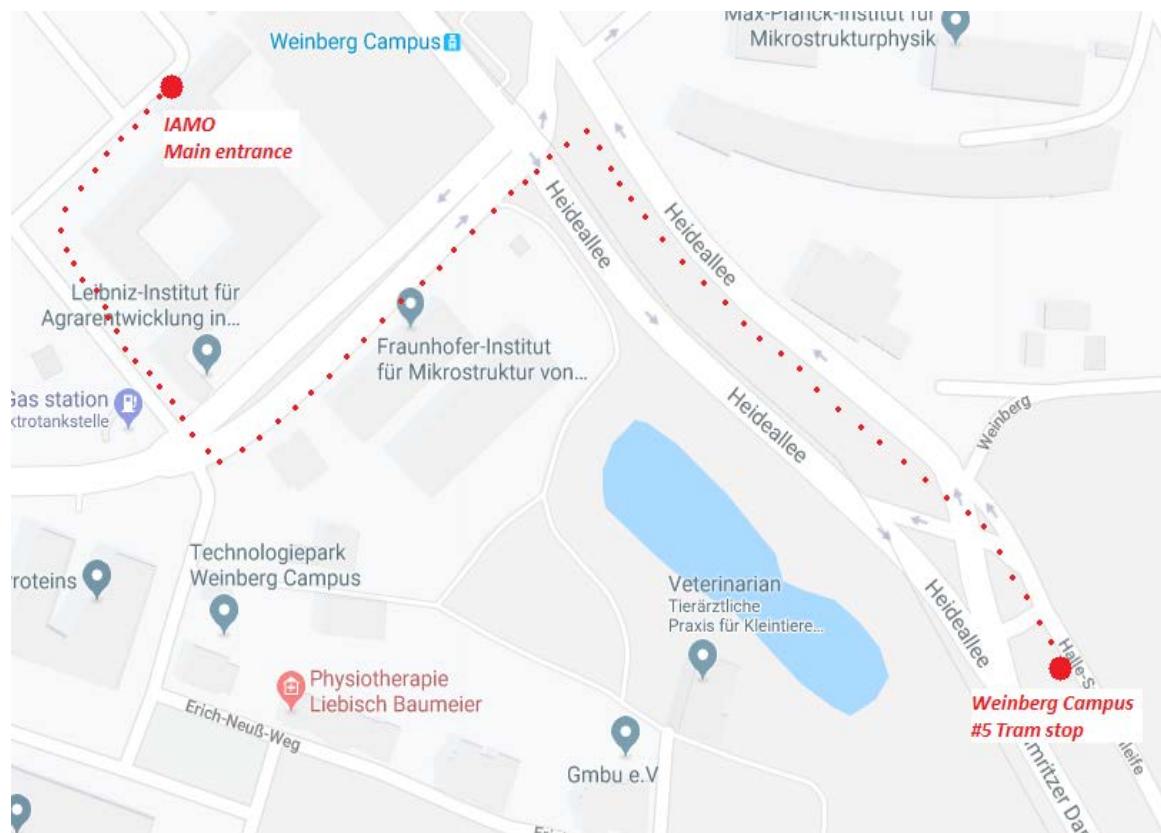
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## IV) From the city center to IAMO

From the stops *Marktplatz* and *Hallmarkt*: Take tram 5 (direction *Weinberg Campus*). Exit tram at the stop *Weinberg Campus*. Travel duration: 15 minutes. The Tram 5 in the opposite direction (direction *Ammendorf*) leaves from the same stop.



Please note that there will be construction works near IAMO during the period of the IAMO Forum 2019. In this regard, we kindly ask you to follow the directions on the map below.



We wish you a pleasant and safe journey!