

VALA teacher mobility program – Aarhus, Denmark, August 21st to August 23rd 2017

Practical information:

Coming to Aarhus:

Most Nordic and Baltic countries have direct flights to Billund Airport, the second-largest airport in Denmark. From Billund you can take the airport bus to Aarhus, the price is 160 DK (≈ 22 €), and you can pay with all major credit cards. Travel time is about 1,5 hours.

Aarhus Airport is a very small airport and primarily offers flights to and from Copenhagen. If you take a stopover in Copenhagen, going to Aarhus Airport could be an opportunity. Also, a few flights from and to Oslo and Stockholm are available. From Aarhus Airport you can take the airport bus to Aarhus, the price is 115 DKK (≈ 15 €), and you can pay with all major credit cards. Travel time is about 50 minutes.

If your journey by plane ends in Copenhagen, you can take the train from Copenhagen to Aarhus. Due to the border control between Denmark and Sweden, you have to go by train from Copenhagen Airport to Copenhagen Central Station, and then change to the Intercity train from Copenhagen to Aarhus. You can buy a ticket all the way to Aarhus at the airport, and notice that you cannot buy a ticket on board of the train. The price for a one-way ticket is 388 DKK (≈ 52 €), and to be secured a seat you are recommended to buy a seat reservation for 30 DKK (≈ 4 €). Tickets can also be bought at www.dsb.dk Travel time is about 3,5 hours from the airport to Aarhus.

Accommodation:

We have pre-booked 15 Economy rooms from Monday, 21st to Wednesday, 23rd at Cabinn Hotel, a budget hotel in the city center. The rate is 545 DKK (≈ 73 €) per night, and additionally 75 DKK (≈ 10 €) per night if you want breakfast. The 15 rooms are guaranteed until **July 20th**, and you have to book, guarantee and pay the rooms individually before this date. When you reserve one of the rooms by contacting the hotel directly, please use this ID: **Block ID 48489**.

You can call the hotel at +45 8675 7000 or contact them by email: aarhus@cabinn.dk

The hotel is situated in the heart of Aarhus, by the riverside, close to cafés, restaurants, shops and transportation: <https://www.cabinn.com/hotel/cabinn-hotel-i-aarhus>

Preliminary program:

Monday, August 21st:

Arrival in Aarhus

18.30: Joint dinner in Aarhus (optional and on your own account)

Tuesday, August 22nd:

Working day 1

9.00: Welcome, at VIA University College

9.00-12.00: Presentations of participants

Presentation of guidance education at Aarhus University and
VIA University College: Dilemmas, challenges and possibilities

Career guidance: a new elective in the study program of
Educational Science at Aarhus Universities – feedback and
discussions on curriculum

12.00-13.00: Lunch and networking

13.00-15.00: What's new? Presentations of latest developments in your
programs

15.00-16.00: Preparing agenda for network meeting

16.00-18.00: Social activity: tour of city center/Aarhus University (optional)

19.00: Joint dinner in Aarhus (optional and on your own account)

Wednesday, August 23rd:

Working day 2

9.00: Program start at VIA University College

9.00-12.00: Network meeting

12.00-13.00: Lunch and networking

13.00-15.00: Working with and integrating digital technologies in guidance
education

- presentation of own experiences

- discussions of possibilities and challenges

or

Visiting guidance/practice institution

15.00: Goodbye!