

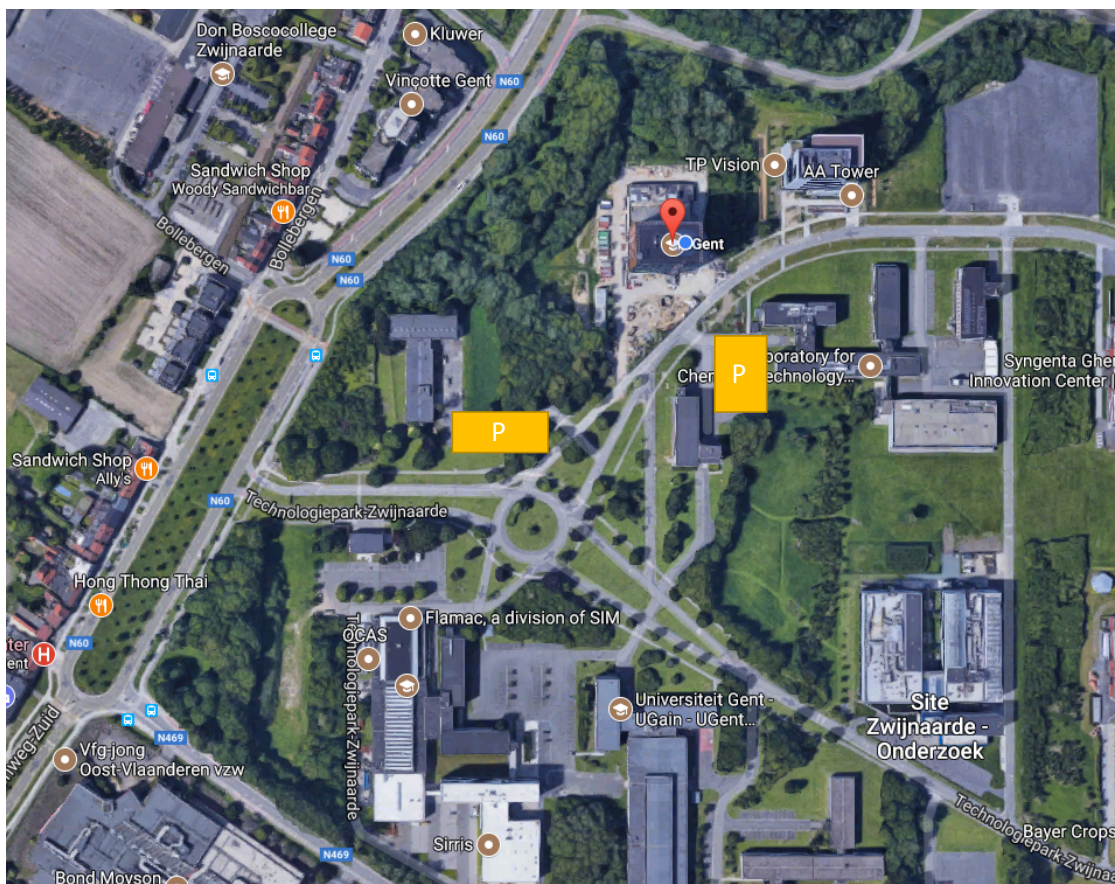
How to reach us?

We are located at the Campus "Technologiekamp" in Gent-Zwijnaarde, in the iGent tower.

- You will find the iGent reception desk on the ground floor.
- IDLab (Information and Data Lab) is located on floors 9-10-11 in the tower, the IDLab reception is on the 10th floor
- The techno-economic research group can be found on the 9th floor.

Address and directions

Technologiekamp-Zwijnaarde 126
9052 Ghent, BELGIUM



Coming by car

Google maps will be able to help you out finding Technologiekamp-Zwijnaarde, Gent.

The iGent building is one of the 2 high towers left of the entrance when coming from the direction N60. When entering campus, however, you need to follow the one-way street across the entire campus.

Parking is allowed on the university parking lots, but a parking vignette is required. At the Reception Desk of the iGent building, a vignette can be obtained.

Coming by plane and then by train from Brussels airport

There are frequent trains from Brussels airport to Gent (mostly with a change of trains in Brussels). You can plan your journey from “Brussel-Nat-Luchthaven” to “Gent-Sint-Pieters” on the web site of the Belgian Railway (NMBS) <http://www.belgianrail.be/nl>. Trains arrive at St-Pieters station in Gent.

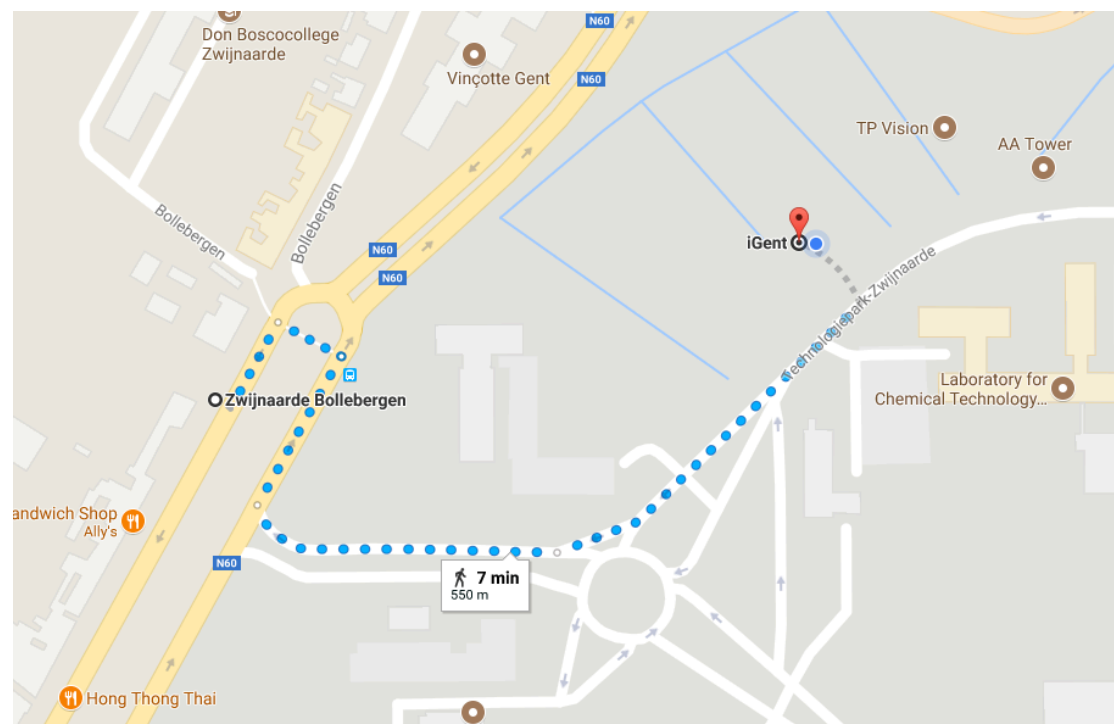
Coming by bus or taxi from train station Gent-Sint-Pieters

There are taxis available at the main exit of the station.

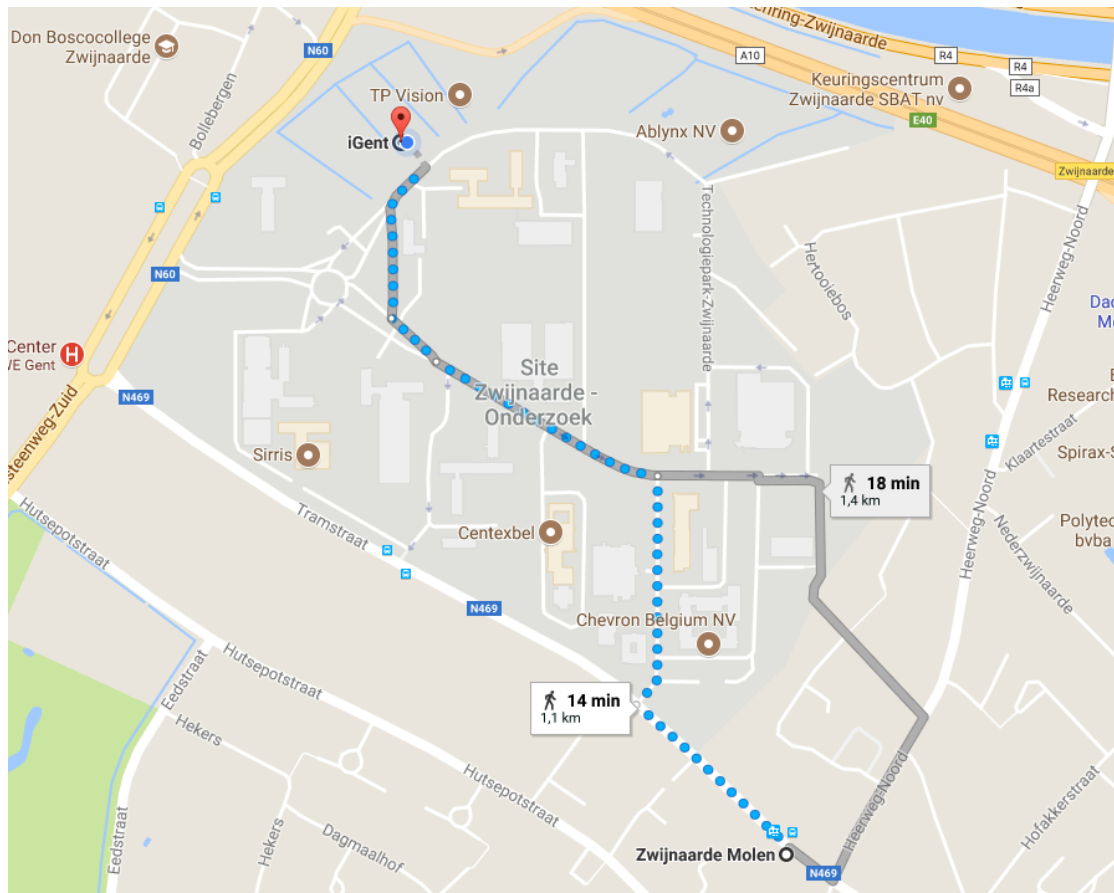
Alternatively you can a bus from the following list:

| Bus Nr. | Direction to take | Bus Platform (front side of station) |
|---------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 49 | Herzele or Geraardsbergen Station | 10 |
| 70 | Zwijnaarde Vogelheide | 6 |
| 71 | Nazareth Dorp | 6 |
| 172 | Merelbeke Molenhoek | 6 |

Get off after approximately 10 minutes, at the stop "Bollebergen" (next to the Don Bosco secondary school). From this stop, you still have a walk of 5 minutes ahead across the "Technologiepark".



From the station, you can also take tram 2 in the direction of Zwijnaarde, that will bring you to a side entrance of the Technologiepark. Get off the tram at stop “Zwijnaarde Molen” and walk for about 15 minutes.

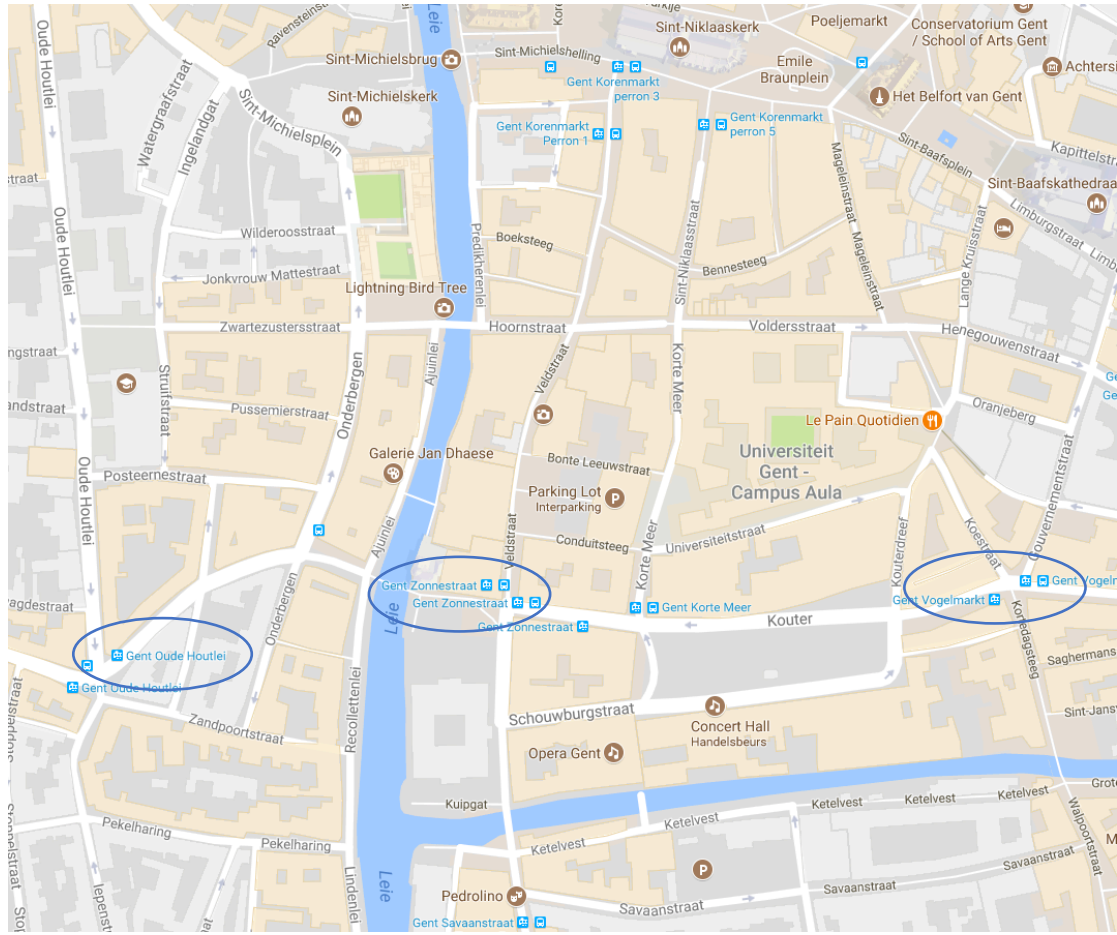


Furthermore, there is also a free shuttle service between the St-Pieters station in Gent and the Technologiepark. The shuttle busses run every 15 minutes between 7u30 and 9u30 in the morning, and between 16u30 and 18u30 in the evening. When boarding the bus, tell the driver you're a visitor for the university. There are 4 stops in the Technologiepark - the last stop (AA Tower) is the closest to our offices. AA Tower is the tower next to the iGent tower.

Coming from the city center

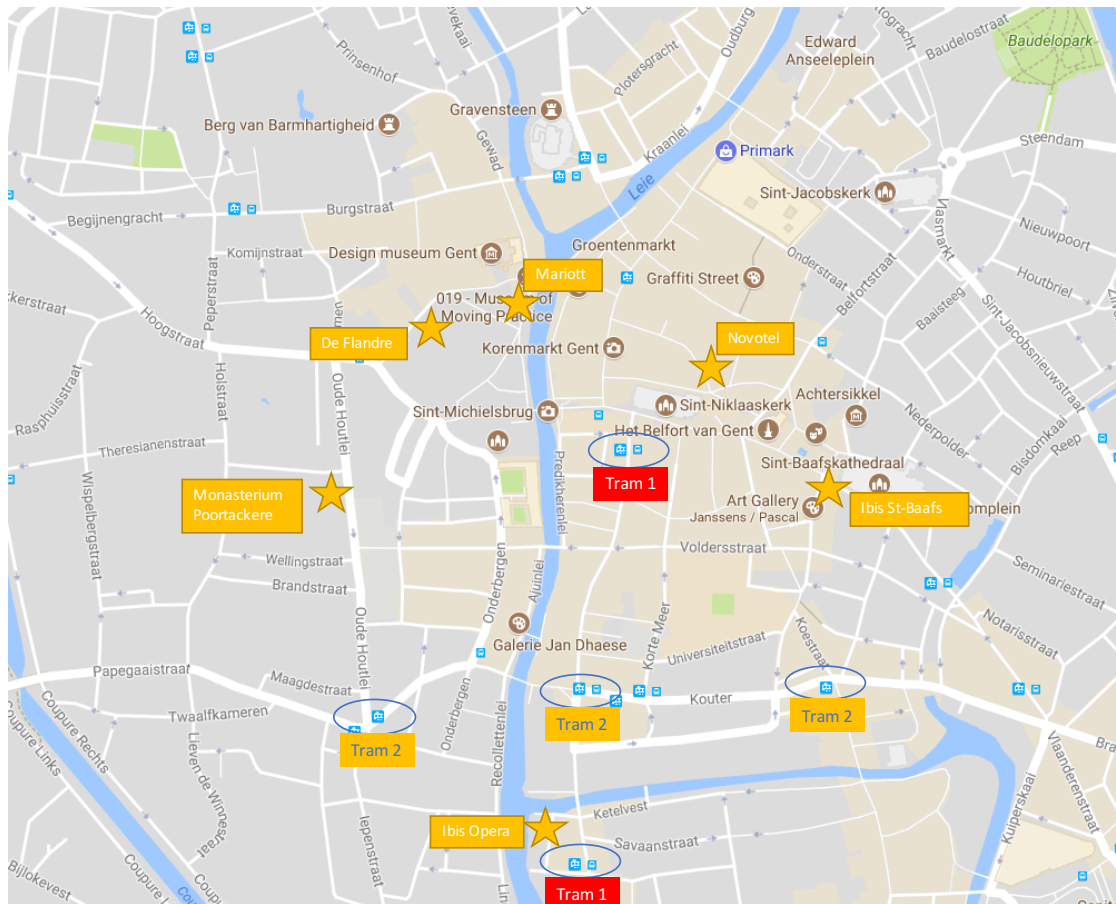
If you are coming from the city center, you can either take a tram or bus to the station (most convenient is tram 1 in the direction of Flanders Expo), and then change to a bus to the Technologiepark.

Alternatively, you can catch tram 2 at one of the following stops: Gent Oude Houtlei, Gent Zonnestraat or Gent Vogelmarkt (see map below), that will take you directly to side entrance of the Technologiepark. Get off the tram at stop "Zwijnaarde Molen" and walk for about 15 minutes (see map above).



Staying in Ghent

Below is a list of recommended hotels in the city center. Note that the depicted rates do not include the obligatory city tax of 2.5 € per night per person. For a more exhaustive list of hotels in Ghent, please visit <http://www.gent-hotels.eu/>.



Ghent Marriott Hotel

Drabstraat, 9000 Gent

Tel. +32 9 233 93 93

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/gnmc-ghent-marriott-hotel/>

Hotel IBIS Gent Centrum St-Baafs Kathedraal

Limburgstraat 2, 9000 Gent

Tel. +32 9 293 90 00

<http://www.ibishotel.com/gb/hotel-0961-ibis-gent-centrum-st-baafs-kathedraal/index.shtml>

Hotel de Flandre

Poel 1-2, 9000 Gent

Tel. +32 9 266 06 00

<http://www.hoteldeflandre.eu/>

Monasterium PoortAckere

Oude Houtlei 56, 9000 Gent

Tel. +32 9 269 22 10

<http://www.monasterium.be/>

Novotel Gent Centrum

Goudenleeuwplein 5, 9000 Ghent

Tel: +32 9 224 22 30

<http://www.novotel.com/gb/hotel-0840-novotel-gent-centrum/index.shtml>

Hotel IBIS Gent Centrum Opera

Nederkouter 24-26, 9000 Gent

Tel. +32 9 293 90 01

<http://http://www.ibishotel.com/nl/hotel-1455-ibis-gent-centrum-opera/index.shtml>

Eating in Ghent

The city has a lot to offer, different types of foods suiting different budgets. There are some established restaurants that have been there for a long time, but each year, there are new places popping up that are worth a visit.

We recommend the VISIT site for latest tips and tricks (<https://visit.gent.be/en/restaurants>), or you can check out Tripadvisor (https://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurants-g188666-Ghent_East_Flanders_Province.html) for references.