



PRACTICAL INFORMATION PACKAGE
edcom Meeting in Breda
18/19 February 2016



Dear edcom members,

Please find below the most important information about the upcoming edcom Meeting in Breda. Let us know if we can assist you in any way with your preparations!

OVERVIEW OF EVENTS

All meetings will be hosted by our edcom member **NHTV Breda University of Applied Sciences**, located at **Hopmansstraat 1, 4817 JT Breda, The Netherlands**. Many thanks for hosting us, Arnoud!

edcom Research Committee Meeting

18 February 2016, 14h00-16h00

The February edcom events will start with the Research Committee, who will discuss projects like the Thesis Competition, as well as new initiatives.

edcom Board Meeting

18 February 2016, 16h00-17h30

The edcom Board will discuss further on the edcom brand DNA and the future of the network.

edcom Working Groups

18 February 2016, 17h30-18h00

The edcom Working Groups will analyse the outcomes of their particular projects.

edcom Networking Dinner

18 February 2016 19h00

The traditional networking dinner will take place at **Restaurant Barlucca** and is a great opportunity to catch up with all your European colleagues and share best practices in a more informal setting. The restaurant is located at *Van Coothplein 24, 4811 NG Breda*, which is a ten minute walk from the centre of Breda. Depending on where your hotel is located, the restaurant can also be reached with public transport (bus 4, 5, 115 and 145), or by taxi.

edcom Members' Meeting

19 February 2016, 09h00-15h30

The edcom Secretariat will inform edcom members of the status of all projects and will discuss new initiatives during the Annual General Meeting. There will also be a guest speaker introducing a relevant topic followed by a Q&A session.

Extra activities on Saturday (tbc)

20 February 2016

Our host Arnoud Versluis is organising some extra activities on Saturday for those who would like to get to know Breda better and make the most of this edcom gathering! Please stay tuned for more information.

In a nutshell:

18 February

14h00-16h00

16h00-17h30

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19h30

Research Meeting

Board meeting

Working Groups meeting

Networking dinner

19 February

09h30-15h30

edcom Members' Meeting

20 February

To be confirmed

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ACCOMMODATION

We have agreed special rates for edcom members with some hotels near the venue. **Please book in advance to enjoy the deals.**

[Amrath Hotel Brabant****](#)

- Price: **74** EUR/night single or double room (breakfast **not** included)
- Address: Heerbaan 4 - 6, 4817 NL Breda
- Distance: 20 minute walk
- Note when booking: please contact pauline.depelsmacker@eaca.eu to enjoy this discount.

[Hotel Apollo****](#)

- Price: **104** EUR/night Standard single room (breakfast **included**) or **124** EUR/Night Deluxe single room (breakfast **included**)
- Address: Stationsplein 14, 4811 BB Breda
- Distance: 20 minute walk or [15 minute bus ride](#)
- Note when booking: Please book through info.breda@apollohotelsresorts.com or by phone (+31 (0) 76 522 02 00) to enjoy this discount and indicate the code '**EACA**'.

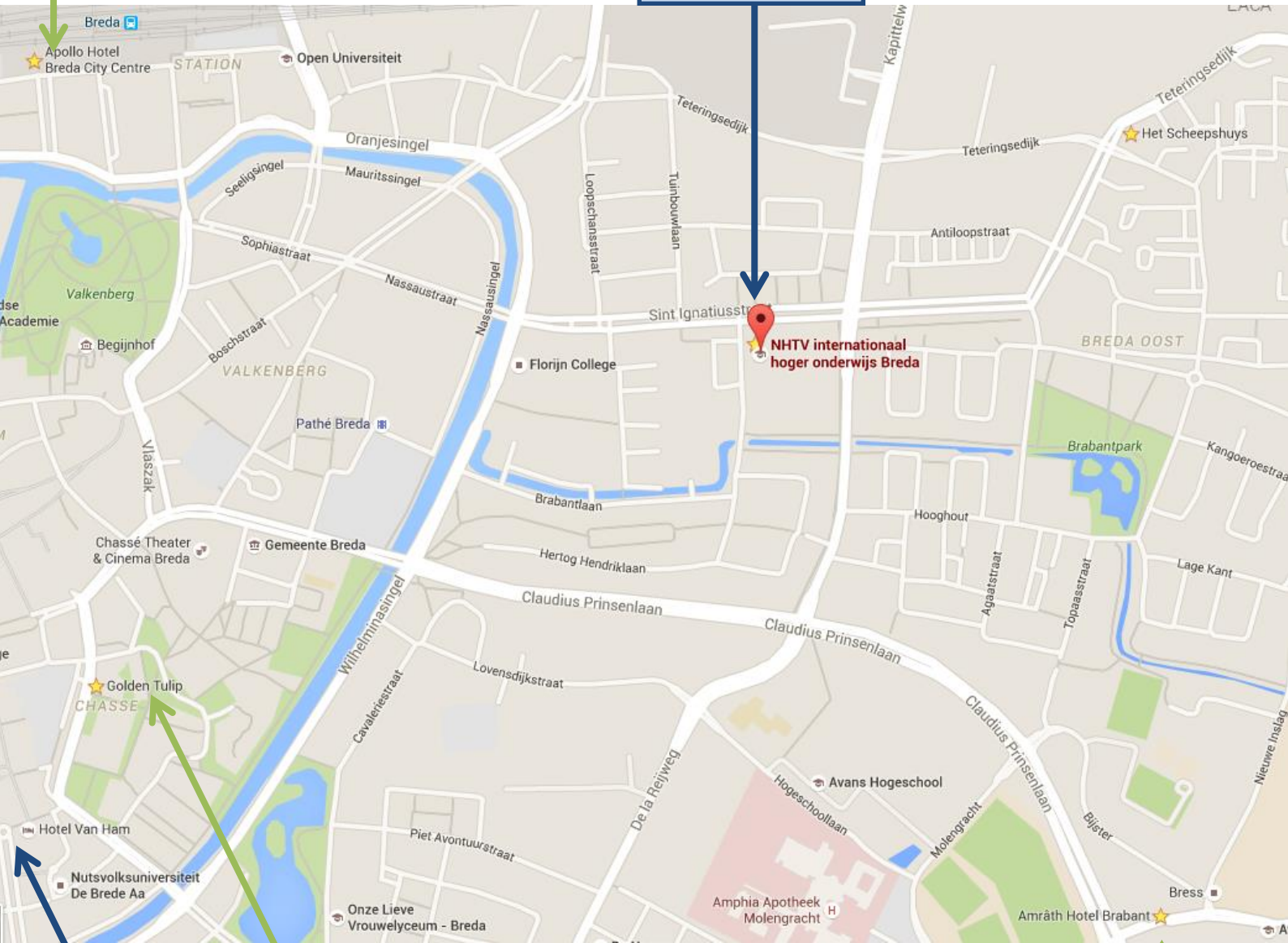
[Hotel Golden Tulip De Keyser Breda****](#)

- Price: **99** EUR/night business class room (breakfast **included**)
- Address: Keizerstraat 5, 4811 HL Breda
- Distance: 20 minute walk or [15 minute bus ride](#)
- Note when booking: Book through their website using name '**EACA**' or reference **KEY-GF13466** to enjoy this rate. This discount code can also be used for the night of 19 February. **Please make sure to book before 15 January 2016 to enjoy this discount!**

VENUES & HOTELS MAP

Apollo Hotel

edcom meetings
NHTV Breda



Restaurant
Barlucca

Hotel Golden Tulip

Amrath Hotel Brabant

TRAVEL

FROM EINDHOVEN AIRPORT TO BREDA

By taxi:

The fare from the airport to the hotel area is estimated to be around **€ 150**. The journey takes around 40 minutes depending on traffic.

By train:

Every 15 minutes there is a train from Eindhoven airport to Eindhoven city, where you need to change to get the train to Breda (every 35 minutes). The complete train journey will approximately last an hour and cost around **€15**.

By bus:

There is an airport shuttle every four hours which goes directly from Eindhoven Airport to Breda at an estimated price of **€30**.

FROM ROTTERDAM AIRPORT TO BREDA

By taxi:

The fare from the airport to the hotel area is estimated to be around **€ 150**. The journey takes around 45 minutes depending on traffic.

By train:

Every 10 minutes there is a train from Rotterdam airport to Rotterdam city where you need change to get the train to Breda (every 30 minutes). The train journey will approximately last an hour and cost around **€10**.

There are no direct **buses** from Rotterdam airport to Breda; therefore, we recommend to take the train.

FROM AMSTERDAM (SCHIPHOL) AIRPORT TO BREDA

By train:

Every 30 minutes there is a direct train from Schiphol airport to Breda. The train journey will last about an hour and costs between €20 and €50 depending on the time of travel and booking.

There are no direct **buses** from Amsterdam airport to Breda and a taxi would be way too expensive. Therefore, we recommend to take the train.