



Welcome to the Kick-off Meeting of the Future Circular Colliders Design Study 12-15 February 2014, University of Geneva

Dear Colleagues,

It is a pleasure to welcome you to the University of Geneva for this event of potentially great importance for the future of our discipline. The physics potential of the Future Circular colliders, from the Tera-Z to the 100 TeV explorations, is exciting. So are the technical challenges that we will encounter during the five year design study, and hopefully for many years thereafter.

We are looking forward to a rewarding and productive meeting. You will find in this folder some practical information giving directions, venue locations and transport.

Location

The meeting will take place at the University of Geneva, at the UNI-MAIL location (Bd du Pont-D'Arve). Instructions on how to get there can be found here: <http://www.unige.ch/presse/static/plan/mail.html>. We strongly discourage coming to UniMail by car. It is more reliable to use the public transport (trams/bus) : Transport Publics Genevois. The route planner is here <http://tpg.hafas.de/hafas/tp/query.exe/en?>. To go from CERN to UNI MAIL in the morning takes 40 minutes with tram 18 departing in front of CERN, changing at Cornavin train station to tram 15 (see map next page). Alight at the Uni-Mail stop which is directly in front of the main building. There is a tram from CERN every 10 minutes.

Vue détaillée

Arrêt/gare	Date	Arr.	Dép.	Moyen de transport	Remarques
CERN	04.02.14		07:33	Trm 18	Trm Direction: Bel-Air
Gare Cornavin		07:55			
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Gare Cornavin			07:59	Trm 15	Trm Direction: Palettes
Uni-Mail		08:09			

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If you arrive by plane, the Geneva International Airport offers you a free ticket for public transport into town. **You can pick up the ticket** from the machine in the baggage collection area at the Arrival level, it allows you to use public transport in the canton of Geneva free for a period of 80 minutes.

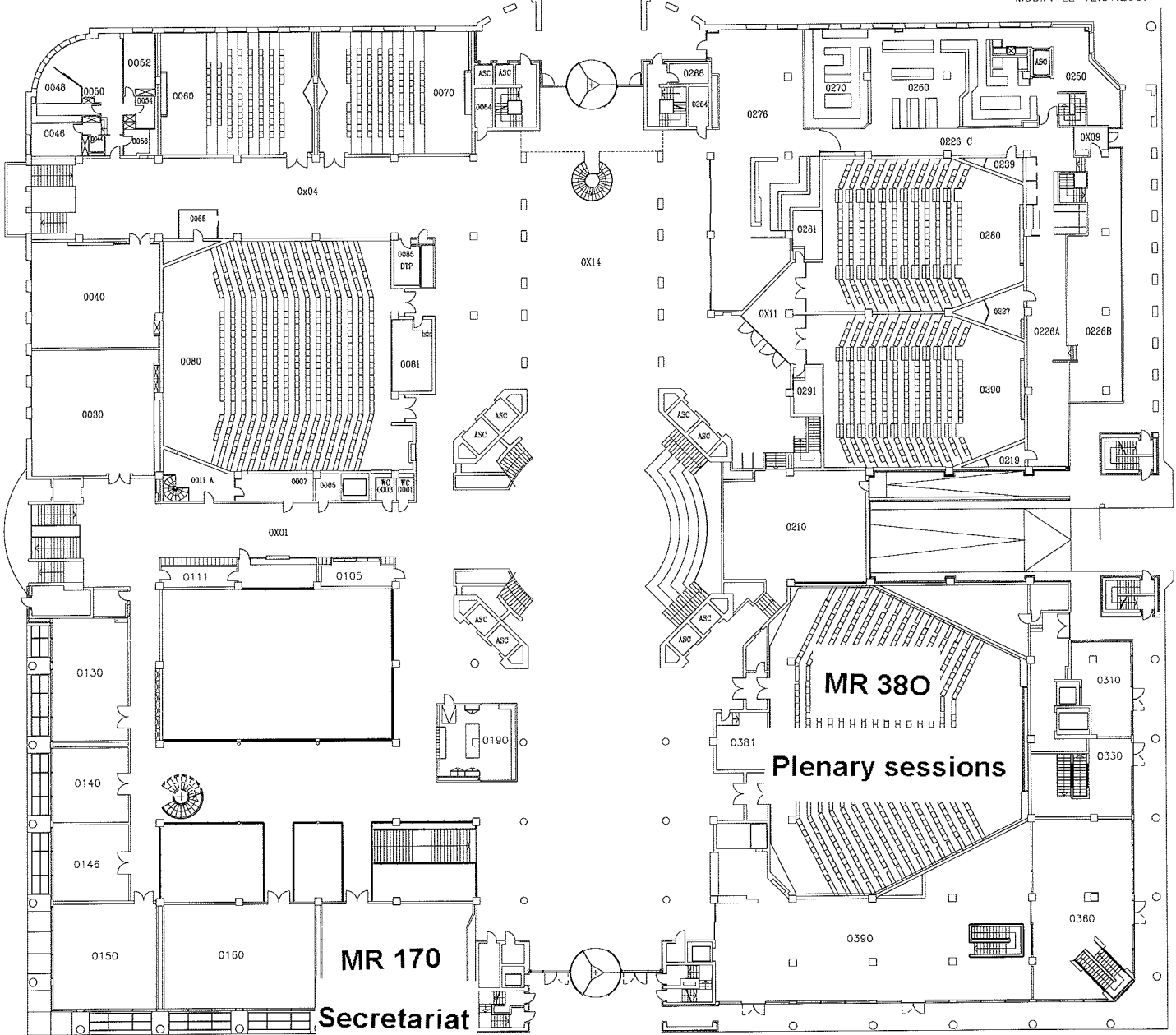
You will also receive a «Geneva Transport Card» (free travel on the Geneva Public Transport system throughout your stay) when you check in at your hotel (in downtown Geneva hotels).

For more information: <http://www.gva.ch/en/desktopdefault.aspx/tabid-67/> and <http://www.geneve-tourisme.ch/en/travel-trade/our-secrets/>

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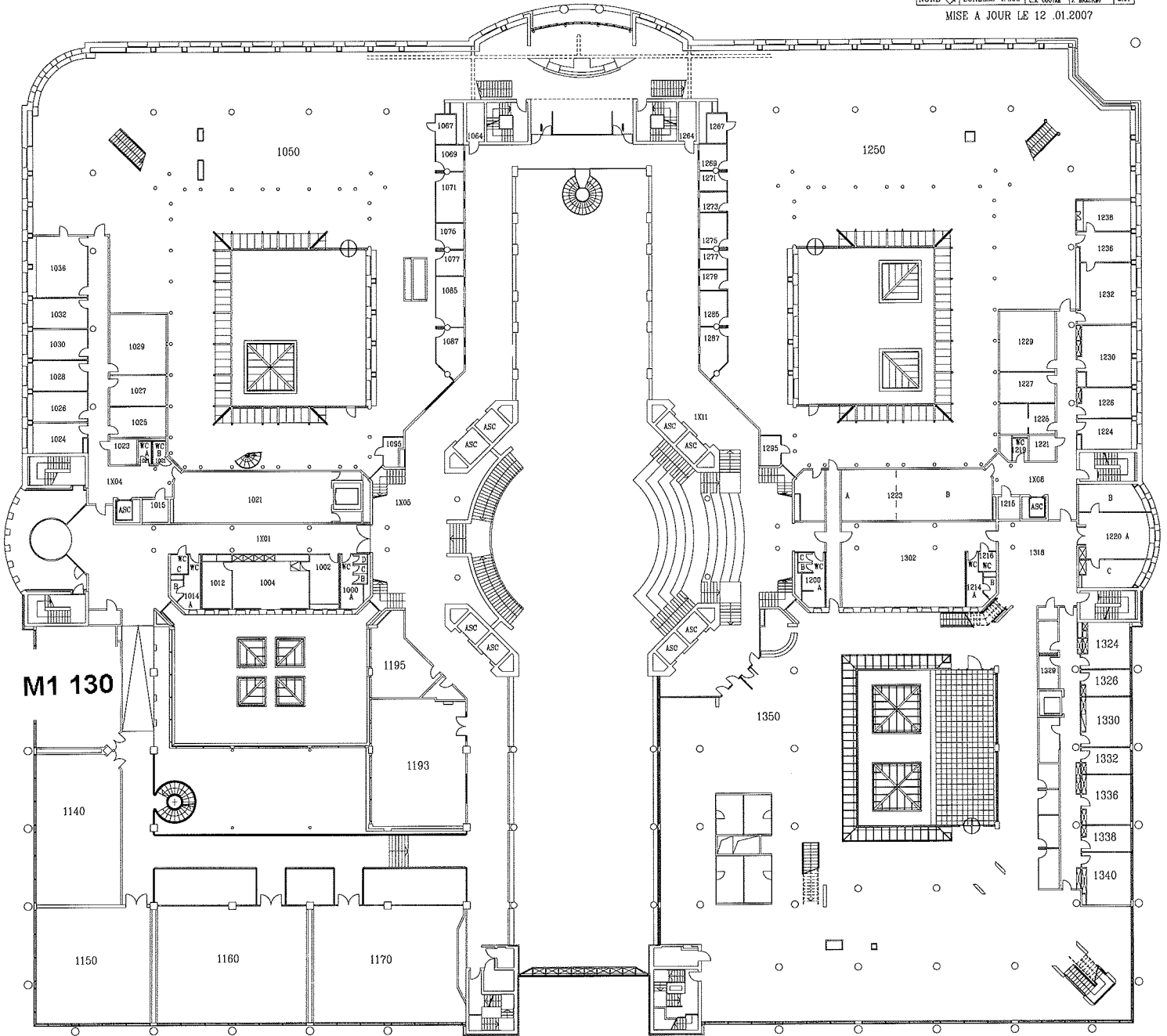
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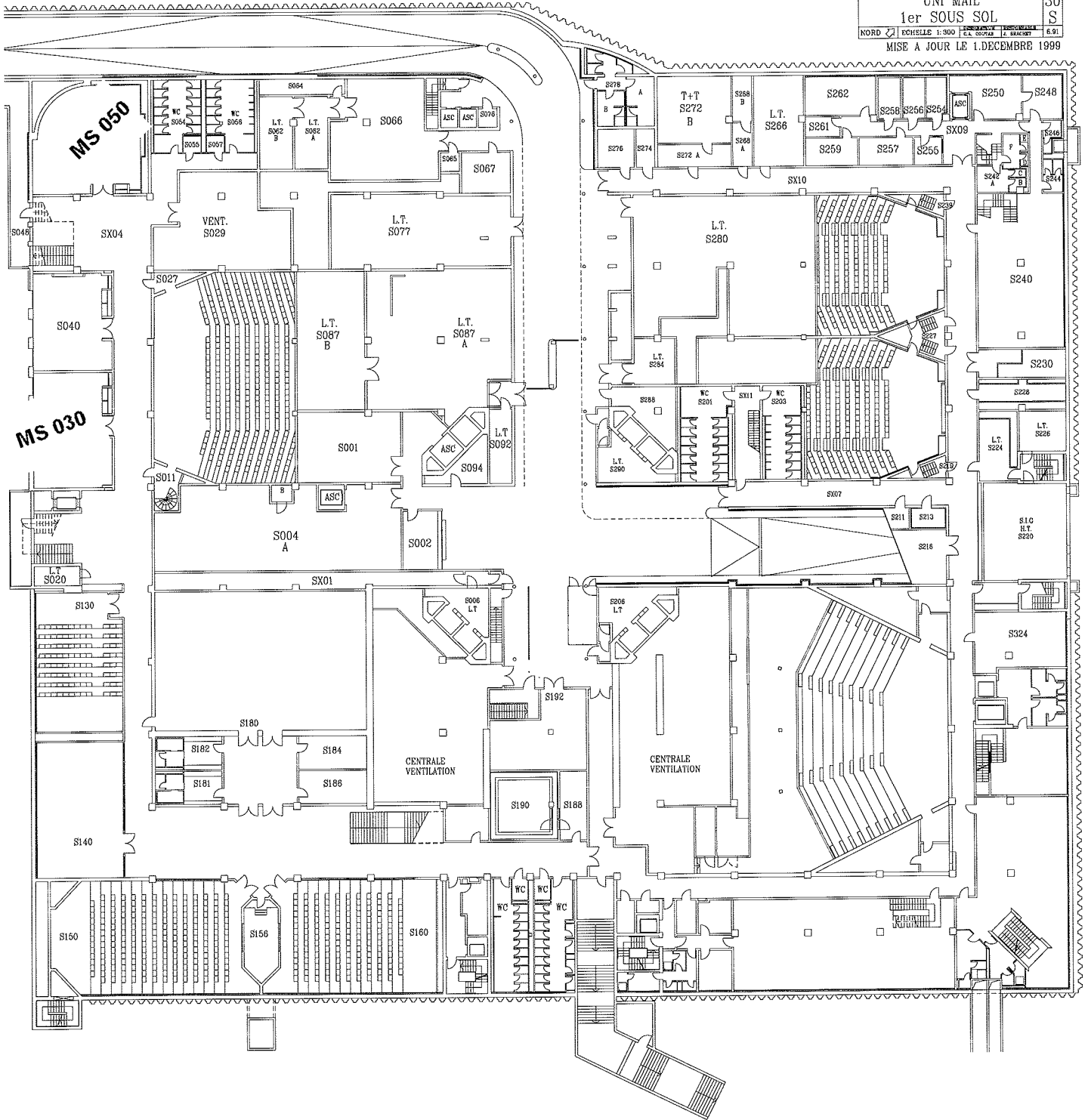
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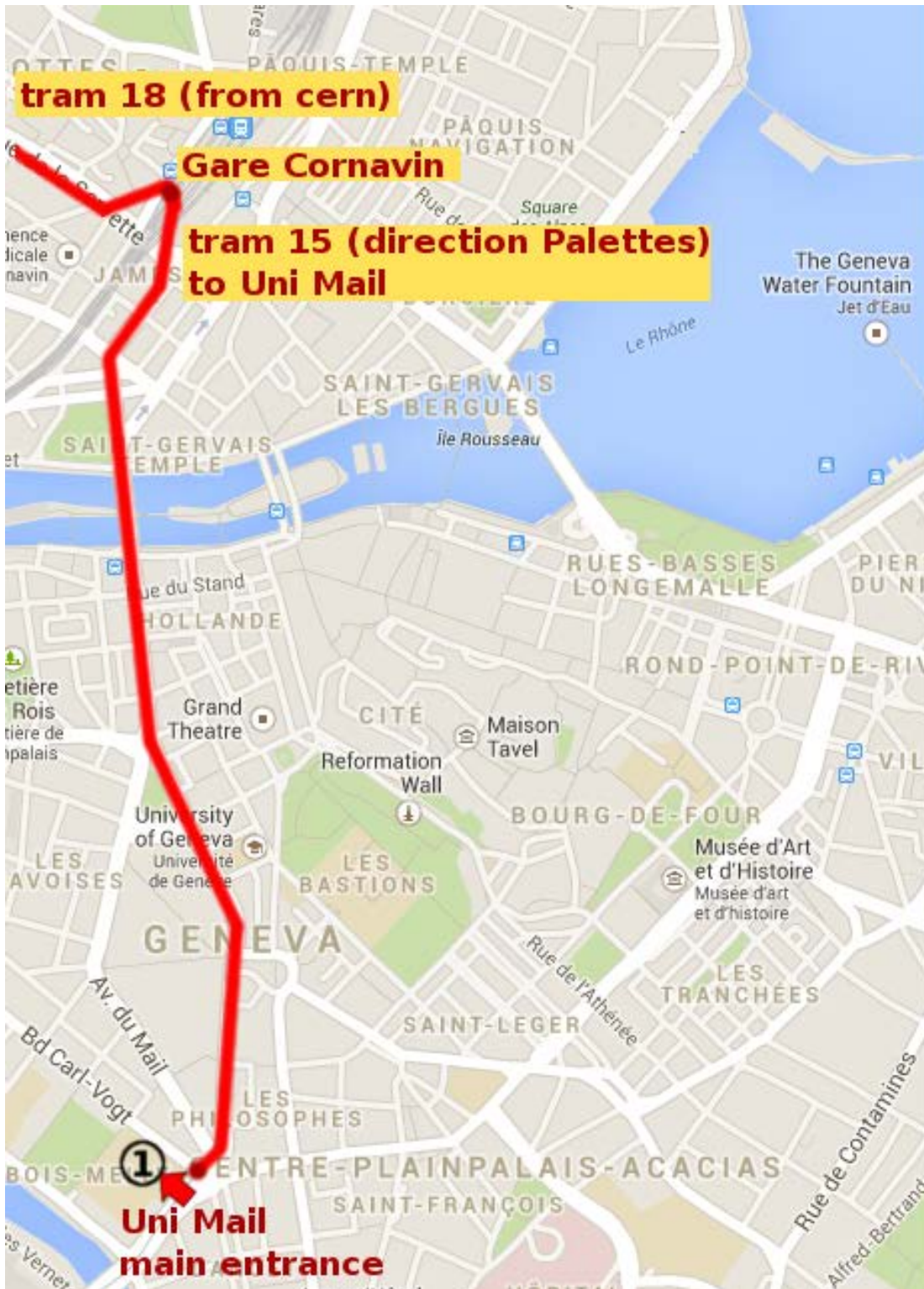
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Auditorium and meeting rooms

The plenary meetings will take place in the Auditorium MR380. The Conference Secretariat and the break-out sessions will be located in nearby meeting rooms. A map of the layout of the rooms is enclosed.

Wireless Internet connection is available, but we must draw your attention on the following:

There are no power connections in the auditorium or meeting rooms, please make sure that you have sufficient reserve if you wish to use your laptop. In case of emergency only, a few power plugs will be available at the Conference Secretariat, but your computer is left at your own risk, the Secretariat is not responsible for it.

Wi-fi Internet connection

SSID unige-public ; user/pwd : fccguest/fccunige2013

Registration, coffee break and lunches

Registration will take place in the Conference Secretariat, room MR170, starting

Wednesday 12 February at 12:00.

Please provide justification of payment of the fee at registration time. The fee includes all breaks, lunches and the workshop dinner.

Refreshments, tea and coffee will be served in the hall of UNI-MAIL and during the coffee breaks. Lunch will be served on Thursday and Friday lunch time on the north side of the hall.

It is essential that you wear your badge at all times. The University is a public place: to ensure the security of the participants and their belongings, badges will be requested.

Room assignment for break-out sessions

(European notation: S stands for basement, R stands for ground floor, 1 for first floor, etc..)

MS 050 basement, FCC Overall physics and phenomenology

MS 030 basement, Lepton-Hadron Physics, Experiments, Detectors

M1 130 first floor, Technical infrastructure and civil engineering

M2 150 second floor, Lepton collider design (+ SC RF technology + injectors)

M2 160 second floor, Hadron collider design (+ SC magnet technology, + injectors)

M2 170 second floor, Hadron collider physics, experiments, detectors

M2 193 second floor, Lepton collider physics, experiments, detectors



Public lecture on Wednesday 12 February at 19:00 at Uni Dufour (rue Général-Dufour, (2) on the map)

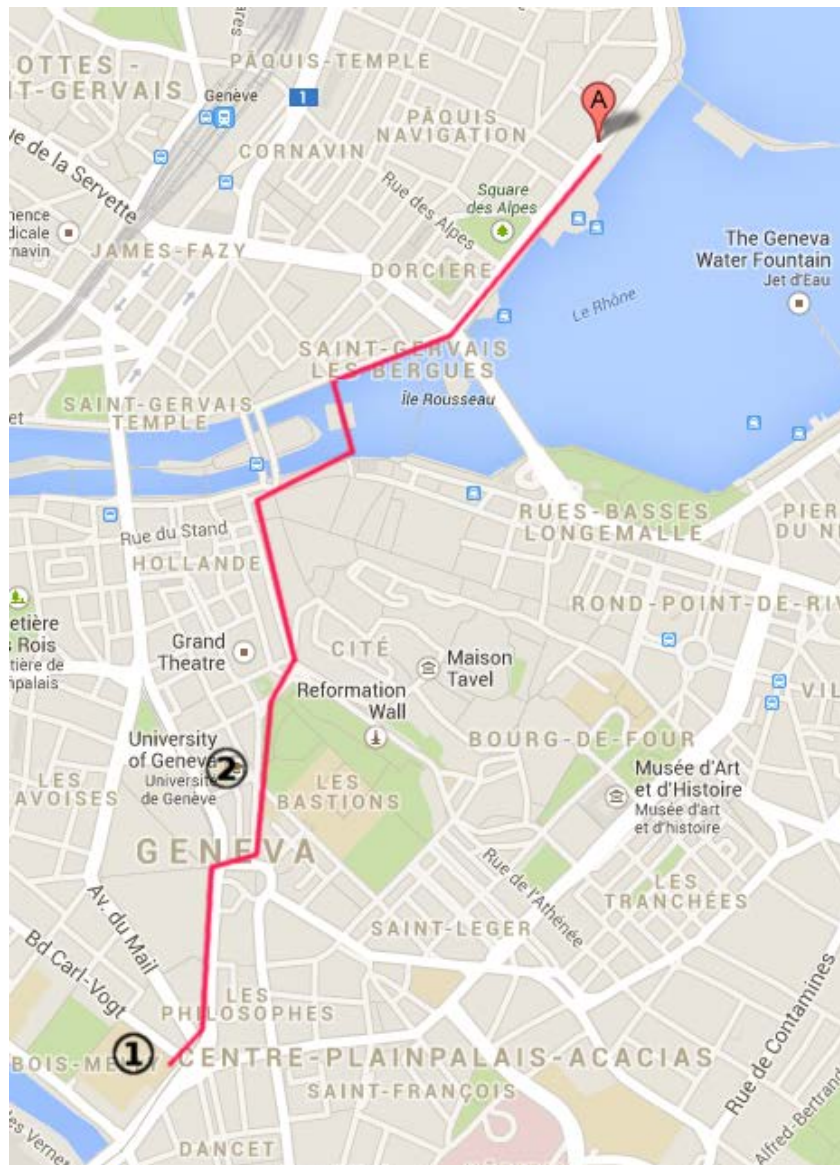
The public lecture, in French, will be given by Michel Spiro (CEA) : “Le boson de Higgs et le Seigneur des Anneaux”. <http://www.unige.ch/public/carrousel/Higgs.html>





Workshop dinner will take place on Thursday 13 February 19:30 at the Grand Hotel Kempinski (19 Quai du Mont Blanc) on the north shore of the lake. It is a 25-minute walk through the old town. The price of dinner is included in the registration fee. It is a single menu dinner with wine included.

IF YOU WISH TO ORDER A VEGETARIAN MENU FOR THE CONFERENCE DINNER AT THE KEMPINSKI HOTEL, PLEASE INFORM CONNIE.POTTER@CERN.CH BY 9 FEBRUARY.



From **1** Uni Mail (40 bd du Pont d'Arve) to **A** Kempinski Hotel (19 Quai du Mont Blanc) :

On Foot = 2.2 km – around 27 min.

By Tram/Bus: Tram 15 (Nations) at “Uni Mail stop” up to “Gare Cornavin” , then Bus 25 (Jardin Botanique) up to “Monthoux” stop = around 15 min.

By Taxi: 022 33 141 33 = around 10 min. - 30 CHF



More information about Geneva

Tourist information:

Information office:

Pont de la Machine 1

1204 Genève

Phone: +41 (0) 22-311 99 70

Closed on Sundays.

Tourism office:

Rue du Mont-Blanc 18

1201 Genève

Phone: +41 (0) 22-909 70 00

Closed on Sundays from 1 September to 15 June.

More information:

http://www.geneva.ch/welcome_en.html

<http://www.whygeneva.ch/>

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The Old City

Hidden away in the Old City's picturesque narrow streets you'll find a multitude of art galleries, antique shops, bookshops and charming cafés. Leading off from the Cathedral, cobbled streets and connecting passageways entice you to stroll around the Bourg-du-Four, along the Promenade de la Treille or the Terrasse Agrippa d'Aubigné.

Parks and Lakeside

525 acres of public parks to relax in. As you walk along the quays from the Botanical Gardens, past the Flower Clock and the Water Jet all the way round to the beautiful rose gardens in the Parc des Eaux-Vives and the Parc de la Grange, all Geneva's different facets will unfold before you - from its gardens and buildings to the Lake.

Shopping

All sorts of shops from small boutiques (in the Rue du Rhône neighbourhood and the Corraterie, in the Old City) to department stores in the Rue de la Confédération, de la Croix d'Or, du Marché ("downtown") and Coutance.

Opening hours:

Monday-Wednesday 9am-7pm

Thursday 9am-9pm

Friday 9am-7.30pm

Saturday 9am-6pm

Sunday closed

You can change money in the main Geneva banks, stations and foreign exchange offices.