

# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Hotel Skalský dvůr 18–25/11/2019



# **VENUE - HOTEL SKALSKÝ DVŮR**

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Hotel Skalský dvůr is located in the Vysočina Region (highlands Region) amidst meadows and forests on the shore of the Skalský pond. There are 2 conference halls, 5 classrooms, 6 lounges, 2 spacious halls, an indoor pool, a sauna, restaurant, a lobby bar, and a parking lot. Hotel Skalsky dvur has 68 rooms, the accommodation capacity is 176 beds, Free WiFi in all rooms and other areas of the hotel.













## **HOTEL SKALSKÝ DVŮR**

## **ŽĎÁR NAD SÁZAVOU**

GPS: 49°33'53.233"N, 16°10'43.612"E

TRAIN STATION, SHUTTLE BUS TO HOTEL



## **HOW TO GET TO THE VENUE**

You can take a train from Prague or Brno to **Žďár nad Sázavou**. SEARCH THE TRAIN SCHEDULES HERE.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Long-term train diversion in Brno: most trains do not arrive/depart from main railway station 'Brno hlavní nádraží'. Trains from and to Prague, Vienna and Budapest stop at 'Brno dolní nádraží'.

The train to Žďár nad Sázavou departs either from **Brno dolní nádraží** and from **Brno-Královo Pole nádraží.** See the stations on a MAP HERE.

BRNO PUBLIC TRANSPORT SEARCH

### **EFEPR SHUTTLE BUS DEPARTURE TIMES**

### 18/11 FROM <u>ŽĎÁR NAD SÁZAVOU TRAIN STATION</u> TO HOTEL SKALSKÝ DVŮR

16:40 AND 19:00



25/11 FROM <u>Hotel skalský dvůr</u> to žďár nad sázavou main station 13:30

## **HOW TO GET TO THE VENUE**

### **TAXI INFORMATION**

• Osobní přeprava ČR a EU - Šustr

Phone: +420 778 751 802

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Basic Price: 18 Kč/km

Hotel Skalský dvůr - Žďár nad Sázavou 23 km / 414 Kč Hotel Skalský dvůr - Václav Havel Airport Prague 198 km / 3 564 Kč Hotel Skalský dvůr - Vienna airport 215 km / 3 870 Kč

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Hotel Skalský dvůr - Žďár nad Sázavou 550 - 650 Kč Hotel Skalský dvůr - Václav Havel Airport Prague 4 000 - 4 400 Kč Hotel Skalský dvůr - Vienna airport 4 400 - 4 800 Kč

## **CURRENCY**

The currency used in Czech Republic is the Czech Crown (not Euro!). It is called "koruna" (crown, abbreviated Kč), coins in the following denominations are in circulation: 1,2,5,10,20 and 50 crowns.

In addition there are the following notes: 100, 200, 500, 1,000, 2,000 and 5,000 crowns. Beware of currency exchange tellers which promise rates that are too good to be true – they will charge exorbitant exchange fees. According to Czech National Bank, 1 USD = 23.022 CZK, 1 EUR = 25.570 CZK, more currencies you can find <a href="here">here</a>. Here is the picture how Czech crown banknotes look like. All major credit and debit cards are widely accepted at shops, hotels, banks and ATM machines. Euros are usually not accepted. Therefore, we recommend having some cash in Czech Crowns. You can exchange cash in banks (usually some small fee is applied) or at exchange office (where ex-change rates can vary) or use an ATM machine to withdraw – there are a lot of them in the cities.



Fig. 1. How Czech current banknotes looks like. Beware of fraud.

## THE COST OF LIVING

Fast food	CZK	Restaurants	CZK	Resaurants/bars/ pubs	CZK
cheeseburger at McDondal's	29	scrambled eggs / omelette	60-120	espresso	30-50
big mac menu at McDondal's	135	pancakes	80-120	cappuccino	50-60
longer at KFC	35	soup	50-100	tap water (0.51)	0-30
twister at KFC	89	svíčková (sirloin with sauce)	120-200	coke (0.3I)	35-55
whooper at Burger King	79	most of lunch dishes	100-150	draft beer (0.51)	40-60
caffé latté (grande) at Starbucks	89	burgers	150-250	glass of wine	50-80

Table 1. Average CZ prices in 2019 for different meals and beverages

The cost of living in the Czech Republic is much lower than in the old EU member states. For basic expenses such as food, accommodation and transportation, students will need cca 300 EUR per month.

## WEATHER

#### **Temperature**

The average temperatures in November would be between 1°C and 6°C (with extreme peaks as low as -10°C and high as 17°C)

#### **Rainfall**

The likelihood of rainfall is 62%.

#### **Snowfall**

The probability of snowfall is 21%.

Daylight: 9 hours

Sunrise: around 07:30 Sunset: around 16:00

**HERE** is the statistics of the weather forecast at venue's region.

## **CZECH LANGUAGE**

Czech is one of the West Slavic languages, along with Slovak, Polish and Lusatian Sorbian. It is spoken by most people in the Czech Republic and by Czechs all over the world (about 12 million native speakers in total). Czech is quite close to and mutually intelligible with Slovak and, to a lesser degree, to Polish or to Sorbian in East Germany. As for the relation between Czech and Slovak, speakers of these languages usually understand the other language pretty well both in its written form and spoken.

One beer, please.	Jedno pivo, prosím.
Two beers, please.	Dvě piva, prosím.
Yes	Ano
No	Ne
My name is	Jmenuji se
How are you?	Jak se máte?
Do you speak English?	Mluvíte anglicky?
I don't speak Czech.	Nemluvím česky.
I don't understand	Nerozumím.
Thank you.	Děkuji.
Hi / Bye	Ahoj
Excuse me.	S dovolením.
Where is? Kde je?	

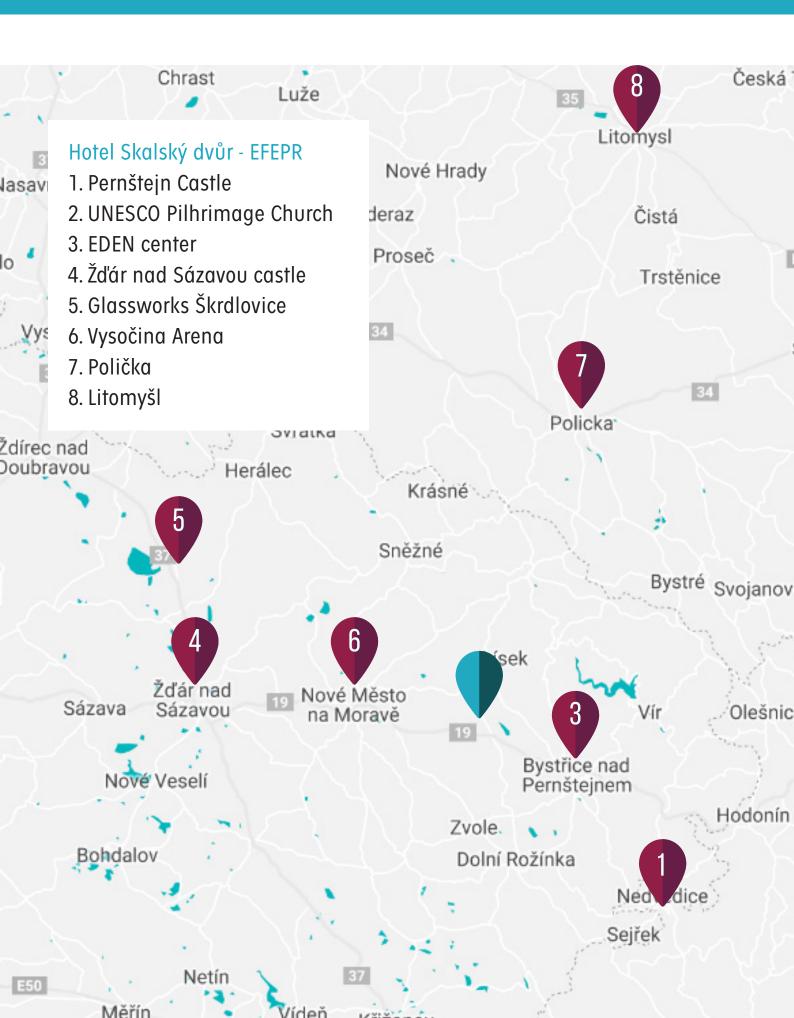
Useful Czech phrases and words. The pronunciation is simple, in that words are pronounced the same way as they are written. Taken from  $\underline{1}$  and  $\underline{2}$ .

#### Do people in Czech speak English?

Apart from Czech language, which is the language of 98% of the population. Czechs can be divided into three groups: The first one, the older generation – above 80 years old, speaks German, the middle group, people between 40 and 80 should be able to speak Russian as most of them studied it at school.

Young people speak English. English is more and more popular among the older generations too – it's the language of online world and social media as well as business and trade and a lot of people attend language courses in order to catch up with the rest of the world. Also, you can learn a few phrases or just words in Czech prior to your visit. It is fun, and the locals will appreciate it.

## **TIPS FOR TRIPS**



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## HOSPITAL NOVÉ MĚSTO NA MORAVĚ

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Monday-Friday 3.00 p.m. - 8.00 p.m. Weekends & holidays 9.00 a.m. - 8.00 p.m.

Departments of Hospital Emergency Services are available outside the period referred to above

# Day 1, Monday

18:30 - 21:30	Welcome Mixer					
	Day 2, Tuesday	Day 3, Wednesday	Day 4, Thursday	Day 5, Friday	Day 6, Saturday	Day 7, Sunday
09:00 - 09:30	Welcome					
09:30 - 10:30	1. Fundamental Theory of EPR Quantum Mechanics (Edgar Groenen)	4. Quantum chemical calculations, ORCA tutorials (Frank Neese)	8. Introduction to NMR (Lukáš Žídek)	11. ESEEM, HYSCORE (Sabine van Doorslaer)	13. Multi Frequency EPR and transition metal complexes (Alexander Schnegg)	16. Biological applications of EPR (Marilena Di Valentin)
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:50	Student presentation	5. MW propagation - Quasi Optics (Richard Wylde)	9. DNP, ENDOR (Marina Bennati)	12. ELDOR detected NMR (Daniella Goldfarb)	14. Optically Detected Magnetic Resonance (Jörg Wrachtrup)	17. EPR imaging (Boris Epel)
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
13:30 - 15:30	Free time	Free time	Free time		Free time	Free time
15:30 - 17:00	2. Relaxation processes (Thomas Prisner)	6. EasySpin (Stefan Stoll)	10. Pulsed EPR, DEER (Gunnar Jeschke)	Excursion	15. Transient EPR (Serge Gambarelli)	18. Materials, surfaces, powders (Piotr Pietrzyk)
17:00 - 17:30	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Free time	Coffee break	Coffee break
17:30 – 19:00	3. EPR Instrumentation (Patrick Carl)	7. MW technology – generation (Jeffrey Hesler)	Parallel tutorials session / class rooms		Parallel tutorials session / class rooms	Parallel tutorials session / class rooms
19:00 - 20:00	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Organizers word
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# Day 8, Monday

19. Rapid Scan EPR (Mark Tseytlin)	Coffee break	20. High Frequency EPR (Graham Smith)	Lunch	Free time	Departure
09:00 - 10:30	10:30 - 11:00	11:00 – 12:30	12:30 - 13:30	13:30 - 15:30	15:30 - 21:30



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