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## How to reach us

### From Brussels National Airport (Zaventem)

Take a taxi (expensive) or a train (frequent) to reach campus Etterbeek of VUB. Tell the taxi driver to go to **VUB** as there is also another university (ULB) next door!

Train: The train station can be found at the bottom floor (level -1) of the airport. Tickets can be purchased at the vending machines in the train station there. You can pay in cash or with Bancontact, Visa, Aurora, AmericanExpress or Mastercard.

There are 2 direct trains per hour to station “Etterbeek”, which is only 5 minutes on foot from our offices. The journey takes about 25 minutes and there are 3 stops in between. Another option is to take a train to Brussels Central train station (several per hour) and take a train to Etterbeek there. This information can also be found on the website of the Belgian rail company: <http://www.belgianrail.be/jp/sncb-nmbs-routeplanner/query.exe/en>.

Direct train Brussels Airport – Etterbeek:

xxh17 direction Dinant

xxh47 direction Charleroi-Sud

### By train / metro / tram

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It is also possible to travel to our campus by metro or tram from the Brussels city centre. The metro stops closest to the campus are “Pétillon” and “Delta”, about 10 minutes on foot from our building.

Tramline 25 stops right in front of the campus. All details about the metro and tram lines can be found on <http://www.stib-mivb.be/index.htm?!=en>.

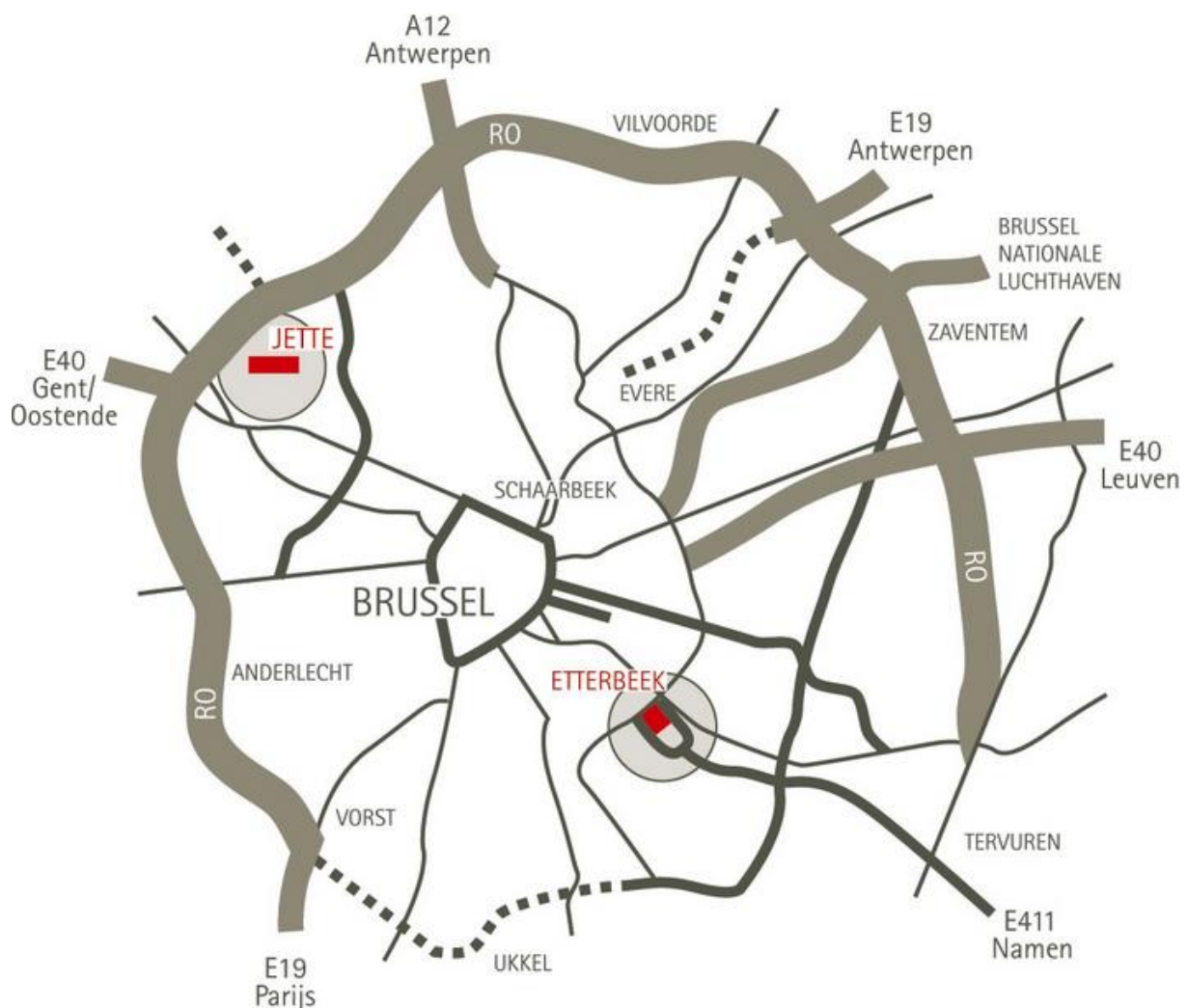
## By car

When you travel to Brussels by car, you are likely to approach Brussels by the Ring Highway around Brussels. From there on, there are two possibilities:

1. Highway E40 - Luik/Liège. Take the Montgomery exit at the end (keep left) and follow the broad boulevards through the tunnels (under Montgomery Square) until the Boulevard General Jacques (about 2 km). After you have passed the tram stop "VUB", turn left into Pleinlaan and follow straight. Enter the campus through the second entry on your left, Entry 13.

2. Highway E411 - Namur. Follow the viaduct at the end of the highway, arriving at the Delta Bus Depot. Turn left at the traffic lights and follow the Triomfiaan / Pleinlaan until Entry 13.

If you arrive from somewhere near, maybe you don't need to take the Ring. Other possible ways of getting here by secondary roads are shown on the map below.



## CHIS Department

We are located on the 5<sup>th</sup> Floor of building G at the campus Etterbeek - Oefenplein of the VUB.

Building G can be reached from the Pleinlaan, where one takes Entry 13. The building is the last one on your left further down the road. Take the elevator at entrance (Rotule) 6 to the 5<sup>th</sup> floor and you will end up at the Department of Chemical Engineering immediately.

If you come from the Etterbeek Railway Station, you will enter the campus from Entry 11 and just have to follow the directions to building G.

Please note that that Entry 6 at Triomflaan is no longer available due to construction works (for more information: <http://www.vub.ac.be/2020/>)

