

Short Course Aircraft Design 2011 – Transport and Accommodation in Hamburg

1. Arrival at Hamburg airport and onward travel

From Hamburg Airport you get to the Main Station in the city center using different means of transportation (http://www.hamburg-airport.de/en/getting_to_the_airport.html). You probably want to use the new S-Bahn (suburban rail network) line S1, that operates every 10 minutes between Hamburg Airport and Hamburg's central railway station, Hauptbahnhof, a journey of only 25 minutes. The "Hamburg Airport (Flughafen)" S-Bahn station is directly in front of the terminals and is easily reached by lift, escalator or stairs. The fare to the city center will cost 2,80 Euro. Plan your way in Hamburg with public transport on the internet: <http://www.geofox.de>.

2. Hamburg CARD

The Hamburg CARD allows you unlimited travel on the public transport system and gives you reductions on Alster boat trips, harbor trips, museums, theatres and many things more. It also gives you a reduction on the Jasper bus, so you should have it before you get to Hamburg. Check for prices online. You can also buy the Hamburg CARD online: <http://www.hamburg-tourism.de/en/search-booking/hamburg-card-co/hamburg-card>

3. Weekly Pass / 3-Day Ticket / Day Ticket / Single Fare

You will need tickets for the dinner in Blankenese and for the course days at HAW Hamburg (in case you come to the university with public transport) and for the days at Airbus. Information on public transport in Hamburg you find here: <http://www.hvv.de>.

For the week of the short course you can decide whether you want to buy a **Weekly Pass** which would be valid from Monday. If you are planning to go places in the evenings, then it would be cheaper than buying single tickets. You can buy this at the HVV main shop at the main station (more complicated than getting a ticket on the bus or from a machine). Costs: 24.50 Euro (Grossbereich). <http://shop.hvv.de/product/31/show/0/0/0/0>

You can buy easily get day tickets on the bus or from the machine.

The **3-Day Ticket** costs 16,50 Euro. <http://www.hvv.de/fahrkarten/tageskarten/3-tage-karte>

A **Day Ticket** costs 6,80 Euro. <http://www.hvv.de/fahrkarten/tageskarten/ganztageskarte>

A **single fare** usually costs 2,80 Euro.

4. Accommodation (examples)

Suite Hotel

http://www.suite-hotel.com/suitehotel/fichehotel/de/sui/3756/fiche_hotel.shtml

The Hotel is on campus. Good quality. In my opinion too expensive unless you bring your partner and want your organization pay for that (2nd person in the room is free).

Hotel Baseler Hof

<http://www.baselerhof.de>

Good quality, fair price, location ok. Short walk and train ride (15 minutes) to university.

Jugendherberge (Youth Hostel)

<http://www.jugendherberge.de/jh/hamburg-stintfang>

Location with view over the harbour. For all who stayed young in mind and don't mind if it's getting a little rough. Short walk and train ride (20 minutes) to university.