TRAVEL INFO

The Orpheus Institute is situated in the city centre of Ghent.

By air

Belgium’s international airport (Brussels Airport) is situated in Zaventem. From Brussels Airport it is possible to travel by train to Ghent. In the airport, follow the signs to the train station, which is below ground level. Buy a ticket for Ghent St-Pieters station (direct train: app. 1h10min; stop train: 1h40min). From Ghent St-Pieters station, you can take a tram, bus or taxi to the city centre.

The other main airport is situated in Charleroi. From Charleroi Airport (official name: Brussels South Charleroi Airport), you can take the shuttle bus to Brussels Zuid/Midi station (app. 1 hour). From Zuid/Midi station you can take the train to Ghent St-Pieters station, you can take a tram, bus or taxi to the city centre.

Brussels Airport – Zaventem: www.brusselsairport.be
Brussels South Charleroi Airport: www.brussels-charleroi-airport.com

By train

There are two railway stations in Ghent – Gent Sint-Pieters and Gent Dampoort – which allow smooth access to the Belgian railway network. At these stations, there are several buses and trams to the city centre. You can also take a taxi.

From Gent St-Pieters station: take tram 1, direction ‘Wondelgem/Evergem’ and hop off at the ‘Korte Meer’ stop.
From Gent Dampoort: take bus 3, 17, 18, 38 or 39 to the city centre and hop off at the ‘Korenmarkt’ stop.

NMBS (train company): www.belgianrail.be
De Lijn (tram & bus company): www.delijn.be

By car

If you decide to come by car, you will find Ghent at the intersection of two highways:
• E17 connecting Lisbon, Paris, Ghent, Antwerp, Köln, Copenhagen, Stockholm
• E40 connecting Calais, Ghent, Brussels, Frankfurt, Vienna, Budapest, Sophia, Istanbul

Follow the P-route directions to ‘Parking Kouter’ (P5) or ‘Parking Center Parking/Korte Meer’ (P6). Both parkings are at walking distance from the Orpheus Institute.

HOTEL INFO

Recommended hotels at walking distance from the Orpheus Institute:

- Hotel Ibis St Baafs Kathedraal Limburgstraat 2 (400m) $$
- Hotel Ibis Gent Centrum Opera Nederkouter 24 (450m) $$
- Hotel Novotel Gent Centrum Goudenleeuwplein 5 (450m) $$$
- Chambreplus Bed & Breakfast Hoogpoort 31 (600m) $$$
- Artigand Bed & Breakfast Rozemarijnstraat 29 (1.2km) $$
- 13 O’Clock Hostel Universiteitsstraat 13 (150m) $