



Digital Waters Flagship

Turku biannual 11.-12.3.2026



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DIWA spring biannual will be organised at University of Turku. Registration is open [HERE](#) until 13.2.2026.

The event page with programme <https://eve.utu.fi/event/96/>



Venue

- **University of Turku**
 - Henrikinkatu 2 / Vesilinnantie 5
- **Buildings:**
 - [Natura](#) and [Main Building](#) on University Hill



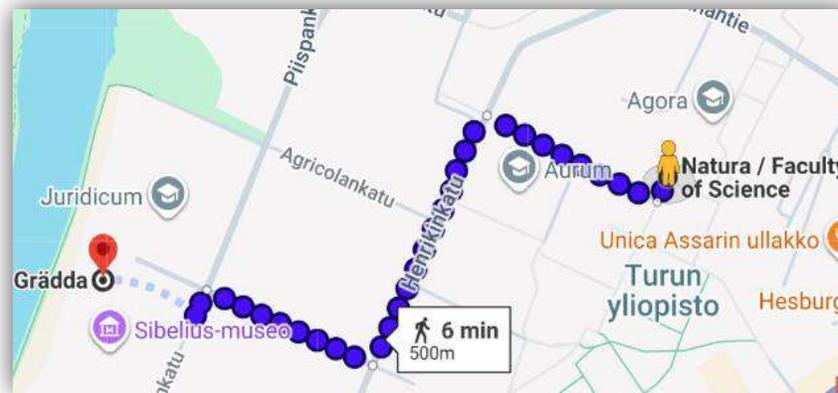
<https://www.utu.fi/en/university/for-visitors>



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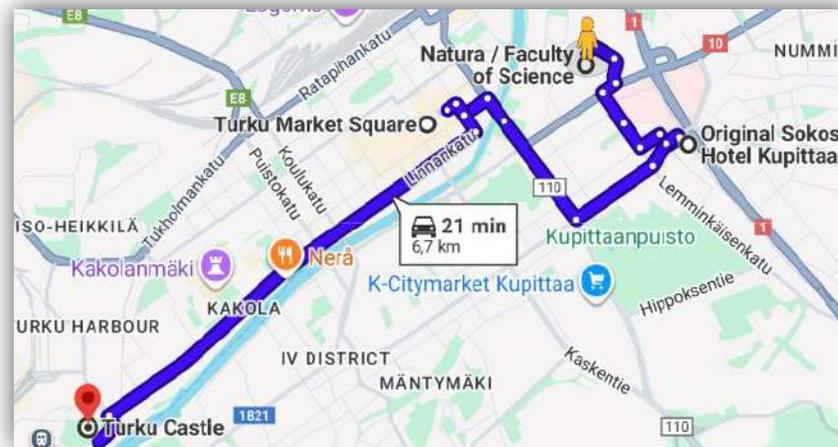
- **Lunch**

- [Restaurant Grädda](#)
- Piispankatu 15
- Short walk from university



- **Dinner on Wednesday**

- [Turku Castle](#)
- Linnankatu 80
- Bus transport



Schedule

- **Wednesday, 11th**

- The programme starts at 9 a.m. in Natura
- The programme of the first day ends at 4 p.m.
- The evening dinner at Turku Castle begins at 6 p.m.
 - We have a joint bus transport in route University – Kupittaa – Market square – castle on the way to dinner.
 - The way back with public transportation

- **Thursday, 12th**

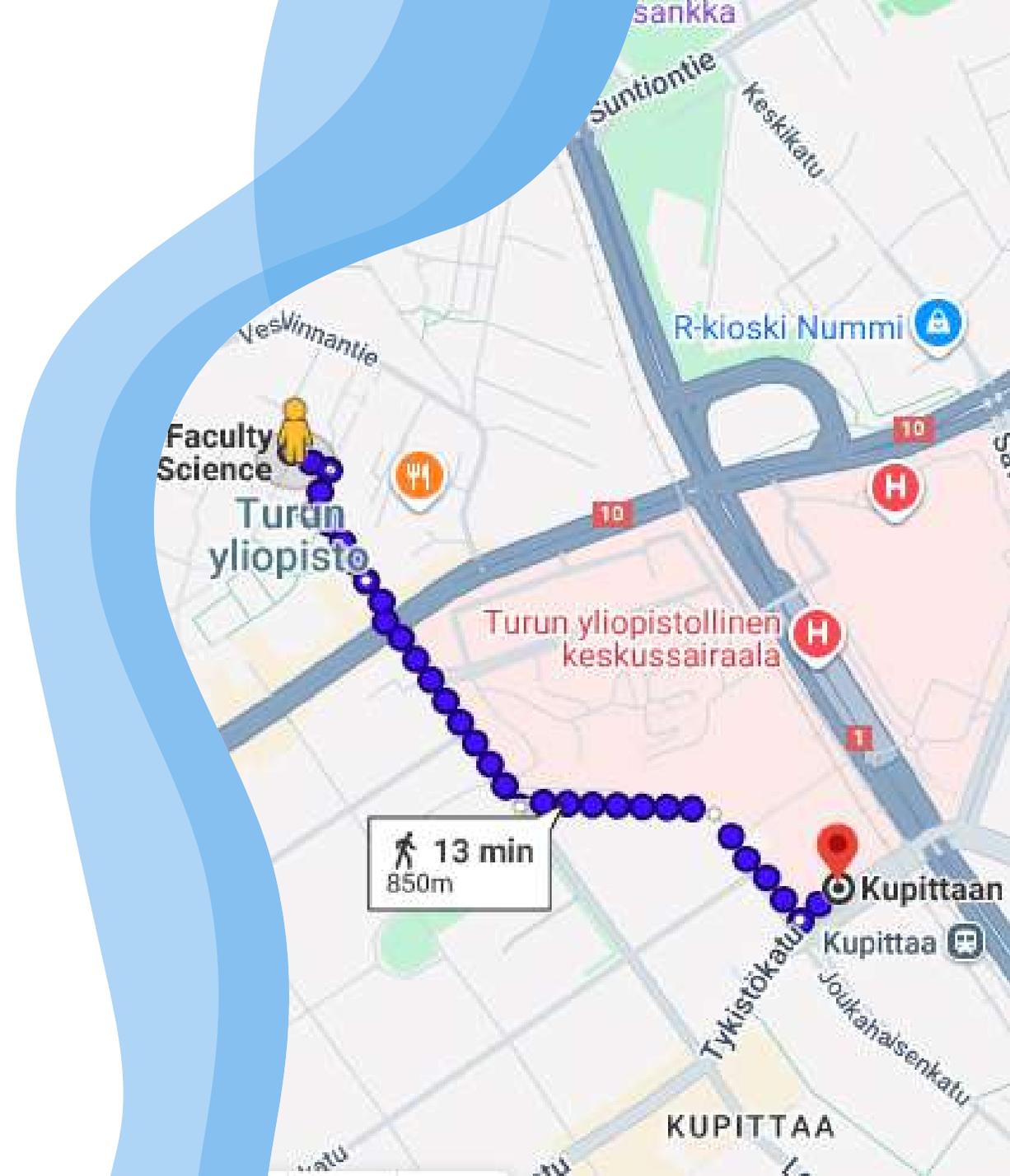
- The biannual starts at 9 a.m. in the Main Building and the programme ends at 2:30 p.m.



Arrival instructions

Arriving by train:

- From Oulu
 - Night train 266 arrives to Turku main/Logomo station at 7:33 a.m. on Wednesday
 - Night train 266 + Intercity 943 arrives to Kupittaa at 8:28 a.m. on Wednesday
 - Night train 274 with two changes arrives to Kupittaa at 8:38 a.m. on Wednesday
 - You should also consider arriving already on Tuesday
- From Helsinki
 - Intercity 943 arrives to Kupittaa at 8:28 a.m. on Wednesday
- The walk from the **Kupittaa station** to University of Turku is 850 meters
- The distance from the **Main train station (Turku)** to University of Turku is 2 kilometers
- Bus from the Main train station to university:
 - Bus 3 from stop "Turku railway station" to "University (TYKS U-hospital)"
 - Bus 2 from stop "Autistenaukio" to "Rehtorinpellonkatu"
 - You can use your bank card to pay for the public transport



Arrival instructions

Arriving by bus:

- The distance from **Turku bus station** (Läntinen pitkäkatu 7) to University of Turku is 1,5 km
- You can take Föli bus 6 or 2 from "Turku bus station" to university bus stop "Rehtorinpellonkatu"

Arriving by plane:

- Turku Airport has only international air traffic

Public transport:

- Turku region public transport Föli
- Bus timetables and routes: <https://www.foli.fi/en>
- You can pay for bus tickets with contactless payment using you bank card (or phone if you use Apple or Google pay)



Accommodation

Turku train station

University Hill

Scandic Julia

Sokos Hotel Wiklund

Scandic Hamburger Börs

Bob W

Sokos Hotel Kupittaa
Kupittaa train station

To the Turku Castle

Some Hansel hotels close to the venue

- Original Sokos Hotel Kupittaa (850 m, next to Kupittaa train station)
- Scandic Julia (1100 m)
- Original Sokos Hotel Wiklund (1300 m)
- Scandic Hamburger Börs (1400 m)
- Bob W (1500 m)

Other info

Pre-Tasks for PhD pilots:

- Submit an industry-style CV or resume by 23.2
- Record a short video introducing yourself to an industry audience, as preparation for meeting with company representatives. You can adapt your 2-minute pitch that you have already practiced.
- Sign-up for the business match-making platform

Cost and Payment:

- Cost estimate:
 - Core group members (3 days) **302€**
 - PhD Pilot researchers etc. (2 days) **159€**
- Costs are invoiced afterwards from your respective organizations.
- Registration to the event is binding and will be invoiced.

**Remember to register
by 13.2.**

See you!

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