

Practical information, 95th ExCo Meeting in Oslo, Norway

June 4-7, 2024

Agenda (preliminary)

Date	Time (CEST)	Event	Place
Tuesday June 4, 2024	09:00-13:00	National day: Dissemination of “Solar Neighborhood Planning” to Norwegian experts (hybrid for ExCos and TMs) Everyone requested to participate	Research Council of Norway, Oslo
	14:00-17:00	SHC Strategy workshop Everyone traveling to Oslo requested to participate	Research Council of Norway, Oslo
	17:00-18:00	Solar Academy Committee members meeting	
	20:00	Joint dinner, paid individually	To be announced later
Wednesday* June 5, 2024	09:00-17:30	ExCo Meeting, Day 1 (hybrid meeting)	Research Council of Norway, Oslo
	20:00	ExCo Dinner (invited dinner)	Restaurant Eik, Oslo
Thursday* June 6, 2024	09:00-17:00	ExCo Meeting, Day 2 (hybrid meeting)	Research Council of Norway, Oslo
Friday June 7, 2024	09:00-12:00	Technical tour to Inaventa Solar (free, optional)	Jevnaker, ca. 1 hour drive from Oslo (driving arranged by Inaventa)

* Registration fee for the ExCo Meeting (June 5-6) is 100 EUR.

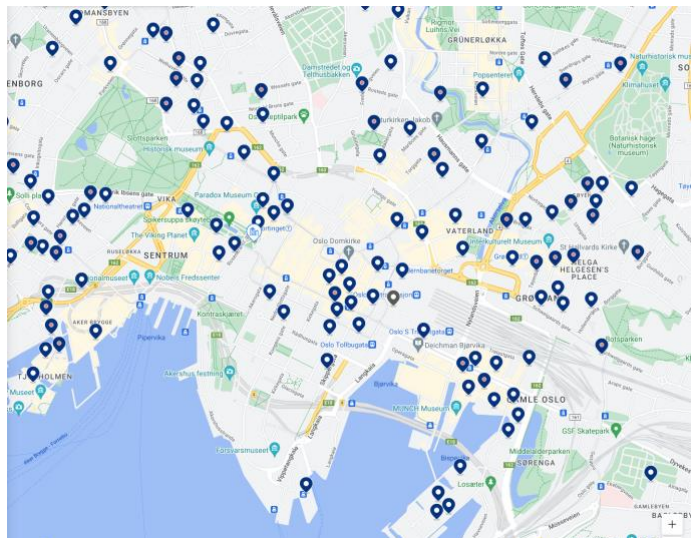
Where to stay

We recommend you choose a hotel in the city center along the train stops (Oslo Central station - Nationaltheatret - Skøyen - Lysaker, see page 3). The local train will take you directly to the Research Council (train stop: Lysaker), where our meetings are. These central hotels are very popular, and reserving a block of rooms for our event at a special rate was not possible.

We advise you to book your room very soon! Please book your room online through [Booking.com](https://www.booking.com), [Hotels.com](https://www.hotels.com) or directly on the hotel's website.

Start choosing your hotel by selecting a map section as shown to the right.

Recommended hotel:
Comfort Hotel Grand Central
Jernbanetorget 1, 0154 Oslo
<https://www.booking.com/hotel/no/comfort-grand-central.no.html>



How to get around

1) From Oslo Airport Gardermoen (OSL) to Oslo Central Station (Oslo S)

Option 1)

Use the [Airport Express train \(Flytoget\)](#) which leaves from Oslo Airport on Track 3. It takes ca. 30 min (with 0 or 1 stop).

Single ticket: NOK 240.-

Serves between 05:30 am - 00:50 am

Buy your ticket online or with the Flytoget-app on your mobile
Mobile app is strongly recommended!

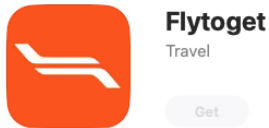
Option 2)

Use the [Local Train, VY](#) which leaves from Oslo Airport on Track 4. It takes 30 min (1 stop).

Single ticket: NOK 115.-

Serves between 05:15 am - 23:43 pm

Buy your ticket online or with the Vy-app on your mobile
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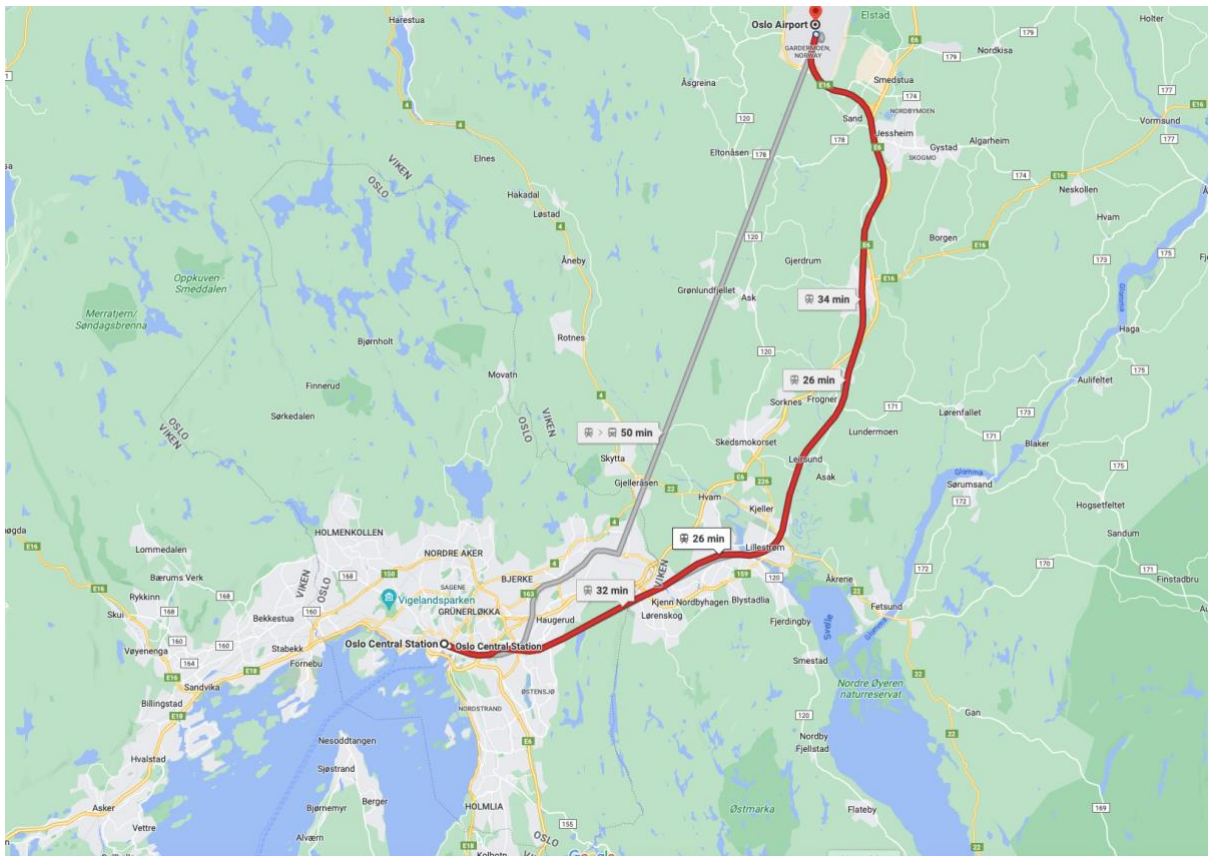


Figure 1: From Oslo Airport to Oslo city center (Central Station)

2) Meetings at the Research Council of Norway (RCN)

Address: Drammensveien 283, 0283 Oslo, Norway, meeting room ABEL

From the Airport to RCN: Take the local VY-train or the Airport Express train (Flytoget) from Oslo Airport to **Lysaker train stop**.

From the city center to RCN, Take the local VY train from the Central station, Nationaltheatret, or Skøyen to the **Lysaker train stop** (Figure 2).

At **Lysaker**, leave the train station and cross the highway (Drammensveien) in the direction of the seaside (Figure 1). You will reach the Research Council after a 10 minute walk.

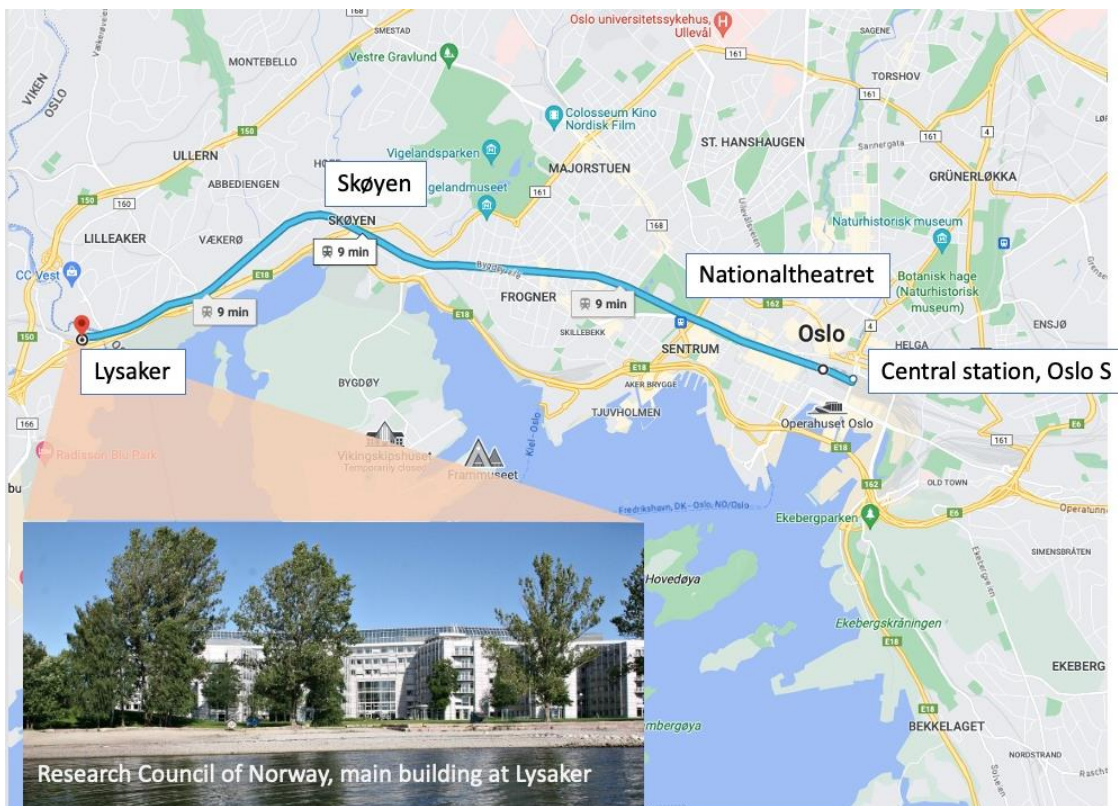


Figure 2. Train stops between Oslo Central station and Lysaker (Research Council)

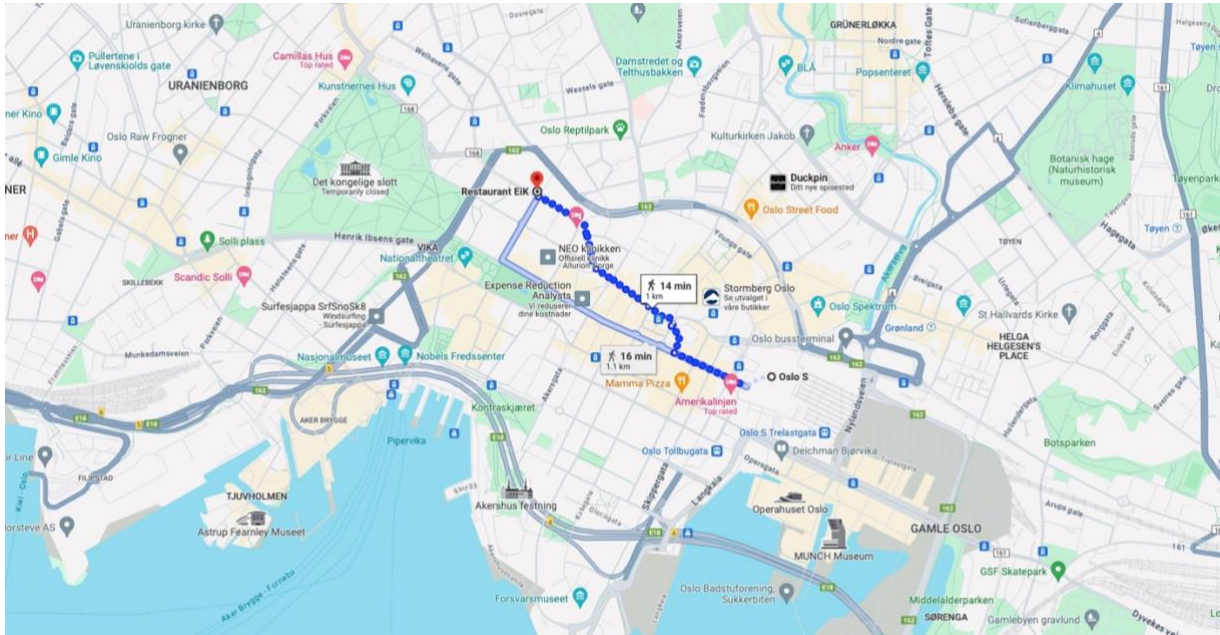


Figure 3. 10 minute walk from Lysaker train station to the Research Council

3) Hosted ExCo Dinner at Restaurant EIK (Wednesday, June 6, 2024 at 20:00)

Address: Universitetsgata 11, 0164 Oslo - <https://restauranteik.no/>

Restaurant Eik is very close to the train- and subway stop "Nationaltheatret".
It is a ca. 15 minute walk from the Central station (Oslo S).



4) Inaventa Solar, Jevnaker

Address: Glassverkvegen 91, 3520 Jevnaker, Norway

[Inaventa Solar](#) invites you on Friday morning, June 7, 2024, for a technical tour of their production facility in Jevnaker, approx. 1 hour drive from Oslo. The tour and the lunch are free. You will see where Inaventa Solar's high performance polymer collectors are produced and the new extrusion line for the polymer absorbers. Inaventa's most recent innovation projects will be presented, which are supported by the Research Council, Horizon Europe and Enova.

The factory visit will be 1-2 hours, depending on the interest of the visitors.

Transportation will be planned based on who signs up.

Several options: Inaventa hosted lunch at the nearby Thorbjørnrud Hotel and transfer to Oslo Airport if needed (your flight should not depart before 3 pm on Friday). For those with more time, it is recommended to visit the nearby Kistefos Art Museum and sculpture park (one of my favorites). Transportation back to Oslo can be arranged for those who want to do sightseeing there.

See pictures next page.



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Kistefos museum & sculpture park

