

## How to get to Lüneburg

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### Arriving by Plane

The closest airports are in Hamburg, Hannover and Lübeck. All three of them are easily accessible by public transportation and all have a direct connection to the central train stations.

- From **Hannover** airport you need to take S-Bahn 5 (S 5) in the direction of Paderborn, Hameln or Bad Pyrmont and get off at the central station (Hauptbahnhof).
- From **Hamburg** airport you can take S-Bahn 1 (S 1) in the direction of Hamburg-Hauptbahnhof and get off at the central station.
- From **Lübeck** you can either take a bus to the central station of Hamburg or directly take a train from the station "Flughafen Lübeck" to Lüneburg.

### With the Train to Lüneburg

- From **Hannover** Central Station it takes about 60 minutes to Lüneburg. You can take the ICE or IC directly to Lüneburg. Tickets can be bought at the airport's train station or the central-station at the ticket automates or counters. Costs are between 25€ and 30€.
- From **Hamburg** Central Station you can take the IC to Lüneburg which takes about 30 Minutes and costs about 12€. Alternatively you can take the metronom (ME) in direction of Uelzen which is cheaper and almost as quick. If you decide for using the metronom (ME) please buy a HVV (Hamburg public transport network) ticket called "Gesamtbereich" already at the airport. This will be valid from the entire route from airport to Lüneburg (also bus in Lüneburg) and costs about 7,85€.
- From **Lübeck** a regional train takes you to Lüneburg within almost an hour. Costs are 12,20€ and tickets can be bought at the train stations tickets machines.

### Transportation in Lüneburg

From the train station in Lüneburg, which is simultaneously the central bus station (ZOB), leaving every ten minutes busses number 5011 (towards Rettmer/Häcklingen) and 5012 (towards Bockelsberg) that take you to the University Campus in the Scharnhorststraße. You need to get off at the bus stop "Blücherstraße". Before you arrive, we will inform about the best ways to find your hotel.

A one-day ticket costs 5.50 Euro, and a single-way ticket costs 1.80 Euro. So in case you just go one time per day to the campus and back, it may be cheaper for you to buy two single-way tickets. There is also the possibility to buy a group ticket, but in that case you need to collaborate with two to four colleagues for your travel times as only one person will have the ticket. This may only make sense in case you have the same interests in time for coming and leaving the summer school activities.

### Getting to Lüneburg by Car

- Coming from the South:  
From Bundesautobahn Hannover-Hamburg A 7, take exit Soltau Ost and follow Bundesstraße 209 until Lüneburg. Once you reach the city, the route to the Campus is signposted.

- Coming from the North:  
From Bundesautobahn Hamburg-Lüneburg A 250, take exit Lüneburg-Häcklingen. From this point on, the route to the Campus is signposted.