

## EVIPRG SPRING MEETING 25.–27.4.2018 IN VAASA, FINLAND

Welcome to EViPRG spring meeting that will take place in Vaasa at University of Vaasa and at Vanha Vaasa hospital. Vanha Vaasa hospital is organizing the meeting in cooperation with EViPRG.



Vanha Vaasa Hospital will celebrate its sestercentennial in 2018. The jubilee is the perfect time to visit this forensic psychiatric state hospital. It provides forensic psychiatric services for the whole country and there is only one other such hospital in Finland, Niuvanniemi Hospital in Kuopio.

Vanha Vaasa Hospital has 152 beds, of which about 45 % are for forensic psychiatric patients, 45 % for patients whose behavior has made their treatment too challenging in other hospitals, and 10 % forensic psychiatric examinees and others. The hospital operates under the performance guidance of the Department of Government Services at the National Institute for Health and Welfare (THL) and the Ministry of Social Affairs and Health.

### Preliminary program

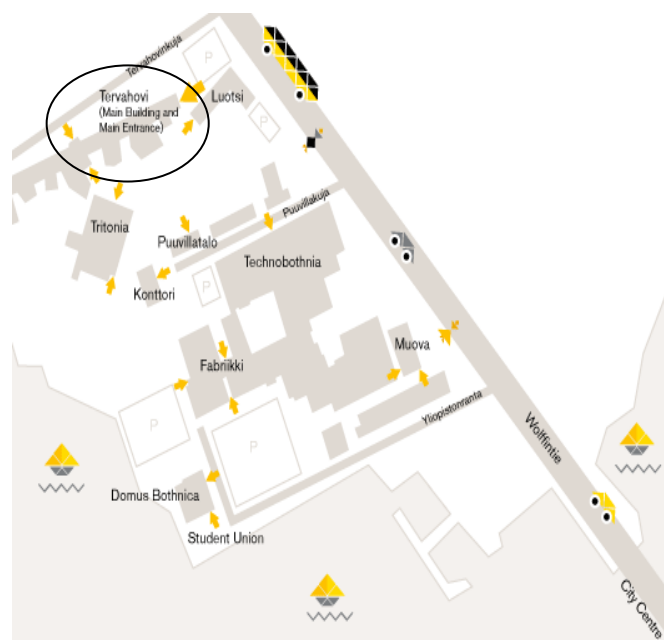
#### Wednesday 25.4.

At University of Vaasa, Wolff Auditorium located in Tervahovi,  
Wolffintie 34

<https://www.univaasa.fi/en/about/campus/facilities/auditoria/wolff/>

12:00–16:00 Sessions together  
with Forensic psychiatric nurses

Dinner, at own expense



### Thursday 26.4.

At the hospital (Vierinkiventie 1, Vaasa)

09:00 Presentation on the hospital  
09:30 Session(s)  
11:00 Coffee break  
11:30 Session  
12:30 Lunch  
13:30 Session  
14.30 Visit the hospital (until approximately 16:00)

Dinner, at own expense

### Friday 27.4.

At the hospital (Vierinkiventie 1, Vaasa)

09:00 Session(s)  
11:00 Coffee break  
11:30 Session  
12:30 Closing remarks and good bye  
13:00 Lunch

### Registration

Please register to the meeting by email: [vsairaala@vvs.fi](mailto:vsairaala@vvs.fi)

### How to get to Vaasa

Vaasa is accessible by train, by boat, or by air.

<http://www.visitvaasa.fi/en/sub/Pages/travel.aspx>

Trains run from Helsinki in less than 4 hours. See

<https://www.vr.fi/cs/vr/en/frontpage>

There's a ferry line from Umeå: <http://www.wasaline.com/en/>

There are straight flights to Vaasa from Helsinki and Stockholm.

Taxis are on call in front of the airport terminal during the scheduled arrival times. If necessary, please use free hotlines for booking a taxi: one in the terminal and the other outside the terminal. If you wish to confirm a ride or you have special requests, you can book a taxi from Taxi Vaasa before arriving at the airport.

Pre-booking is especially recommended if you are coming to Vaasa with a night-flight. The advance booking must be made no later than half an hour before the desired pick-up time.

Taxi can be booked calling abroad +358 60030011

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By bus: Airport – Vaasa city centre

Route 10: Airport – Runsor – Pappilanmäki – Huutoniemi – City Centre

Airport

(20 min)

On weekdays

Klo

13:35

14:35

15:35

16:35

Route 10: (Airport) - Runsorintie (+5 min)- Kauppiaankatu -

Huutoniementie (+10min)- Kuninkaantie - Keskuskatu - Sepänkyläntie -

Vaasanpuistikko – Market place (+20)



By bus Vaasa city centre – Airport

Route 10: City Centre - Huutoniemi - Pappilanmäki - Runsor - Airport

City Centre

On weekdays

Klo

05 45

06 45

07 50

08 50

09 50

Route 10: Raastuvankatu - Kasarminkatu - Kauppapuistikko -

Vaasanpuistikko - Sepänkyläntie - Päätterveysasema - Keskuskatu (+5 min)-

Kuninkaantie - Huutoniementie - Kauppiaankatu (+8 min)- Runsorintie (+10 min)-

(Lentokenttä) (+25min)

### **Accommodation**

We have reserved an amount of rooms for EViPRG members in Scandic Hotel Vaasa (Rosteninkatu 6, Vaasa). Please notice, that they also sell rooms for the other guests, so the early bird –thinking is good to notice.

More information: <https://www.scandichotels.fi/hotellit/suomi/vaasa/scandic-vaasa>

If you want use this option, please make reservation with the code EVI240418 by 10<sup>th</sup> April 2018.

The price for Single room: standard 104€ / night, and superior 124€ /night. Double room: standard 124€/ night, and superior 144€ / night.

Make your room reservation with the discountcode by email

[vaasa@scandichotels.com](mailto:vaasa@scandichotels.com) or by phone [+358 6 357 8100](tel:+35863578100)

There is also other hotels in Vaasa:

Hotel Astor Vaasa <http://www.astorvaasa.fi>

Sokos Hotels Vaasa <https://www.sokshotels.fi/en>

*Looking forward to seeing you in Vaasa*

Markku Eronen  
Medical Director  
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