

FSCD 2024 in Tallinn, Estonia

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Local Committee

Members from the Logic and Semantics Group and the Support Unit of the Department of Software Science:

- Tarmo Uustalu, Lead research scientist
- Ruth Laos, Head of the support unit
- Kristel Toom, Project coordinator
- Philipp Joram, PhD student
- Cheng-Syuan Wan, PhD student

Possibly further members from the Compositional Systems and Methods Lab of Paweł Sobociński.

Members of the team have previously organized a number of international events in Tallinn: ICFP/GPCE/TFP 2005, ETAPS 2012, TYPES 2015, MFCS 2021, PPDP/LOPSTR 2021

Dates

A natural possibility would be co-locating FSCD with ICALP/LICS 2024, which are going to be organized in Tallinn by Paweł Sobociński. The suggested dates of ICALP/LICS are 8–12 July.

Other possibilities are:

- 13–21 July, immediately after ICALP/LICS
- 3–11 August

Registration Fees

We plan for a hybrid event. Even if the pandemic will be over (which we very much hope), we want that people that cannot travel (for financial difficulty, health issues, family situation, any other reason) can participate.

We estimate the following registration fees for FSCD 2024:

- Regular in-person participation: 300-400€
- Student in-person participation: 150-200€

We will try to keep remote participation free of charge.

In-person workshops participation: 200-250€, or 100-150€ for FSCD participants.

Venues

Many places in the city can accomodate an event like FSCD 2024, with a suitable plenary hall and a good number of smaller rooms for workshops.



Teacher's House (PPDP/LOPSTR'21)



House of the Blackheads (ICFP'05, TYPES'15)



Kultuurikatel



Maritime Academy (MFCS'21)

Accessibility

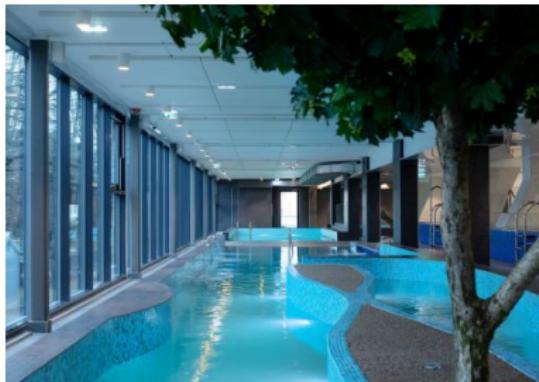
- Tallinn is mainly accessible by plane via the Tallinn Lennart Meri airport (IATA: TLL), which is located 4 km southeast of the city centre and connected to it by bus and tram lines.
- Tallinn has an excellent municipal transportation network with many bus, trolleybus and tram lines that run frequently and punctually. The ticket for one ride is 1.50€.
- Taxis and ride-share services are relatively cheap, especially Bolt and Forus. A ride with Bolt between the airport and the city centre costs less than 10€.



Accommodation

There are plenty of hotels, hostels and apartments in the city centre.
Some representative prices:

- Double room in Kalev SPA (including unlimited use of water park, saunas and gym): 65€ per night.
- Twin room in Fat Margaret's Hostel: 34€ per night.



Kalev SPA and its water park

Restaurants

- The best local restaurants specialize in modern Estonian cuisine, an exciting fusion of Nordic and Eastern European influences.
- A meal at a restaurant, including main course, beverage and dessert, would typically cost around 25€.
- There are also many budget-friendly cafes and street food vendors in and around the city centre, especially in the Balti Jaam market behind the central train station.



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Balti Jaam market

Leisure Activities

- The medieval Old Town of Tallinn (UNESCO World Heritage site)
- Lots of green spaces, e.g. Kadriorg park, Kadriorg-Pirita seaside.
- Attractive museums and exhibition spaces.
- Many pubs and bars serving local craft beers.
- Water parks and swimming pools, always including Estonian sauna.



The Old Town



Kadriorg palace



Põhjala Brewery and Tap Room



Estonian sauna