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Integrated Strategies for Acrylamide Reduction – Connecting Agronomy, Genetics, and Industry

Travel and hotel information

Date: **April 15 – 17, 2026**

Venue: **The Agricultural University of Plovdiv is a university in Plovdiv, Bulgaria, TrakiyaTrakia, bl."Mendeleev" 12, 4000 Plovdiv, Bulgaria**

<https://www.au-plovdiv.bg/en/>

https://www.google.com/maps/place/@42.1340884,24.7653965,18z?entry=ttu&g_ep=EgoyMDI2MDIxMS4wIKXMDSoASAFQAw%3D%3D

Travel:

Airports: **Plovdiv Airport** (<https://www.plovdivairport.com/en> (PDV) cc 12 km from Agricultural University, and 16.3 km from the city centre.

Airlines operating to/from Plovdiv Airport include Ryanair, Wizzair and Corendon Airlines.

Sofia Airport <https://sofia-airport.eu/en/> (VIE) approximately 150 km from the Sofia Airport to the agricultural university

[Budapest airport](#) (BUD) cc 230 km from the city centre

National Buses and trains from Sofia to Plovdiv:

National trains – <https://www.bdz.bg/bg/info/contacts-sofia.html>

National Buses – Sofia Central Bus Station Address: 100 Kn. Maria Louisa Boulevard, Sofia

By car – good highway infrastructure

National buses and trains in Plovdiv

Travel from Plovdiv Airport to Plovdiv

<https://www.plovdivairport.com/en/accessibility/shuttle>

https://www.busbud.com/en/bus-sofia-sof-airport-plovdiv/i/sx8dusx-sx3xg1?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=dsa-en-unitedkingdom&gad_source=1&gad_campaignid=21446827105&gbraid=0AAAAADiKd4VC3gkgrpdKDpH_2wKX8BKWb&gclid=CjwKCAiAncvMBhBEEiwA9GU_fuM365loyHVD2xlx-1o0pgeXKgfV_nfVfV8IRY0mPjOuzXIwHocWxxoCxPOQAvD_BwE

Travelling from Sofia airport to the Central Bus/Train Station **by Metro and Bus**: <https://sofia-airport.eu/en/access/transportation/>. **Please, note that the information is not updated to reflect that Euro has become the official currency in use in Bulgaria since Jan. 1, 2026!**

Travelling from the airport to the Central Bus Station **by taxi** : <https://www.rome2rio.com/map/Sofia-Airport-SOF/Central-Bus-Station-Sofia#/Bus/s/0>.

TAXI – you can use also Bolt

Moving around in Sofia: <https://www.visitsofia.bg/en/howtotravel>

Getting to and moving around in Plovdiv:

- Full information can be found at the web page <https://www.visitplovdiv.com/en/how-to-get-to-plovdiv>

- Most of the city is easily walkable.

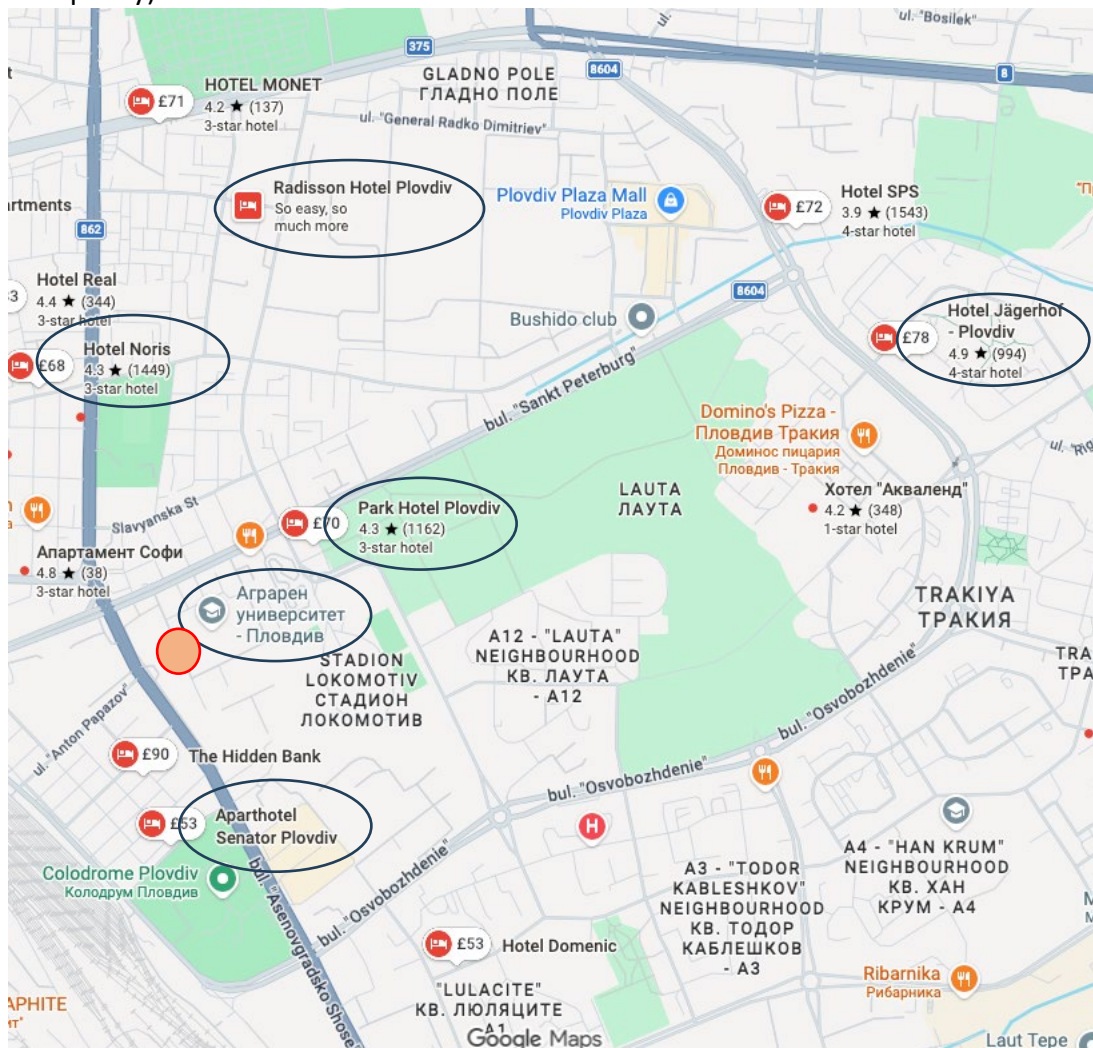
- You can buy tickets inside every bus. Single 30 min ticket is for 0.50 €, but is valid for a one bus line only.

How to reach the venue – updated information:

Please, look for these signs at the University campus:



Hotels near the venue, but you can choose any hotels according to your preferences (and occupancy):

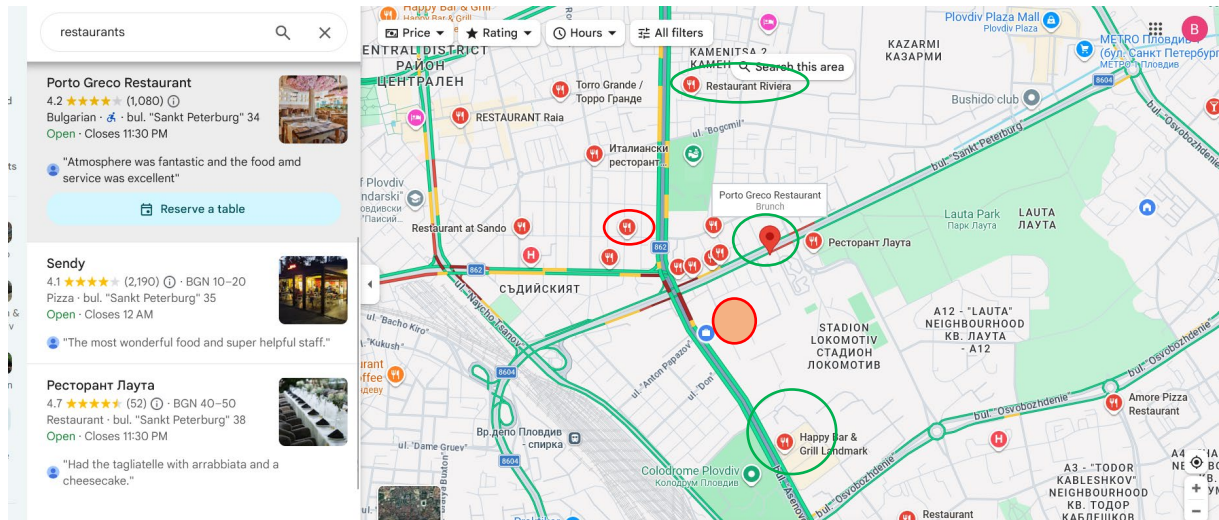


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- **Park Hotel Plovdiv (0.1 miles):** Located on Sankt Peterburg blvd, this is highly rated and recommended by the university for visitors.
- **Aparthotel Senator Plovdiv (0.4 mi):** Located directly on Mendeleev Blvd, offering convenient access to the university.
- **The Hidden Bank (0.3 mi):** A highly-rated boutique option near the university area.
- **Hotel Jägerhof (0.4 mi):** A hotel frequently recommended for visitors to the agricultural university.
- **Hotel Domenic (0.7 mi):** Situated in Trakia, offering a comfortable, high-rated option nearby.
- **Ramada by Wyndham Plovdiv Trimontium (0.9 mi):** A larger, centrally located hotel that cooperates with the university.

- Radisson Hotel Plovdiv – part of a global chain with established standards.
- Hotel Noris – somewhat less expensive option nearby.

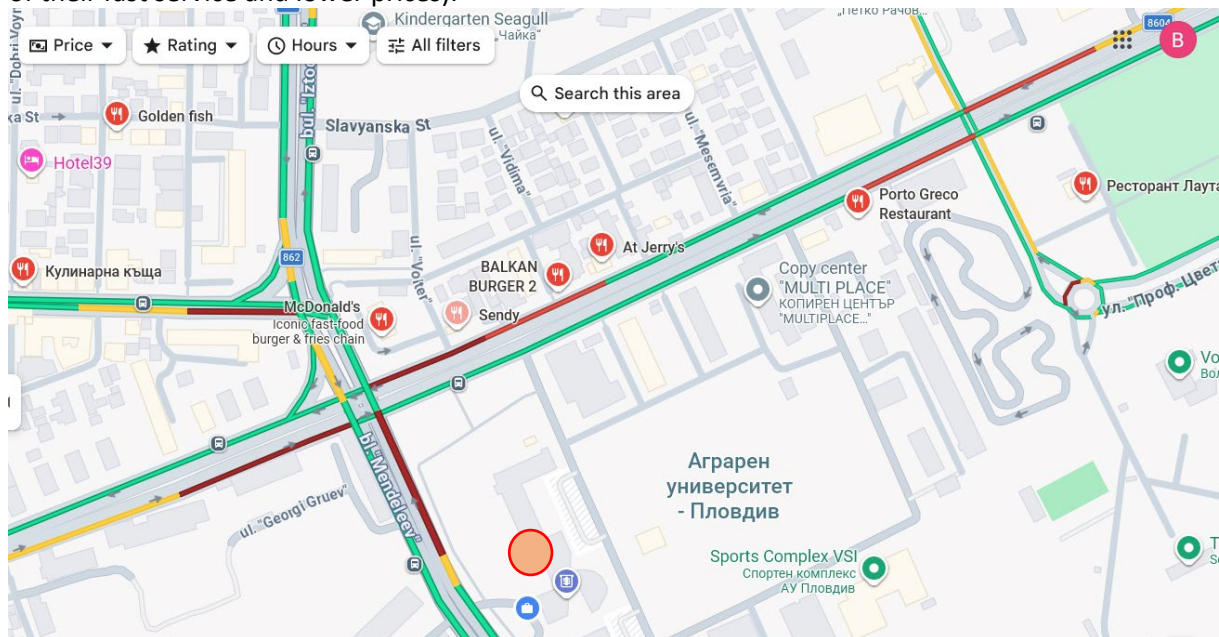
Restaurants near the venue:



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Labelled by a tag is **Porto Greco** restaurant that is the nearest one with enough capacity. **Happy Bar & Grill** is a local chain of restaurants with good quality food and service. **Riviera** restaurant is a calmer and more relaxed option. **Golden fish** (circled in red) is a small local place, specialized in fish meals.

Below is a zoomed-in map of smaller convenience places to eat (usually used by AUP students because of their fast service and lower prices).



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