



# HUMANE

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**CONFERENCE**  
**Ghent University**  
**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2010**

*Urgency and Strategy - Universities' Funding, Future and the Crisis*

## Practical Information

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### Conference Venue

**The seminar will be held at:**

Lunch and registration on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June will take place at:

**Het Pand**  
**(The Conference Centre of the Universiteit Gent)**  
**Onderbergen 1**  
**9000 Gent**

HUMANE *Round Table Members* are reminded that the Round Table will meet from 10:30 to 13:00 on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June, prior to the Conference.

### Hotel Information

**Please note:**

Our local organizer suggest these three hotels for participants of the HUMANE Seminar at the following three hotels.

The rates shown are rates for Ghent University, so please mention that with your reservation. ***HUMANE cannot guarantee that these are the best rates available particularly now with the many hotel chains and Internet suppliers selling hotel rooms. Please do not hesitate to check on the Internet.***

**You are responsible for your own hotel reservation**

### **Novotel Gent Centrum**

Goudenleeuwplein 5 9000 Gent

Tel: 00 32 (0) 9 224 22 30

Fax 00 32 (0) 9 220 16 05

[H0840@accor.com](mailto:H0840@accor.com) [www.accorhotels.com/be](http://www.accorhotels.com/be)

**Standard rate : 145€ without breakfast**

### **Ibis Gent Centrum Kathedraal**

Limburgstraat 2 9000 Gent

Tel: 00 32 (0) 9 233 00 00

Fax 00 32 (0) 9 233 10 00

[H0961@accor.com](mailto:H0961@accor.com) [www.accorhotels.com/be](http://www.accorhotels.com/be)

**Standard rates from 79€ to 99€ without breakfast**

### **Ghent Marriott**

Korenlei 10 9000 Gent

Tel: 00 32 (0) 9 269 77 22

Fax 00 32 (0) 9 233 93 94

[info@marriottghent.com](mailto:info@marriottghent.com) [www.marriottghent.be](http://www.marriottghent.be)

**Standard rates (2009): 155€ without breakfast**

## **Lunch and Dinner**

Lunch and dinner on Friday and Saturday will be provided for participants.

***Please inform the HUMANE Secretariat about any special dietary needs as soon as possible.***

## **Social Programme**

### **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

The dinner will be held in the **Kunsthof Sint-Pietersabdij** ([Kunsthof Sint-Pietersabdij link](#)). Saint Peter's Abbey, dating from the 17<sup>th</sup> Century.

### **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June**

Following the closure of the Conference and lunch, we will have a guided tour through Ghent, visiting the historical buildings of the Ghent University: Het Pand, Aula/Braunschouw, boekentoren.

The Saturday dinner maintains the historic theme when we go further back in time to the **Gravensteen**, a castle in Ghent, originating from the Middle Ages. The name means "castle of the count" in Dutch. ([Gravensteen link](#)). We will be dining in the Joan Vandenhoustezaal.

### **Special Accompanying Persons Social Programme**

#### **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June**

14:00 Visit to Bruges (finishes approx. 18:00)

## General information

For general information about **Ghent**, please refer to the following websites:

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ghent>

<http://www.visitgent.be/>

University Website: <http://www.ugent.be/en>

## Transport information

### Arriving at Brussels Airport

Trains depart from within the airport building at level -2.

There are direct trains from Brussels Airport to the main station in Ghent, *Gent-Sint-Pieters*. The direct trains take about 1 hour.

If you do not get the direct train all other trains from the airport takes you to one of the main stations in Brussels (subsequently Noord/Nord, Centraal/Central and Zuid/Midi), where you can switch to one of the many intercity trains(IC) to, or via "Gent-Sint-Pieters, Ghent's main railway station (Directions Brugge, Knokke, Blankenberge, Oostende all stop in Ghent).

*Save time! Buy your train tickets online in advance at: [SNCB tickets online](#)*

### Arriving by train in Brussels:

Switch to one of the many intercity trains(IC) to, or via "Gent-Sint-Pieters, Ghent's main railway station (Directions Brugge, Knokke, Blankenberge, Oostende all stop in Ghent). Ghent is on the crossroads of the international lines "London - Brussel - Köln" and "Paris - Lille - Antwerpen"

### From the railway station "Gent Sint-Pieters":

Take tram 1 from the tunnel under the railway station (every 6 minutes), get off at the "Korenmarkt" and cross the river "Leie" via the bridge "Sint-Michielselling". Turn around the Sint Michaels church. "Het Pand" is situated next to the church.

### By car

Entering Ghent from the E40 or the E17, follow the parking-route to P7, "Sint Michiels Parking". This parking is only 50 m away from 'Het Pand'.

Belgian Railways (SNCB / NMBS) website: <http://www.b-rail.be/main/E/index.php>

Brussels Airport website: <http://www.brusselsairport.be/en/>



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