

Hotel Accommodation:

Wageningen has several hotels to choose from:

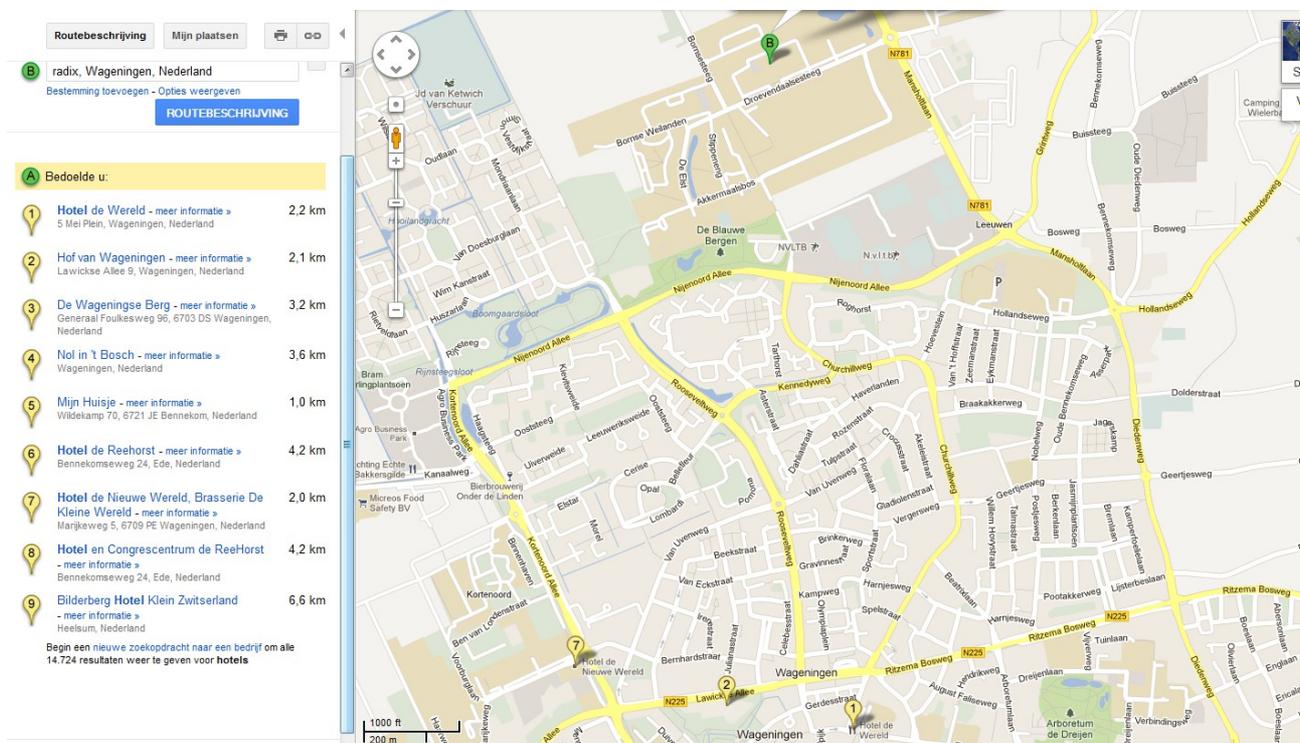
- 1) Hotel ' Hof van Wageningen ' (0317 490133). Distance to course location (Wageningen University, campus 'de Born', Forum & Radix building) 2.5 km (by feet/ they rent bikes)
- 2) Hotel ' de Nieuwe Wereld ' (0317 491350), 2.7 km to the course location
- 3) Hotel ' de Wereld ' (0317 460444), 2.6 km to the course location

The above three hotels are easily accessible by public transport (Bus nr. 88 or 86S, also called 'de Valleilijn'). These buses (blue-colored) operate within 7 minutes time-intervals and connect Wageningen center (bus terminal 'Stadsbrink') with the main rail road station Ede-Wageningen (train Nijmegen/Arnhem - Utrecht - Amsterdam or Airport Amsterdam (Schiphol)).

- 4) Hotel ' Nol in 't Bosch ' (0317 319101), 4.7 km. is easily accessible by car, but hardly by public transport.
- 5) Hotel ' de Reehorst ' (0318 750300) in Ede is very close to the train-station. it is 5.5 km from campus or 30 minutes by public transport (bus 88)

or follow a link here (with different numbering!): <http://goo.gl/maps/1xWNI>

More information about the Dutch public transport can be found on the following websites: 9292.nl or OV-Reisinfo.



Tickets

Tickets for the **train** can be purchased at the (big, yellow) ticket machines available at every train station. The ticket machines accept debit cards and cash, but not credit cards. You can also buy your ticket at the ticket counter. This will cost you a bit more.

Bus tickets can be bought with the driver (a few euro's for a single trip)

For public transport in the Netherlands, you'll need an "OV-chipkaart" smart-card

Alternatively, there is a new smart-card system for trains, but also for all other forms of public transport: the OV-chipkaart. It is the official transport payment system for the metro, bus and tram.

There is an anonymous chipcard, that you can buy from the OV-chipkaart machines. Your pass can be loaded from one of the OV-chipkaart machines strategically placed at train and metro stations.

You pay for the distance travelled through swiping it upon entering and leaving your transport station. Make sure you have minimum EUR 40 uploaded to an anonymous card and that you swipe out on arrival or your travel costs could triple!

The OV-chipkaart website (www.ov-chipkaart.nl) also has an English language section.