



Brussels for Europe

The lectures take place on **Wednesdays between 18:00 and 21:00** in the **Avenue d'Auderghem 63, 1040 Etterbeek**.

The meeting points of the visits and excursions are listed in the programme below.

Programme Master Classes

1. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Av. d'Auderghem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Introduction to the Masterclasses

Lecture

Brussels, a small world city
Prof. Eric Corijn (VUB)

2. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Av. d'Auderghem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Lecture

Brussels and the European city network
Prof. Christian Vandermotten (ULB)

Lecture

The socio-spatial structure of Brussels and urban dynamics
Dr. Christian Kesteloot (KULeuven)

3. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Av. d'Auderghem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Lecture

The history of Brussels
Prof. Serge Jaumain (ULB)

Lecture

The Brussels institutions
Dr. Caroline Van Wynsberghe (UCL)

4. Saturday [09:30 – 13:30]

Place Royale 7, 1000 Brussels

Excursion

The historical Brussels: from the Place Royale to the Grand Place
Guide: Roel Jacobs ('t Scarlaken)

5. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Presentation

Performing arts in Brussels
Karel Van Haesebrouck (ULB)

Performing arts spectacle

6. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Av. d'Audergem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Lecture

Immigration in Brussels
Prof. Andrea Rea (ULB) / Dr. Corinne Torrekens (ULB)

Lecture

Culture and superdiversity
Prof. Eric Corijn (VUB)

7. Saturday [09:30 - 15:00]

Parvis Saint-Jean Baptiste, 1080 Molenbeek-Saint-Jean

Excursion Part 1

Urban renewal in the inner city: gentrification and exclusion
(Molenbeek, Canal zone and Dansaert)
Dr. Sofie Vermeulen (VUB)

Excursion Part 2

Globalisation from below
(North Station, Rue de Brabant)
Dr. Tim Cassiers (KUL-VUB)

8. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Av. d'Audergem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Lecture

Urban Planning
Dr. Géry Leloutre (ULB)

Lecture

Mobility in and around Brussels
Prof. Michel Hubert (ULS-B) / Dr. Imre Keseru (VUB)

9. Saturday [9:30 – 14:00]

Parking - Metro Delta, Rue Jules Cockx, 1160 Brussels

Excursion

The city and its periphery (bus tour)
Prof. Christian Vandermotten (ULB)

10. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

WIELS, Avenue Van Volxem 354, 1190 Brussels

Visual arts: guided visit

Visit to WIELS, Contemporary Art Centre

Lecture

Visual arts in Brussels in an international perspective
Dr. Gawan Fagard (VUB)

11. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:00]

Av. d'Audergem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Lecture

Multilingual Brussels
Dr. Rudi Janssens / Prof. Philippe Van Parijs (UCL)

Closing Lecture

Branding Brussels as the Capital of Europe
Prof. Eric Corijn (VUB)

12. Wednesday [18:00 – 21:30]

Av. d'Audergem 63, 1040 Etterbeek

Questions for the future

Questions for the future
Prof. Philippe Van Parijs (UCL)

Closing Debate

The future of Brussels
With Brussels politicians

Closing Ceremony

The content of the Master Classes is developed by the five Brussels Universities (VUB – ULB – USL-B – UCL - KULeuven) which are united in a permanent academic structure: Brussels Studies Institute (BSI) / Brussels Academy: bsi.brussels

The lectures take place in the offices of the Brussels Commissioner for Europe and International Organisations, which is situated close to the Schuman roundabout in the heart of the European Quarter.

