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Report from the Inspection Visit

Date: 15th – 17th of May 2025

Location: Lund, Sweden

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The inspection visit to the proposed venues for IYPT 2025 took place from 15th to 17th of May in Lund, Sweden. The purpose of the visit was to verify the suitability of the premises, clarify technical requirements, and finalise practical arrangements in cooperation with the Local Organising Committee (LOC).

The report below summarizes the main observations and agreements from the visit:

A. Biomedical Centre (BMC)

1. Fight rooms

Eight Fight rooms will be located in BMC.

All fight rooms in BMC are equipped with wireless screen-sharing functionality.

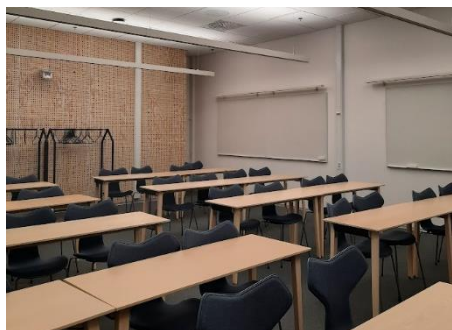
- Windows laptops can connect easily via Miracast.
- MacOS devices require Eduroam access and Bluetooth enabled. If a team does not have access to Eduroam and requires a connection from a macOS device, the LOC will provide one Eduroam account per team.
- Maximum supported resolution is Full HD, and both 16:9 and 16:10 formats are supported.

All rooms are equipped with microphone systems.

Two rooms are equipped with 10 small screens each, centrally controlled. Fight assistants will operate these screens.



Fight Room in BMC - screen for sharing

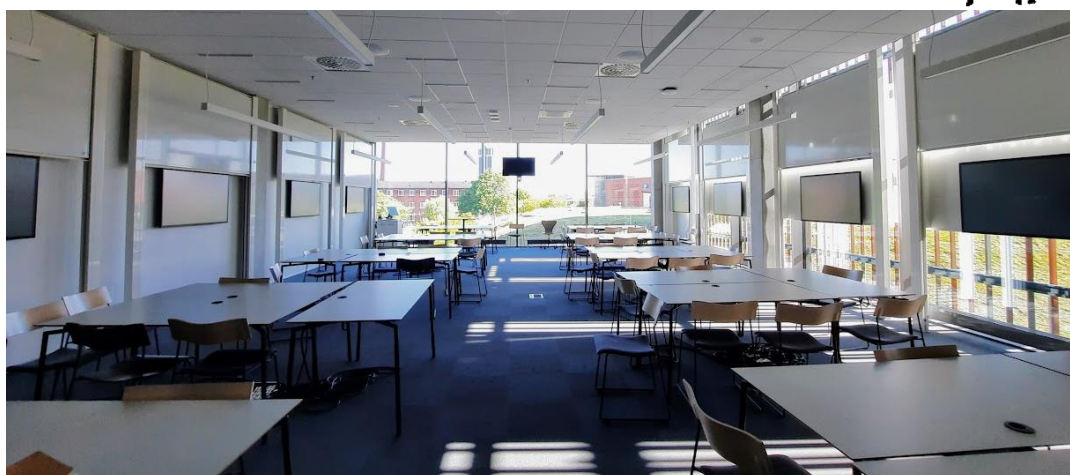


Fight Room in BMC



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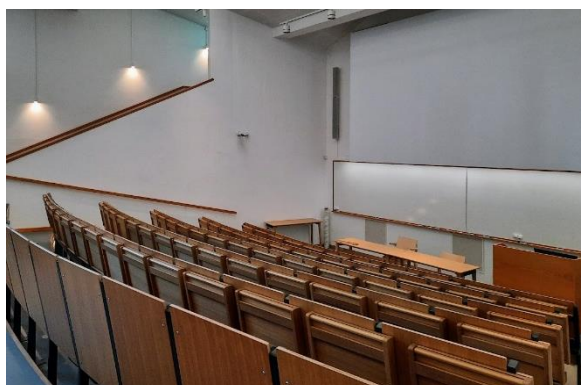
Fight Room in BMC with 10 separate screens

2. Public viewing area

There will be a dedicated Fight Room in the main auditorium available for public viewing.



Main auditorium



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3. Wi-Fi connection

A dedicated Wi-Fi network will be available during the Tournament. To connect, please use the following details:

B. Department of Physics

Five other fight rooms will be located in the Department of Physics.

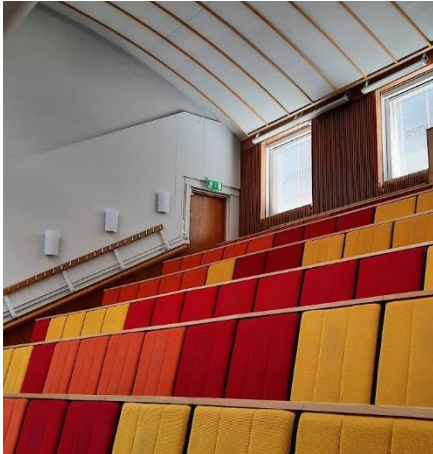
One designated room will be used for video recording of the Physics Fights.

All rooms in this building will use HDMI connections for screen sharing. It's important to make sure that every team has a device capable of HDMI transmitting.



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*Fight Room at the Physics Department -
room for recording*



Fight Room at the Physics Department



Fight Room at the Physics Department

C. The Loop – Science Village Hall

The opening and closing ceremony, as well as the final round, will take place in the Science Village Hall.

The teams participating in the final will have the opportunity to test the technical setup in advance.

Only the speakers will be present on stage during the final, the rest of the team as well as the jury will be seated in front of the stage.



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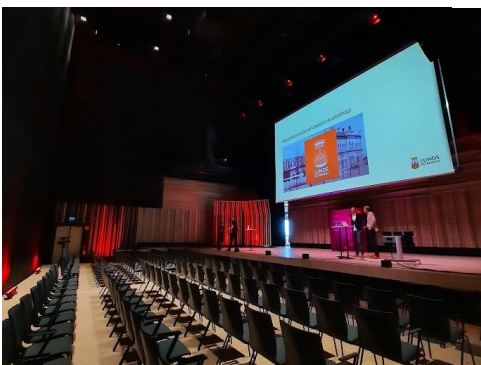
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Science Village Hall



Science Village Hall



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D. Catering

1. Meals

Breakfast will be served at the hotel where the participant is staying.

Lunches will be served in the BMC building in buffet style with clear labelling of allergens.

Snacks will be available during breaks at several stations located in both the BMC and Department of Physics buildings.

Dinners will be provided in another building on campus (separate from lunch/snack facilities).

2. Water and coffee

Bottled water will not be distributed.

Instead, multiple eater stations will be available across the venues, where participants can refill their water bottles. The tap water in Lund is safe to drink as well.

Each participant will receive a reusable water bottle and a thermos cup at registration, which they are expected to bring with them throughout the event.

Coffee will be available at the venue, but cups will not be provided, as participants are expected to use their reusable thermos cups.



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3. Capacity management

Due to the limited capacity across all dining areas, it is essential that participants leave promptly after eating to allow others to come.

A separate space in front of the lunch canteen will be available for socialising and relaxation before and after meals.

4. 2nd of July – Two PFs

On the 2nd of July, when two rounds of fights are scheduled, lunch will be served in a “grab and go” format.

5. Food and drink policy

Participants are not allowed to bring food or beverages into the PF rooms in BMC; only plain water is permitted.

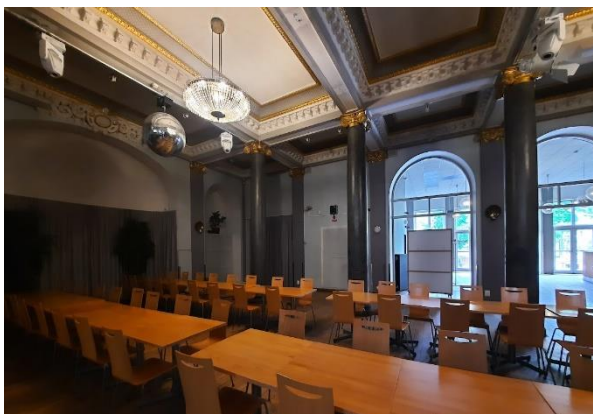
E. Gala Dinner and Jury Dinner

Gala Dinner, followed by a disco, will be organized at the Academic Association in Lund. In accordance with Sweden's laws concerning alcohol consumption, alcoholic beverages will be sold in a separate room accessible only to adult participants.

Jury Dinner will be held in a different hall of the same building.



Gala Dinner venue prepared for an event



Jury Dinner venue (before setup)

F. Accommodation

All participants will be accommodated in two hotels: Elite Hotel Ideon and Motel L Lund. The general policy is that Team Members, Team Leaders non-jurors and First-Time Jurors will be accommodated in Motel L Lund, and the rest of the participants in Elite Hotel Ideon.



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Room in Elite Hotel Ideon



Room in Motel L Lund

G. Transportation

Transportation from and to Copenhagen Airport (CPH) will be provided.

On Arrival day, a designated Local Guide will meet each team at the Arrivals area of Copenhagen Airport and accompany them to Lund.

On Departure day, Local Guides will assist participants to reach Lund Central Station, and provide a valid train ticket to Copenhagen Airport.

If a team cannot arrive to Copenhagen (eg. Due to visa restrictions) they should inform the LOC.