



## Welcome to the CGMS-54 working group meetings, 13-17 April 2026, at EUMETSAT HQ, Darmstadt, Germany

*Hosted by EUMETSAT*

**Deadline for registration: 30 March 2026**



### Information Package

#### VENUE

The meeting will be held in Darmstadt at the premises of **European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites** ([EUMETSAT](https://www.eumetsat.eu)) at Eumetsat Allee 1, 64295 Darmstadt, Germany.

Please be informed that in order to enter the premises of EUMETSAT you will need to present you ID or passport at the entrance.

#### CITY OF DARMSTADT

Darmstadt is located just 30 km south of Frankfurt am Main in Hesse. The city enjoys a reputation as a 'City of Science' thanks to the many public and private scientific research establishments located there, not to mention the Headquarters of the European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites (EUMETSAT) and the European Space Operations Centre (ESA/ESOC).



## HOW TO GET TO DARMSTADT FROM FRANKFURT AIRPORT

You can reach Darmstadt from Frankfurt International Airport using:

- **AIR-Liner Bus**

AIR-Liner Bus links Darmstadt Railway station and Frankfurt Airport (single fare 10.40 €). Services leave regularly and take 30 minutes.

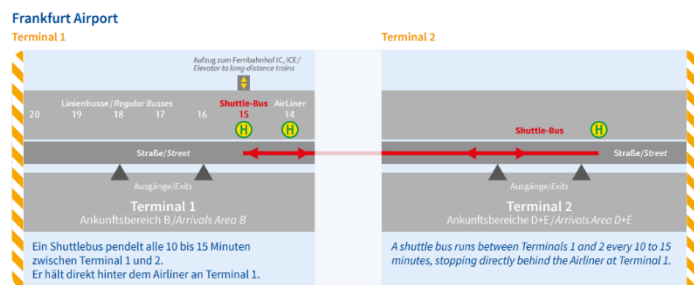
For the AIR-Liner Bus schedule please check [here](#).

At Frankfurt Airport, AIR-Liner stops at:

**Terminal 1 – bus stop: Nr 14 – arrival level**

A shuttle bus runs between Terminals 1 and 2 every 10 to 15 minutes, stopping directly behind the Airliner at

Terminal 1 – bus stop: Nr 15



- **Taxi**

Taxi TAM offers a fixed rate of 51 €. In order to get the special rate, please call one of the numbers below and mention code "EUMETSAT". Please note that the taxi has to be ordered 24h in advance.

Tel: +49 6151 44 7 22 / +49 170 380 47 22

Email: [info@tam-da.de](mailto:info@tam-da.de)

Online booking form: [Booking – TAM Flughafentransfer Darmstadt \(tam-da.de\)](http://Booking – TAM Flughafentransfer Darmstadt (tam-da.de))

## ACCOMMODATION

*We encourage you to book your accommodation as soon as possible as due to numerous trade fairs in Frankfurt this period of high hotel occupancy and high prices.*

→ **Moxy Hotel** that is within walking distance to EUMETSAT (7 minutes) and to the Railway Station (9 minutes).

For more details how to get there please check [here](#).

[Moxy](#)

Georg-Ohm-Straße 1, 64295 Darmstadt

Tel: +49 6151-667090



→ **Best Western Plus Plaza Hotel Darmstadt** that is within walking distance to EUMETSAT (7 minutes) and to the Railway Station (6 minutes).

For more details how to get there please check [here](#).

[Best Western Plus Plaza Hotel Darmstadt](#)

Am Kavalleriesand 6, 64295 Darmstadt

Tel: +49 6151 7377500

Email Address: [info@plazahotel-darmstadt.bestwestern.de](mailto:info@plazahotel-darmstadt.bestwestern.de)



→ **Greet Hotel** that is within walking distance to EUMETSAT (8 minutes) and to the Railway Station (19 minutes).

For more details how to get there please check [here](#).

[GREET Hotel Darmstadt](#)

Hilpertstrasse 27, 64295 Darmstadt, Germany

Tel: +49 6151 397650

Email address: [HB6J0@accor.com](mailto:HB6J0@accor.com)



→ **Maritim Hotel** that is within walking distance to EUMETSAT (10 minutes) and to the Railway Station (3 minutes).

For more details how to get there please check [here](#)

[Maritim](#)

Rheinstraße 105, 64295 Darmstadt

Tel: +49 6151 8780

Email: [reservierung.dar@maritim.de](mailto:reservierung.dar@maritim.de)



## VISA

Please check the visa requirements for Germany on: [Germany VISA Information, Requirements & Application Form \(germany-visa.org\)](#)

Participants that need a dedicated invitation letter to apply for visa are requested to provide the below information as soon as possible:

- scanned copy of the passport information page. Please ensure that the scan is clear, and all details are legible.

Please submit this information to the CGMS Secretariat at [cgmsec@eumetsat.int](mailto:cgmsec@eumetsat.int), by **30 January 2026 at the very latest**.

## TRAVEL AND HEALTH INSURANCE

Health Insurance Information: [Health Insurance in Germany - The German Healthcare System - Germany Visa \(germany-visa.org\)](#)

## ELECTRICITY

In Germany the power plugs and sockets are of types C and F. Plug type C is the plug which has two round pins and plug type F is the plug which has two round pins with two earth clips on the side. Germany operates on a 230V supply voltage and 50Hz. Please ensure you have a proper plug adapter.



## WEB FACILITIES

The meeting rooms as well as the individual hotel rooms have Wi-Fi internet access facilities.

## REGISTRATION AND AGENDA

The registration and agenda are available on the [CGMS meeting website](#).

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The CGMS Secretariat strongly encourage in-person participation.

*Participation to the CGMS-54 working groups is for CGMS members, observers and invited guests only. Thank you for your understanding.*

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