

## Wikidata İstanbul 2022 Conference Guide

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#### **Event Schedule**

Friday Day	09.00 - 10.15 10.15 - 11.30 11.30 - 12.30 12.30 - 12.50 12.50 - 13.50	Walk-in Opening session Wikidata for Absolute Beginners (I) Break Wikidata for Absolute Beginners (II)	13.50 - 15.00 15.00 - 16.00 16.00 - 16.30 16.30 - 17.00 17.00 - 18.00	Group photo and Lunch Break Wikidata - for Wikimedia projects and beyond Open-licencing as a key to data reuse Getting inspired by projects that use Wikidata Social time
Saturday Day 2	09.00 - 10.00 10.00 - 11.00 11.00 - 11.15 11.15 - 12.15 12.15 - 13.20 13.20 - 14.20 14.20 - 14.40	Walk-in A Gentle Introduction to Querying Wikidata with SPARQL (I) Break A Gentle Introduction to Querying Wikidata with SPARQL (II) Group photo and Lunch Break Structured Data Across Wikimedia Break	14.40 - 15.40 15.40 - 16.00 16.00 - 16.30 16.30 - 17.00 17.00 - 20.00 20.00 - 21.00	Modeling our Languages With Lexeme (I) Break Modeling our Languages With Lexeme (II) Break Istanbul Tour Dinner for all participants

Sunday	09.00 - 10.00	Walk-in	12.30 - 13.45	Lunch Break
	10.00 - 10.40	Potential Benefits of Wikidata to the Health	13.45 - 14.15	Translatable modules: The future of templates on
	10.40 - 11.00 11.00 - 11.20 11.20 - 11.40 11.40 - 12.00 12.00 - 12.30	System Bashkir Wikipedia: stages of development Handy Wikidata gadgets Break Experience of using Wikidata in Tatar Wikipedia Wikidata and GLAM: Museums of Türkiye	14.15 - 14.45 14.45 - 15.15 15.15 - 15.45 15.45 - 16.00 16.00 - 19.00	Wikidata, Commons, and beyond Open Street Map MCDC and AffCom meeting Cooperation between Wikimedia UG Georgia and Gov agencies Closing Istanbul Tour

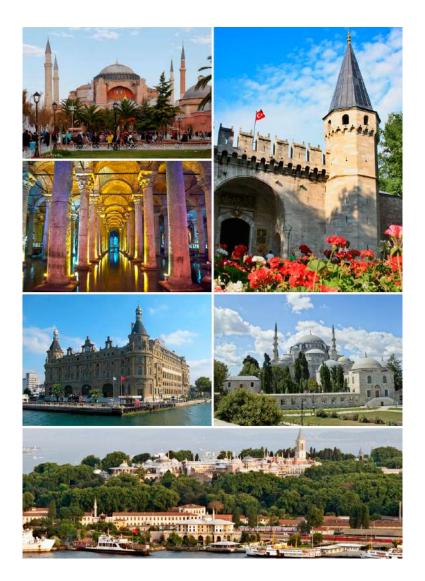
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## Welcome to Istanbul!

Istanbul, the largest city in Türkiye and the thirteenth-largest city in the world by population, is located on two sides of the Bosphorus Strait, a 31-km-long waterway that separates Asia from Europe.

Wikidata İstanbul Conference 2022 will be held in the Asian (Anatolian) part of the city at the entrance of the Bosphorus. The venue of the event, Üsküdar University, takes its name from the Üsküdar district it is situated in. Üsküdar is a major transport hub, with ferries and rail service (Marmaray) to the European side where the historical peninsula; and home to about half a million people, numerous historic buildings and Maiden's Tower, one of the symbols of Istanbul from Byzantine times. Enjoy your stay!



## **Places** Venue and Hotel

#### Venue

Wikidata istanbul 2022 will be held Üsküdar University central (merkez) campus. All sessions will be at Ayhan Songar Hall at D Block.

Venue address: Üsküdar Üniversitesi Merkez Kampüs D Blok Ayhan Songar Salonu Altunizade Mh. Üniversite Sokağı No:14, Üsküdar, 34662 İstanbul

#### Hotel

Scholarship recipients are accommodated at Mercure Hotel Altunizade which is at 6 minutes walking distance from the conference venue and 5 minutes walk to metro station (Altunizade metro station)

Hotel address: Altunizade Mah. Kısıklı Cad. Oymacı Sokak No:9 Üsküdar, 34662 İstanbul Hotel phone: +90 216 333 00 00



#### How to Get Around Public Transport in Istanbul

**İstanbulkart** is the prepaid public transportation card for Istanbul and it is the cheapest and the most efficient way to get around Istanbul. You can purchase İstanbulkart via yellow/blue vending machines (**biletmatik**) and via and via kiosks located by the majority of the public buses' stops.

When you ride a bus, metro, ferry, funicular or tramway, you can pay for your fare by 'waving' your İstanbulkart within 8 cm of the reader. Upon making a successful payment, the reader will make a sound and the screen will light up showing the amount left on the card.

#### Fees

To obtain İstanbulkart you need to pay a non-refundable fee of **₺50**. The cost of 1-ride public transportation is **₺7,67**.

Alternatively you can choose from 1, 2, 3, 5, 7 or 10-Day-Pass or İstanbul City Card (for tourists) options.

#### Websites

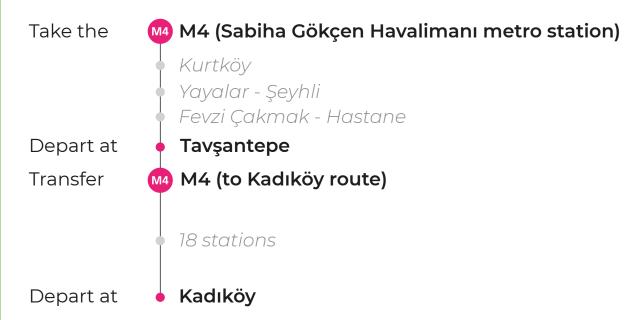
Bus: www.iett.istanbul Metro: www.metro.istanbul Ferry Lines: www.sehirhatlari.istanbul





## How to Get Around From the Sabiha Gökçen Airport (SAW) to hotel (Mercure Altunizade)

## Way 1





For maps, please see the last page of the guide

## Way 2

Take the 🛛 🗐 13 (direction: Batı Ataşehir Peronlar)

Depart at Sehit Erol Olçok

Walk to Mercure İstanbul Altunizade (The route is below)

#### How to Get Around From the Istanbul Airport (IST) to hotel (Mercure Altunizade)

Walk to VIP Terminal - Mülki İdare - Emniyet Bus Stop (The route is on the side)

Take the

the 📮 **H-2** 

Depart at Çağlayan

Walk to Çağlayan Metrobus Stop (The route is on the side)

Take the

**Söğütlüçeşme** (direction: Söğütlüçeşme)

Depart at Altunizade

Walk to Mercure İstanbul Altunizade (The route is on the side)



For maps, please see the last page of the guide

## **Preparing for Your Trip** Life in Istanbul

#### Money

The official currency of Türkiye is Turkish Lira (TRY, ₺;) Please note that you will need to use TRY for your spending. It's possible to easily change money in exchange offices and banks everywhere in Türkiye.

Credit and debit cards are widely used in the country. Visa and MasterCard are accepted in a wide range of locations.

#### **Electricity access**

Türkiye operates on 230V supply voltage and 50Hz. Sockets are type F (also known as Schuko). This socket also works with plug C and plug E. Please bring your adapter if needed!



#### **Preparing for Your Trip** Important Phone Numbers

International calling code for Türkiye	+90
Ambulance Fire	
Gendarme	112
Police	
İstanbul Metropolitan Municipality	153

(24/7 Help Desk for transportation, Istanbulkart etc.)

Consulates General of the Countries in Istanbul (Hotline)

Azerbaijan	+90 536 613 86 48
Georgia	+90 541 818 44 00
Iran	+90 212 513 82 30-33
Kazakhstan	+90 212 662 53 47
Uzbekistan	+90 212 323 20 37
Russia	+90 212 292 51 01

(Bashkortostan, Sakha and Tatarstan)



## **Preparing for Your Trip** Rules of Hygiene

In order to protect all participants, service partners, and also our own staff from infection with SARS-CoV-2 as well as monkeypox, the following rules and measures apply to the Wikidata Summit and all side events.

All participants acknowledge that the risk of infection can only be minimized but not ruled out completely.

Please make sure to wash and disinfect your hands regularly. Disinfectant will be provided at the venue. Please clean any technical equipment after use with disinfectant.

Observe proper etiquette when you cough or sneeze. One important virus containment measure is coughing and sneezing into the crook of your arm if you urgently need to do so. All rooms of the venue will be ventilated at regular intervals. In case the weather allows it, the windows should remain open throughout the day.

It is recommended that you wear a mask during the event for the health of you and your environment. If you do not have a mask, please let us know and we will provide you with a mask.

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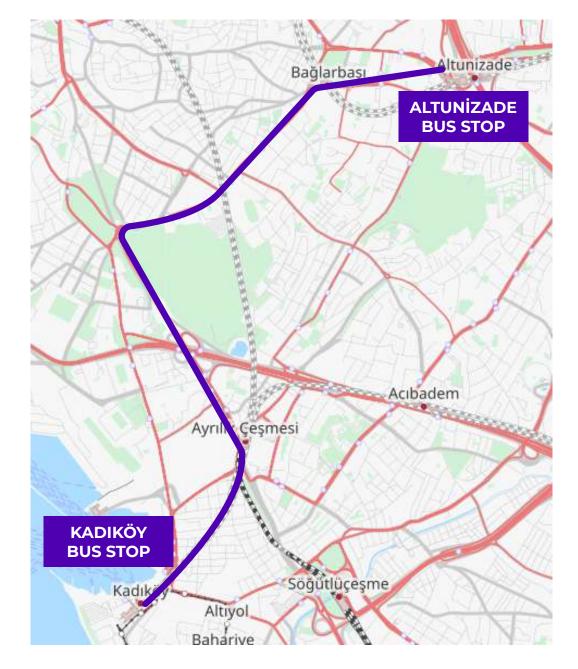
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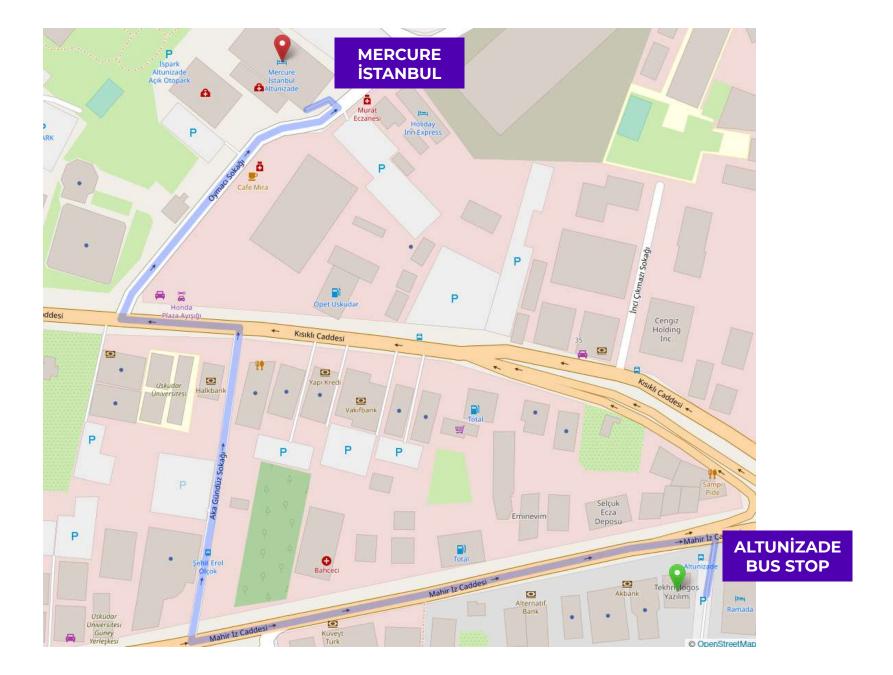
## Map for Kadıköy Bus Station to Altunizade Bus Station (13)

When you get on the bus, check the visual information screens in the vehicle and the names of the stops where the bus stops.

Kadıköy > Hamza Yerlikaya > Ayrılıkçeşmesi Marmaray > Haydarpaşa Öğrenci Yurdu > Haydarpaşa Numune Hastanesi > Karacaahmet > Karacaahmet Cemevi > Zeynep Kamil Hastanesi > Üsküdar Askerlik Şubesi > Pazarbaşı > Marmara Üniversitesi İlahiyat Fakültesi > Şehit Erol Olçok > Altunizade



## **Contact** Map for Altunizade Bus Station to Mercure İstanbul Hotel







# Glad you're with us!

