

**Accommodation in Helsinki for participants of OECD Schooling for Tomorrow  
28.9.-1.10. 2008**

**Several blocks of rooms have been pre-booked for the event. Please find hotel descriptions and rates attached.**

The rates apply to reservations made through the **Helsinki Expert Hotel Booking**

**Reservations**

Online

ENGLISH

<http://www.hotelbooking.fi/link/gtfu08>

SUOMI

<http://www.hotellikeskus.fi/link/gtfu08>

**Booking code**

GTFU08

The blocks of rooms are held until the **25<sup>th</sup> of August, 2008** after which rooms will be released.

**Read more about terms and conditions --> [ONLINE BOOKING TERMS](#)**

## FIRST CLASS HOTELS

Best Western Premier Hotel Katajanokka

Vyökatu 1

Historical Katajanokka prison is reborn as a luxury hotel for business and leisure travelers. Hotel Katajanokka is architecturally unique and surrounded by a beautiful park. It has 106 rooms as well as restaurant services, conference facilities, and an idyllic summer terrace. Distance to Wanha Satama 200 m.

Room rates:

Single room 162,00 eur/ Double room 204,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 1.10 & 2.10

Distance to city centre: 2 km

Distance to Wanha Satama: 100 m

## SCANDIC GRAND MARINA

Katajanokanlaituri 7

Scandic Grand Marina Hotel, originally a harbour warehouse, is conveniently located nearby the market square and the southern harbour of Helsinki. The hotel's seven meeting rooms, complemented with 11 more in Marina Congress Center across the street, provide a perfect setting for meetings, congresses, exhibitions and banquets up to 2500 people.

Room rates:

Single room 141,00 eur/ Double room 176,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to city centre: 2 km

Distance to Wanha Satama: 100 m

## RADISSON SAS ROYAL

Runeberginkatu 2

Radisson SAS Royal is a first class international business and conference hotel with 262 stylish guest rooms, two restaurants and a bar in the heart of Helsinki. The hotel has 13 meeting rooms which can be adjusted according to the customers' needs. The Ballroom offers facilities to as many as 400 conference guests depending on the nature of the occasion. The hotel was totally renovated in 2004. Wireless Internet connection throughout the hotel.

### Room rates:

Single room 149,00 eur/ Double room 169,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast and sauna.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to Wanh Satama: 3 km

## RADISSON SAS PLAZA

Mikonkatu 23

The Radisson SAS Plaza Hotel is housed in a premise of rich tradition where old and new architecture meet harmoniously. The hotel is conveniently located next to the Grand Casino Helsinki, the Finnish National Theatre and the Museum of Contemporary Art. All 291 deluxe rooms and suites have been designed for luxury and comfort. Location in the centre of town.

### Room rates:

Single room 153,00 eur/ Double room 173,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast and sauna.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to Wanh Satama: 2 km

## HOTEL SEURAHUONE

Kaivokatu 12

Hotel Seurahuone Helsinki is a high class, tasteful business hotel in the heart of Helsinki. Historically over 170 years old Seurahuone is one of the most traditional hotels in Finland, and can be considered even internationally a state of the art hotel.

Filled with a warm atmosphere Hotelli Seurahuone is a combination of the old time sophisticated spirit as well as modern high standard service. In addition to the individually appointed rooms the feeling of quality continues in the restaurant, the bar and the banquet floor.

### Room rates:

Single room 160,00 eur / Double room 180,00 eur (Mon-Thu)

Single room 99,00 eur / Double room 129,00 eur (Fri-Sun)

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 2 km

## SCANDIC CONTINENTAL

Mannerheimintie 46

Scandic Hotel Continental is a city hotel with an international atmosphere. The hotel is located in a beautiful spot by a park with an inlet from the sea. Scandic Continental is perfect for business, congress and leisure stays. The hotel has more than 500 cosy and comfortable rooms and meeting facilities for up to 600 people.

### Room rates:

Single room 246,00 eur / Double room 266,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 29.9-4.10

Distance to city centre: 1 km

Distance to Wanha Satama: 3,5 km

## SOKOS HOTEL Helsinki Expert

Kluuvikatu 8

Modern and cosy Sokos Hotel Helsinki is located in the pulsating heart of Helsinki, between Ateneum (the Museum of Finnish Art), and the Senate Square. All the hotel rooms and the majority of the other facilities were refurbished recently in a contemporary, fresh, Scandinavian style. The hotel also houses three great restaurants: Fransmanni, Memphis and Helsinki Club. The location in the very centre of town, is an excellent venue for a small-scale meeting.

### Room rates:

Single room 136,00 eur / Double room 156,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 2 km

## TOURIST CLASS HOTELS

### HOTEL CUMULUS KAISANIEMI

Kaisaniemenkatu 7

Hotel Cumulus Kaisaniemi is a modern and cosy hotel in downtown Helsinki. The hotel's central location near the main railway station and across the street from a metro station makes it easy to reach the Cumulus Kaisaniemi.

### Room rates:

Single room 145,00 eur / Double room 165,00 eur (Mon-Thu)

Single room 89,00 eur / Double room 117,00 eur (Fri-Sun)

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 2 km

### HOTEL HELKA

Pohjoinen Rautatiekatu 23

Hotel Helka is located in the heart of Helsinki, the Helka Hotel is conveniently close to the main railway station the airport bus terminal and the long distance coach terminal, but equally important it is very near the shopping district and other attractions for the visitor!

### Room rates:

Double room for single or double use 141,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 1.10 & 2.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 3 km

## HOTEL ARTHUR

Vuorikatu 19

Privately owned Hotel Arthur is located close to the Railway station in the very heart of Helsinki. The main sights, biggest department stores and theatres are just a walking distance away. The recently refurbished rooms are cosy and brightly coloured.

**Room rates:**

Single room 98,00 eur / Double room 120,00 eur (Mon-Thu)

Single room 73,00 eur / Double room 92,00 eur (Fri-Sun)

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 1.10 & 2.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 2 km

## HOTEL VODA CARLTON

Kaisaniemenkatu 3

Hotel Carlton Helsinki is a brand new hotel in a 1930's building located in the very heart of the city. Whether travelling on business or pleasure, Carlton Helsinki is the choice for you if you want to spend your night securely and comfortably, yet surrounded by the lively environment of one of the main streets in Helsinki city.

**Room rates:**

Single room 96,00 eur / Double room 120,00 eur

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-5.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 2 km

## ANNA

Annankatu 1

Hotel Anna is a welcoming and homely place to stay situated in the very centre of Helsinki. The hotel building is from 1926 but it has been Hotel Anna since 1985, when the establishment was almost rebuilt. Air-conditioning improvement has been done in 1999. 7th floor has been rebuilt in 2001.

**Room rates:**

Single room 105,00 eur / Double room 135,00 eur (Mon-Thu)

Single room 90,00 eur / Double room 120,00 eur (Fri-Sun)

Room rate includes buffet breakfast.

Rooms pre-booked during: 28.9-4.10

Distance to Wanha Satama: 2,5 km

## FENNO

Kaarlenkatu 7

Fenno is located in Helsinki, district called Kallio, only two kilometres from the city centre. The hotel offers accommodation in single or double rooms with standard equipment and in single economy rooms with shared facilities. Fenno is intended both for long-term residence and for short-term accommodation.

### Room rates:

Single room 65,00 eur / Double room 75,00 eur

Economy\* single room 46,00 eur

\*showers and toilets only in the corridor

Room rate includes breakfast and morning sauna.

Rooms pre-booked during: 29.9-4.10

Distance to city centre: 2 km

Distance to Wanha Satama: 3 km

## HOSTEL

EUROHOSTEL

Linnankatu 9

Eurohostel is one of the biggest hostels in Scandinavia open all year around. Each room is equipped with table, chair, and lockable wardrobe. Showers and toilets only in the corridor. Each of the five floors has its own self-catering facilities with hot plates, microwave, lockable refrigerator and TV. There are saunas on the top floor.

### Room rate:

Double room 48,20 eur

Breakfast EUR 6,70/ person/morning

Rooms pre-booked during: 1.10 & 2.10

Distance to city centre: 2 km

Distance to Wanha Satama: 200 m

**HOTELS +5 KM FROM HELSINKI CENTRE**

HANASAARI CULTURAL CENTRE

Hanasaarenranta 5

The services at Hanasaari Cultural Centre are suited to both conferences and occasions at which meeting rooms are not required. The peaceful hotel rooms, versatile restaurant services and pleasant sauna suite are open to all. All rooms have a window overlooking the scenic surroundings. Parking space is available free of charge for private motor vehicles and buses. Every room includes original works of mainly graphic art. Hotel guests are also free to use the library.

Room rates:

Single room 102,00 eur / Double room 148,00 eur (Sun-Thu)

Single room 78,00 eur/ Double room 116,00 eur (Fri-Sat)

Room rate includes buffet breakfast

Rooms pre-booked during: 1.10 -4.10

Distance to city centre: 7 km

Distance to Wanha Satama 9 km

You can check location of each hotel on the website <http://kartta.hel.fi> (write street name to indicate exact location).

## ONLINE BOOKING TERMS

### GENERAL

The booking system is the property of Helsinki Expert Ltd, Lönnrotinkatu 7 B, 00120 Helsinki. Business ID 1928483-2

The times stated in the booking terms and system are local.

The hotel classification (stars) used in the system is unofficial and based on information received by Helsinki Expert. Finland has no official hotel classification system.

### HOTEL BOOKING

Helsinki Expert, Hotel Booking is merely a booking agent. The contractual relation is between the client and the hotel.

A hotel booking becomes valid on receipt of confirmation from the booking system.

After receiving confirmation of a booking, the client can change or cancel bookings under the conditions stated in the booking system and the confirmation.

Should the client fail to receive confirmation, or should there be any omissions or errors in the confirmation, the client must inform Helsinki Expert.

### PAYMENT

All reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card (card number, date of expiry, name of cardholder, type of card and verification code).

Payment at the hotel in cash or with a credit card.

### CHECK-IN / CHECK-OUT

The check-in time without liability varies from one hotel to another and is stated on booking and in the confirmation. It is either between 2 pm and 4 pm or 2 pm and 6 pm. Check-out time by 12 (noon) on the day of departure.

### ARRIVAL AT THE HOTEL AFTER 4 PM/ 6 PM

A client intending to arrive to the hotel after 4 pm/ 6 pm need to inform this once making the reservation in order to keep the hotel informed.

### NO-SHOW

Should a client fail to arrive to the hotel or cancel the booking after hotel's given cancellation date (also notified on reservation confirmations from Helsinki Expert Hotel Booking), the full room rate will be charged.

### CANCELLATION AND CHANGES

Each hotel has individual terms of cancellation. These conditions are stated in the booking system and in the confirmation. In general cancellations without charges are accepted by **25<sup>th</sup> of August, 2008**.

**Exceptions:** Best Western Premier Katajanokka **30.6.2008** and Hotel Helka **21.7.2008**.

The client is liable for all room, no-show and cancellation charges.

The rates and conditions are subject to alterations for reasons beyond our control or due to force majeure.