

Practicalities

About the venue

Our event 'Inclusion in tech' will take place at Spoor 18. The address is Stationsstraat 55, 2800 Mechelen. You can find a picture of the inside and outside of the venue below. Toilets can be found at the first floor.

For persons with reduced mobility (PRM) the venue is accessible through a ramp. For the toilets please reach out to one of the organisers who will guide you towards the toilets accessible for PRM.



How to get there

If you come by public transport



Walking directions from the train station.

The venue is at walking distance of the bus and train station.

Take the train or bus to Mechelen station. When you come out of the station, you will see a large roundabout. Cross the street towards the M-Eatery restaurant on the corner. Then go left. You are now in the Stationsstraat. Continue via the entrance between Ethias Insurance and Bar Marie. Walk to the end of that entrance and you will find Spoor 18 on your right.

If you come by car

There is a parking lot with limited places (first come, first serve) available at Stationsstraat 55, Mechelen, right next to Spoor 18.



Notice: due to road works, you can only reach Stationsstraat via **Van Kerckhovenstraat!**

You can find the entrance between Ethias Verzekeringen and Bar Marie. The barrier for the parking lot will open automatically. Parking is for free for the attendees and we make sure that you can exit the parking lot until 10 pm. (You don't need to fetch a token.)

Alternatively, you may find parking space at the NMBS parking (Hanswijkvaart 19) or in surrounding streets.

Language and code of conduct

To be as inclusive as possible, the language at the meetup is English.

We would like to ask you to also talk in English during the breaks and networking. This way, non-Dutch speaking participants can also easily join your conversation.

Please note our **Code of Conduct** applies throughout the entire event. You can find the code at <https://breakingthesilos.be/code-of-conduct/>.

Catering

There will be food (also vegan) and drinks available (offered by Agile Kitchen) as of 6:00 PM.

About the programme

- You're welcome at Spoor 18 as of 6:00 PM.
- We will start with the talks at 6:30 PM, strict.
- Too late or cannot make it in time? No worries, you'll be able to access the venue during the meetup.
- There will be a break between the talks.
- Afterwards, you will get the opportunity to network until 10:00 PM at the latest.