



# SURVIVAL GUIDE

Hot Wings Symposium 2



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# 1 WELCOME

Dear participants of this fantastic event,

As the organization team, we are here for you to have the best experience that you possibly can. As you know Symposium Kocaeli 2022 is the second international Event held by our society. In the following pages, you will find the essential information about your time here in Kocaeli, Turkey. If you cannot find the information you are looking for in this guide, please do not hesitate to contact us by the contact addresses given in the “Telephones” part.

Have a nice trip to Kocaeli!

Symposium Kocaeli 2022 Organizing Team

## 2 LUGGAGE CHECKLIST

Here is a small checklist we have created for you not to forget any essential items so as not to be unpacked.

- Passport
- Visa (if needed)
- ID card
- Health insurance documents
- Pocket money
- Toothbrush and general toiletries
- Medicine
- Do not wear warm clothes
- Towels
- Stuff for Sprints Night! (local spirits, sweets, flag, and other cool stuff)
- Camera (just for memories, it can also just be your phone`s camera)
- Charger cables

### 3 CURRENCY

As of 21.02.2022:

Currency		Turkish Lira Value
1 Euro (€)	=	15.49 ₺
1 US Dolar (\$)	=	13.66 ₺
1 British Pound (£)	=	18.60 ₺

We advise you to exchange your money for TL. Because in the airport, you will have to pay a commission fee to exchange your money.

### 4 SAMPLE PRICES

Glass of Beer	=	20-30₺
Cocktail	=	30-40₺
Cup of Coffee	=	15-25 ₺
Hamburger Menu	=	55-70 ₺
Turkish Kebab	=	50-65 ₺
Pizza	=	65-80 ₺
Salad	=	35-55₺

## 5 TRANSPORTATION

### 5.1 FROM SABIHA GOKCEN AIRPORT(SAW)

If your flight is to SABIHA GOKCEN AIRPORT(SAW), you have 3 options.

1)You can get on the “130H” bus and get off at the “ITU DENIZCILIK FAKULTESI” bus stop. And walk 2 min to the hotel. You can find the hours of that bus in the lower part of transportation.

**That option cost 7.5TL.**

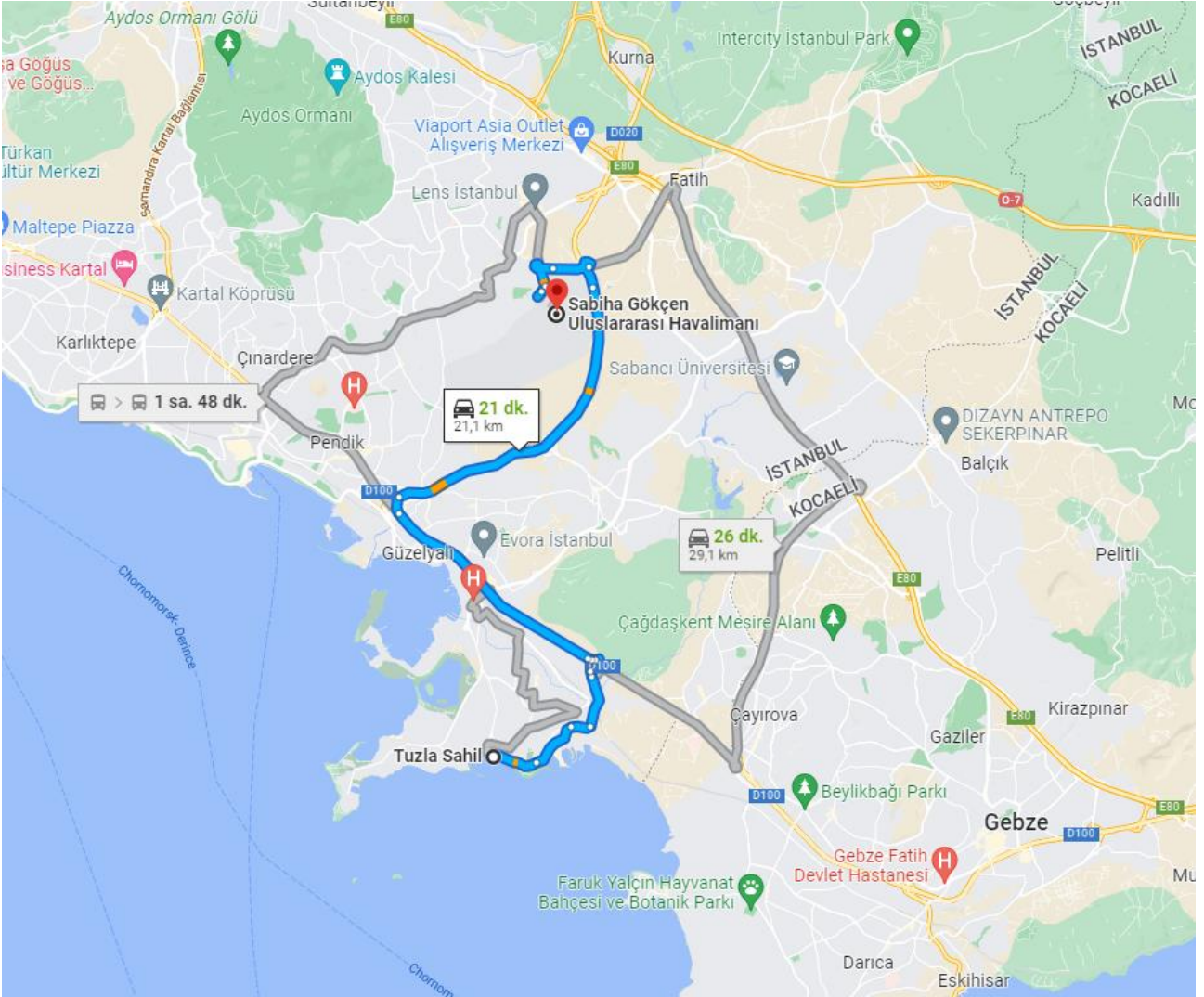
**That option take approximately 1 hour.**

2)You can get on the “E10” bus and get off at the “PENDIK KOPRUSU”, then walk across the bridge and get on “KM12” OR “130A” buses and get off on “ITU DENIZCILIK FAKULTESI” bus stop. Walk 5 min to the hotel. You can find the hours of those buses and detailed map screenshots in the lower part of transportation.

**That option cost 7.5TL.**

**That option take approximately 2 hours.**

[You can check link.](#)



## 5.2 FROM ISTANBUL AIRPORT(IGA)

This airport is too far from the location of our university, please do not buy tickets here. But if you ever have to get it here, contact us.

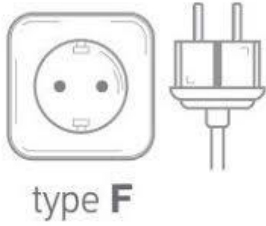
## 5.3 FROM HOTEL TO THE CAMPUS

We will take care of the hotel part, and we will also provide your transportation to the hotel.

## 6 USEFUL TURKISH WORDS

English	Türkçe
Hello	Merhaba
How are you?	Nasılsın?
I am fine thank you.	İyiyim teşekkür ederim.
Good morning.	Günaydın
One beer, please.	Bir bira lütfen.
One ticket, please.	Bir bilet lütfen.
How much is this?	Bu ne kadar?
Thanks!	Teşekkürler!
Help!	Yardım edin!
Sorry.	Özür dilerim.

## 7 POWER SOCKETS



In Turkey, the power plugs and sockets are of type F. This socket also works with plug C and plug E.

## 8 TELEPHONES

### Our Phone Numbers

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Nurcan Binali	+90 534 689 73 40

### Emergency Phone Numbers

Police	155
Ambulance	112
Fire	110



## 9 VISA INFORMATION

Please read the link, If you need the visa. (Most of European people doesn't need)

<https://www.mfa.gov.tr/visa-information-for-foreigners.en.mfa>

## 10 COVID INFORMATION

Please read the link.

<http://www.euroavia.gtuhuk.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Covid-Sanitary-Regulations-1.pdf>

## 11 JUST TO LET YOU KNOW

The event you are getting close to will be a smoking hot one!