

TRAVELLING TO OSTRAVA

- **To Prague (CZ):** to Václav Havel Airport

You can find all destinations [here](#). Václav Havel Airport Prague is directly connected to Prague Main Railway Station (Praha hlavní nádraží), from where a direct transfer to train services running to destinations within the Czech Republic and abroad is possible. This connection is provided by Airport Express buses.

You must go to Ostrava by train. From Prague to Ostrava you can choose from three railway companies:

[Czech Railways \(České dráhy\)](#): you can purchase a ticket at Václav Havel Airport Prague all the way to Ostrava-Svinov (very comfortable train is called SC Pendolino).

[Regiojet](#): you can purchase a ticket at Václav Havel Airport Prague to Ostrava-Svinov (very comfortable private company).

[Leo Express](#): it is not possible to purchase a ticket at the airport only from the main station in Prague (called Wilsonovo nádraží).

- **To Brno (CZ):** to [Brno Airport](#)

Brno Airport is connected to Brno Main Railway Station (Brno Hlavní nádraží), from where a direct transfer to train services running to destinations within the Czech Republic and abroad is possible. This connection is provided by express bus line E76. For more information see link www.dpmb.cz/en/routing-change-airport-bus-line-e76. From Brno to Ostrava you can choose from two railway companies:

[Czech Railways \(České dráhy\)](#)

[Regiojet](#)

- **To Vienna (AT):** to [Vienna Airport](#)

You must use buses to get from Vienna Airport to the Czech Republic. [FlixBus](#) or [RegioJet](#) goes to Ostrava. You can also use train.

- **To Krakow (PL):** to [Krakow Airport](#)

You must use buses to get from Krakow Airport to Krakow Main Railway Station (Krakow Główny). To get to Ostrava you can use [Regiojet](#).

- **To Katowice (PL):** to [Katowice Airport](#)

You can use a bus, train or taxi to get to Katowice Main Railway Station. To get to Ostrava you can use [Regiojet](#) or [Flixbus](#).

TRAVELLING IN OSTRAVA

ACCOMODATION IN HOTEL GARNI, OSTRAVA - PORUBA

- How to get to Hotel Garni:

If you go to Ostrava by train, the best option is to get off at the station called Ostrava-Svinov, which is closer to VSB-TUO.

○ By tram:

Basic information for visitors and public transport users can be found here: [Dopravní podnik Ostrava • Basic information for visitors and public transport users \(dpo.cz\)](#)

Trams: 7, 8, 17

When you get out of the train station, turn right and walk around 200 m towards modern looking glass-red building called Svinov-mosty, go there and follow direction TRAM-PORUBA.

You can take any tram, which has a sign (final stop) Vřesinská and get off the tram at the stop called VŠB – Technická univerzita Ostrava. Just take a look on the right side where you will see a green building of our university.

You do not have to buy a ticket for public transport in Ostrava. There are special credit cards scanners at every tram/bus entrance. When you get on, just put your CC to the scanner and you will get a valid ticket. Do the same before you get off the tram to end the validation of your ticket.

○ By bus:

Buses: 37, 48, 54

More comfortable if you go first to hotel GARNI (part of VSB-TUO dormitories) and you can check in.

Bus 37: in front of the train station there is a bus station where you can take this bus in direction of Studentské koleje which goes directly to the dormitories/hotel GARNI and get off at the bus stop called Studentské koleje. The same procedure as in tram applies when you want to buy a ticket.

Bus 54: When you get out of the train station, turn right and walk around 200 m towards modern looking glass-red building called Svinov-mosty, go there and follow direction BUS-PORUBA. o You can take a bus 54, which has a sign (final stop) Studentské koleje and get off at the bus stop called Studentské koleje. The same procedure as in tram applies when you want to buy a ticket.

○ By taxi:

The most comfortable way. Taxi rank is just in front of the train station and cost about 200-300 CZK.

○ By car:

VSB-TUO also has perfect accessibility by car. GPS coordinates, which you can navigate to, are 49.8305572N, 18.1605611E, enter the area from the street Dr. Slabihoudka.

Address of VSB-TUO: VSB – Technical University of Ostrava, 17. listopadu 2172/15, Ostrava Poruba, 708 00

Address of Hotel GARNI: Studentská 1770/1, Ostrava-Poruba, 700 32.

You can walk from Hotel Garni to the university assembly hall of VSB – Technical University of Ostrava, where U!REKA Connects takes place. See the map.

ACCOMODATION IN THE CITY CENTRE

If you go to Ostrava by train and you are staying outside of the campus, in the city centre, the best option is to get off at the station called Ostrava-Hlavní nádraží (main station).

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- **How to get to VSB-TUO:**

Tram n. 8:

Tram n. 8 is the best option. Tram No. 8 connects the center of Ostrava and the city part of Poruba. It starts at the stop Ostrava-Hlavní nádraží and ends at the stop Vřesinská. You have to get off at the stop Hlavní třída. On your right you will see the university assembly hall VSB-TUO. It will take you approximately 20 to 30 minutes to reach the university campus from the city center.