

How to get here

The ESO Supernova is located 2 km north-east of Garching and about 15 km north-east of Munich in the “Forschungszentrum” area.

GPS: 48° 15' 36.90" N, 11° 40' 15.16" E

By subway: The ESO Supernova is only four minutes on foot from the final station of the U6 line, Garching Forschungszentrum.

By bus: Bus stop Boltzmannstraße: Bus 292 via Oberschleißheim, Bus 230 via Ismaning and Bus 690 via Eching.

By car: Take the A9 exit Garching-Nord (Garching-North), which leads you to the “Forschungszentrum” area. Go straight ahead at the traffic lights. ESO is located in the south-east corner of the campus, which is in front of you as the road turns left.

Bus unloading/parking is in front of ESO. Parking spaces are available in front of the ESO Supernova.

Disabled parking is available close to the entrance.

Tickets & Reservations

All admission is free of charge in 2018. You can help us keep the centre free for everyone by making a donation of your choice. Though free, tickets are still required for planetarium shows, tours and special events and we highly recommend booking in advance online. Tickets are printed from ticket machines on-site.

If you would like to book an educational workshop, hire one of our rooms for a special event or organise a group visit, please contact us: supernova@eso.org

Opening Hours: Wednesday	09:00–17:00
Thursday	09:00–17:00
Friday	09:00–17:00
Saturday	12:00–17:00
Sunday	12:00–17:00

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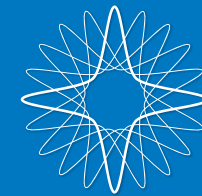
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A new supernova over Munich

The ESO Supernova is a must-see astronomy centre suitable for all ages. We offer a *free, bilingual* (German and English) programme, consisting of an interactive exhibition, a modern planetarium, guided tours, educational activities, public talks and other special events.

Enjoy a 360-degree planetarium

The heart of our centre hosts the largest tilted planetarium in Germany, Austria and Switzerland. Experience our innovative planetarium shows, learn about the world-leading telescopes that ESO is building, and the latest research into exoplanets, star formation, dark matter and so much more.

Explore, examine and experiment

Take a journey through the Universe in our interactive exhibition to unveil the secrets of the night sky. Stop at the ESO telescopes in the Atacama Desert in the middle of your adventure, then continue on to try our galaxy collider and relativity bike! Guided tours through the exhibition are also available.

Unforgettable learning experiences

For schools we offer specialist educational workshops, planetarium shows and tours aimed at groups from kindergarten to 13th grade. For more information check out our educational brochure.

Take part in special events

Talks by astronomers, art performances, music events, visiting exhibits and much more will be available as special events in our quarterly programme.



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