

# TOD-IS-RUR Workshop Eindhoven

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## Summary and contact

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### *Table 1. Information summary*

First network-wide training event summary	
Year:	2023
Project month:	26
Meeting times:	3 days
Instruction language:	English
Disciplines:	Transport geography, mobility studies
Organizers:	TU Eindhoven

## Aims and program description

This workshop will consist of three different pillars. First, the ESRs will be taking a 1,5-day writing course. The ESRs will get tips and tricks on how to write for an academic audience, they will get the opportunity to apply those insights into a piece of writing of their own, and they will learn from each other's insights and feedback. The second part of the workshop will be dedicated to comparing the ESR's different case studies. The goal is to go beyond the individual cases and obtain a more general understanding of TOD in RURs. The third part of the workshop will consist of a field trip in which the ESRs will learn more about the TOD plans in the Eindhoven Metropolitan Region, with specific attention for mobility and the role of industry.

## Outcomes

By the end of the workshop the ESRs will acquired:

- Technical research skills: workshop session on comparative research methods, and exercise on comparing the different case studies to reach general conclusions about TOD-IS-RUR
- Scientific communication skills: communication of the studio results, discussion sessions
- Transferable skills: workshop sessions on academic writing, reflect on writing style and implement strategies to build up an argument, as well as tips and tricks on making the writing process enjoyable and productive.
- Situate their research within a broader context.
- Field work knowledge: reflect the research in relation to the local context of the Eindhoven Brainport region.

## Organization of the network-wide event

### Location

The workshop will be held at TU Eindhoven premises in Eindhoven, the Netherlands. A field trip will be conducted in the form of a cycling trip to Veldhoven.

## Workshop Attendance and Participation

Attendance during the whole workshop is obligatory. If ESRs are not able to attend the session, they are to inform their supervisor(s), the organizers of the workshop and the Project Management Team in advance. The ESRs should make sure to turn in their assignments if they are required.

## Materials

The reading materials will be made available in advance.

## Participating ESRs, supervisors and PMT

ESR	ESR name	Supervisor/co-supervisor	Host organization
ESR1	Mariana Santos	Prof. Nathalie Roseau (supervisor) Prof. Massimo Moraglio (co-supervisor)	Ecole des Ponts ParisTech, France
ESR2	Flore Guichot	Prof. Paola Viganò (supervisor) Prof. Greet De Block (co-supervisor)	École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland
ESR3	Krzysztof Janko	Prof. Dorothee Brantz (supervisor) Associate Prof. Frauke Behrendt (co-supervisor)	Technische Universität Berlin, Germany
ESR4	Harriet Dunn	Prof. Jonathan Metzger (supervisor) Prof. Stijn Oosterlynck (co-supervisor)	KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden
ESR5	Carla Cruz	Prof. Mattias Qvistrum (supervisor) Prof. Dorothee Brantz (co-supervisor)	Sveriges Lantbruksuniversitet (SLU), Sweden
ESR7	Maya El Khawand	Prof. Caroline Gallez (supervisor)	Université Gustave Eiffel (UGE), France
ESR8	Leon Vauterin	Prof. Ruth Oldenziel (supervisor) Prof. Thomas Vanoutrive (co-supervisor)	Eindhoven University of Technology, the Netherlands
ESR9	Andre Klaassen	Prof. Greet De Block (supervisor) Prof. Mattias Qvistrum (co-supervisor) Prof. Ann Verhetsel (co-supervisor)	University of Antwerp, Belgium
ESR10	Sandra La Rota	Prof. Thomas Vanoutrive (supervisor) Prof. Luca Bertolini (co-supervisor) Prof. Caroline Gallez (co-supervisor)	University of Antwerp, Belgium

## Trainers (internal and external)

Trainers	Name	Contact details	Brief description of the role/session contribution
Internal trainers	Prof. Ruth Oldenziel Prof. Frauke Behrendt	<a href="mailto:Ruth@oldenziel.com">Ruth@oldenziel.com</a> <a href="mailto:f.behrendt@tue.nl">f.behrendt@tue.nl</a>	Organizer Organizer
External trainers	Prof. Frank Veraart	<a href="mailto:F.C.A.Veraart@tue.nl">F.C.A.Veraart@tue.nl</a>	Session organizer
Partner Organizations	Eindhoven Municipality Metropolitan Region Eindhoven		Field trip guide

## Calendar

Wed 11 Oct	Thu 12 Oct	Fri 13 Oct
09:30-10:30 <b>History Lab (Atlas, 9th floor)</b> <b>Intro/welcome</b>	9:30-12:30 <b>History Lab (Atlas, 9th floor)</b> <b>Workshop writing 2: <u>Text production</u></b> (Ruth)	8:30-11:30 <b>Velorent (Gasfabriek 3, Wielercafé Cyklist)</b> <b>Cycling trip: BRT HOV4</b>
10:30-12:30 <b>History Lab (Atlas, 9th floor)</b> <b>Comparative cases 1</b> (Ruth & Frauke)  >> <i>How to conduct a comparative analysis?</i>	>> <i>How to build up an argument?</i>	11:30-12:30 <b>TIS open space (Atlas, 8th floor)</b> <b>Lunch</b> 12:00-13:30 <b>Supervisory board meeting OR reflective walks</b>
12:30-13:30 <b>TIS open space (Atlas, 8th floor)</b> <b>Lunch</b>	12:30-13:30 <b>TIS open space (Atlas, 8th floor)</b> <b>TIS lunch seminar</b> (Greet)	14:00-16:00 <b>History Lab (Atlas, 9th floor)</b> <b>Comparative cases 2</b> (Frank Veraart)  >> <i>How to use a comparative analysis for TOD-IS-RUR?</i>
13:30-16:30 <b>History Lab (Atlas, 9th floor)</b>  <b>Workshop writing 1: <u>Writing process</u></b> (Frauke)  >> <i>How to start writing? How to continue? How to make it enjoyable? How to remain productive? How to deal with writer's block?</i>	14:00-17:30 <b>Rooms 8.323, 8.324 &amp; 8.326 (Atlas, 8th floor)</b> <b>Workshop writing 3: <u>Text production</u></b> (ESR's)  >> peer feedback + individual writing	
<b>Walk to Strijp 5</b>	17:30-... <b>Zwarte Doos</b> <b>Drinks: TIS x TOD-IS-RUR</b>	
18:00-... <b>Ketelhuis Strijp 5 (Ketelhuisplein 1)</b> <b>Social Dinner</b>		

## Description of the individual sessions & training materials

### Writing workshop

In this hands-on writing workshop, the ESRs will get the opportunity to improve their writing skills. It will consist of 3 blocks. First, the ESRs will exchange ideas and experiences regarding the writing process. How do they get started? How do they remain motivated and productive? How do they deal with anxiety? By sharing their experiences, the ESRs will be able to learn from each other and improve their writing routines. This session will be chaired by prof. Frauke Behrendt.

For the next two sessions, the ESRs will be asked to submit a piece of writing they are currently working on. Prof. Ruth Oldenziel, using her experience as an editor, will then share some general best practices for writing for an academic audience. In this session, we will be focusing on how to build up an argument. The ESRs will get the chance to implement the insights into their own piece of writing. The last part of the writing workshop will consist of a peer-feedback session in which the ESRs read each other's

writings to learn from each other's writing style. After a round of feedback, they can continue working on their own written pieces.

### Comparative cases

In the comparative cases sessions, the ESRs will learn how to move beyond their individual cases and make a more general contribution by comparing different cases. In the first session, prof. Ruth Oldenziel will give a presentation in which she uses her own research series, *Cycling Cities*, as an example of how to compare different case studies. In the second session, the ESRs will put theory into practice. By comparing their respective cases, they will search for some general conclusions that go beyond their individual cases. The second session will be chaired by TUE-colleague and professor Frank Veraart.

### Field trip

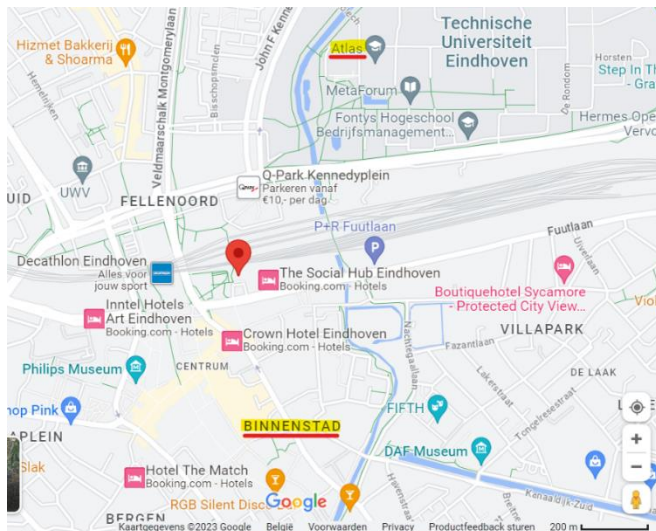
During the field trip, the ESRs will become acquainted with the local context of Metropolitan Region Eindhoven, also known as Brainport. Starting with an introduction by Stephan Suiker from Eindhoven municipality, we will be conducting a field trip along the future BRT-line that is intended to connect the Eindhoven central station with the industrial site De Run, where a.o. ASML is located.

## Getting to Eindhoven

From the Airport: Bus 400 & 401 takes you to Eindhoven Central Station in 30 minutes. From there, you are only a 5-minute walk away from the city centre.

By Train: Arriving at Eindhoven Central Station, you are only 5 minutes walking away from the city centre.

By Bus: Busses also stop at Eindhoven Central Station.



## GETTING AROUND TOWN

Walking: For our workshop, walking will be the easiest way to get around town. Walking distances between the TUE campus site (Atlas building) and the city centre (Binnenstad) take at most 30 minutes. The Central Station (red pin) lies in between.



**Cycling:** Cycling is very convenient in Eindhoven. Participants can rent a bike to travel around.

**Public transport:** To use public transport, you need an *OV-chipkaart*. You can purchase such cards and add money to them in Eindhoven Central Station, either at a machine or at a help desk. More info [here](#).

## Accommodation

Here below, we provide a short list of suggested hotels located within a walking distance to the University of Eindhoven. Of course, you are also free to choose another alternative accommodation. Please note that booking and payment are the responsibility of the participants.

### SUGGESTED FIRST-CLASS HOTELS

- Sandton Hotel Eindhoven City Centre
- Crown Hotel Eindhoven
- Inntel Hotels Art Eindhoven

### SUGGESTED MIDRANGE HOTEL

- The Social Hub Eindhoven
- Hotel Queen Eindhoven

### BUDGET MINDED ACCOMMODATION

3BE Backpackers Bed & Breakfast Eindhoven