

ART MUSEUM OF ESTONIA



KUMU ART MUSEUM

The Kumu Art Museum, which is located in the headquarters of the Art Museum of Estonia, is one of the largest and most impressive exhibition spaces in Estonia. The museum provides a survey of the various time periods of Estonian art: from the Academic Style to Modernism, from Soviet Pop Art to contemporary art. The exciting contemporary architecture of the building, which was designed by the Finnish architect Pekka Vapaavuori, is an attraction in its own right.

KADRIORG ART MUSEUM

The Kadriorg Art Museum is located in the Baroque palace constructed by Tsar Peter the Great in 1718. The abundantly decorated main hall of the palace is one of the most exquisite examples of baroque architecture in Northern Europe. The permanent exhibition of the museum displays the largest collection of Russian and Western European art from the 16th–20th centuries in Estonia.



MIKKEL MUSEUM

The Mikkel Museum is located in the former kitchen of the Kadriorg Palace ensemble. The permanent exhibition introduces the collection of Johannes Mikkel: an exciting private collection of 16th – to 20th-century Western European, Russian, Chinese and Estonian paintings, graphic art, porcelain and sculptural art. The temporary exhibitions are dedicated to historical and contemporary collections, and to the practice of collecting.



NIGULISTE MUSEUM

The Niguliste Museum is located in a 13th century church building. It is a beautiful example of late Gothic architecture in Estonia. The exhibition introduces ecclesiastical art from the 13th–18th centuries including the altarpiece produced in the workshop of Herman Rode (1478–1481), and a fragment of the unique Glass of Death by Berni Notke (late 15th c). Take a ride with a glass lift to the Niguliste skydeck, and enjoy a magnificent panoramic view of Tallinn.

ADAMSON-ERIC MUSEUM

The Adamson-Eric Museum is located on a romantic stepped street and is dedicated to the work of Adamson-Eric (1902–1968), one of the most versatile Estonian artists of the 20th century. His distinctive paintings and applied art are characterised by elegance, subtle colour choices and wit. Adamson-Eric's rugs, porcelain and ceramics were awarded two honorary diplomas at the 1937 International Exposition in Paris.

TALLINN CITY MUSEUM

Kiek in de Kōk, the highest defence tower in the city, the Stable Tower, known for its ghost stories, the Maiden Tower and the Gate Tower belong to the 800-metre-long defence complex together with the city wall that connects them and the underground bastion passages.

HOUSE OF PETER THE GREAT

Explore the summer manor from the 17th century where Peter the Great and Catherine stayed several times starting from 1714. This is Tallinn's oldest museum and it introduces the history of the Kadriorg Palace and park ensemble, as well as the "old palace" during Peter the Great's time.

KALAMAJA MUSEUM

The community museum uniting an idyllic wooden town with a hipster vibe organizes events for families with children and brainstorming sessions for activists. The museum organizes urban excursions, events and open air exhibitions and introduces local history, the present day and the future.

THE PEOPLES MUSEUM OF TALLINN

The Museum intermediates and values local ethnic diversity both in historical heritage as well as in contemporary culture. The museum expresses the multiplicity of Estonian identities. Exhibitions and action plans are a co-creation of the museum and ethnic communities.

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM MIIAMILLA

The new permanent exhibition is exploring the multifaceted world of the child and its growth. It also supports children's mental health, gives them a better understanding of the world, develops social relationships and helps them acquire new knowledge. With these premises in mind, the expo presents the key cognitive environments in children's lives.



MUSEUM OF PHOTOGRAPHY

The Museum is a symbiosis of the medieval prison, which is rare in Northern European architecture, and the prison ward's residence (14th-15th century) and photography as a distinct art form. This is the home of Estonian photographic heritage and presents the history of Estonian photography between 1840 and 1940.

GALLERY SEEK

Seek is an exhibition pavilion of the Museum of Photography, where exhibitions of contemporary photography and Estonian photographic heritage are presented. The building also exhibits the ruins of a building from the Seek complex dating back to the 13th-14th centuries.



ESTONIAN HISTORY MUSEUM

GREAT GUILD HALL

The Great Guild Hall located in Tallinn's Old Town, dates back to 1410, when it became the guild house for the city's most influential and affluent merchants. Visitors can experience various exhibitions in the grand hall and explore the building's fascinating history, including visiting the armoury on the basement level.



ESTONIAN THEATRE AND MUSIC MUSEUM

This museum, located on Müürivahe Street in the Old Town, can be identified by the medieval Assaawe Tower. The exhibition "Astounding Stories about Theatre and Music," commemorating the museum's 100th anniversary, features 100 artefacts from the museum's collection, presented through stories and visual memories. For the first time, the entire Theatre and Music Museum building is open to visitors, allowing them to access areas that were previously archives and research offices.

MAARJAMÄE HISTORY CENTRE

The permanent exhibition "My Free Country" at Maarjamäe Palace takes visitors on a journey through 100 years of Estonian history, from the birth of the Estonian Republic to the present day. Children can enjoy themselves in the Children's Republic and on the Estonia-shaped playground. The Maarjamäe Palace park hosts an open-air exhibition of Soviet-era monuments. Don't miss the Estonian Film Museum in the same complex, where you can feel like a film star on the red carpet-like pathway and learn about film-making process.

VABAMU MUSEUM OF OCCUPATIONS AND FREEDOM

The Vabamu Museum of Occupations and Freedom is a place that recounts the story of the Estonian people's journey from occupation to independence during the 20th century. The best museum to reflect on recent history, feel the fragile nature of freedom, and understand the need to stand up for liberty and justice.

KGB PRISON CELLS

Explore the haunting atmosphere of the damp basement cells of KGB prison that have witnessed gross human rights violations and crimes against humanity. Discover the tragic fate of Estonian leaders, cultural figures, and ordinary citizens during Stalinist repressions. Let the walls of this building tell their story!

ESTONIAN MARITIME MUSEUM

SEAPLANE HARBOUR

Step into one of Northern Europe's most extraordinary maritime museums, located in Tallinn's historic Seaplane Harbour. Marvel at the real 1930s submarine Lembit, climb aboard the majestic steam-powered icebreaker Suur Tõll, and explore boats, yachts, a replica of the Short 184 seaplane, and full-sized naval exhibits like mines and cannons. Families will love the interactive adventures—including Cat Kipper's sea-themed play area, a giant aquarium, and exciting simulators—making the Seaplane Harbour a truly unforgettable destination for visitors of all ages.



FAT MARGARET

Begin your journey through Estonia's rich seafaring past at the Fat Margaret museum and visitor centre. Explore the story of Estonian maritime life—from medieval trade routes revealed for the first time, to the rise of modern passenger shipping. The exhibition features nearly 700 historical artefacts, an impressive collection of ship models (including 17 specially crafted for this display), and around 50 digital and hands-on experiences that bring maritime history vividly to life.

ESTONIAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY

In the Estonian Museum of Natural History, the Estonian nature is at your fingertips! Various things to explore and view are spread across three floors. Our permanent exhibition lies on three floors - take your time to visit it and we guarantee it will be worthwhile! A museum full of nature in the Tallinn Old Town awaits you!

ESTONIAN HEALTH MUSEUM

Discover the beauty of being human. A Heart to Heart About Your Body is a one-of-a-kind award-winning exhibition about the human body and mind, healthy living and medical history. Interactive exhibits offer inspiration to guests of all ages. The new annual exhibition, Bye-bye, Youth!, brings together candid stories from well-known Estonians and fresh scientific information about aging.



FOTOGRAFISKA TALLINN

Everything but an ordinary museum. Located in the vibrant Telliskivi Creative City, Fotografiska is a contemporary photography museum showcasing rotating exhibitions from world-class photographers.

Beyond the art, the space offers a cozy café and a Michelin Green Star-awarded restaurant, serving delicious food and drinks with an emphasis on local and sustainable ingredients. Whether you're here for inspiration, a bite to eat, or a unique cultural experience, Fotografiska is the place to explore – and the place to be.

TALLINN TV TOWER

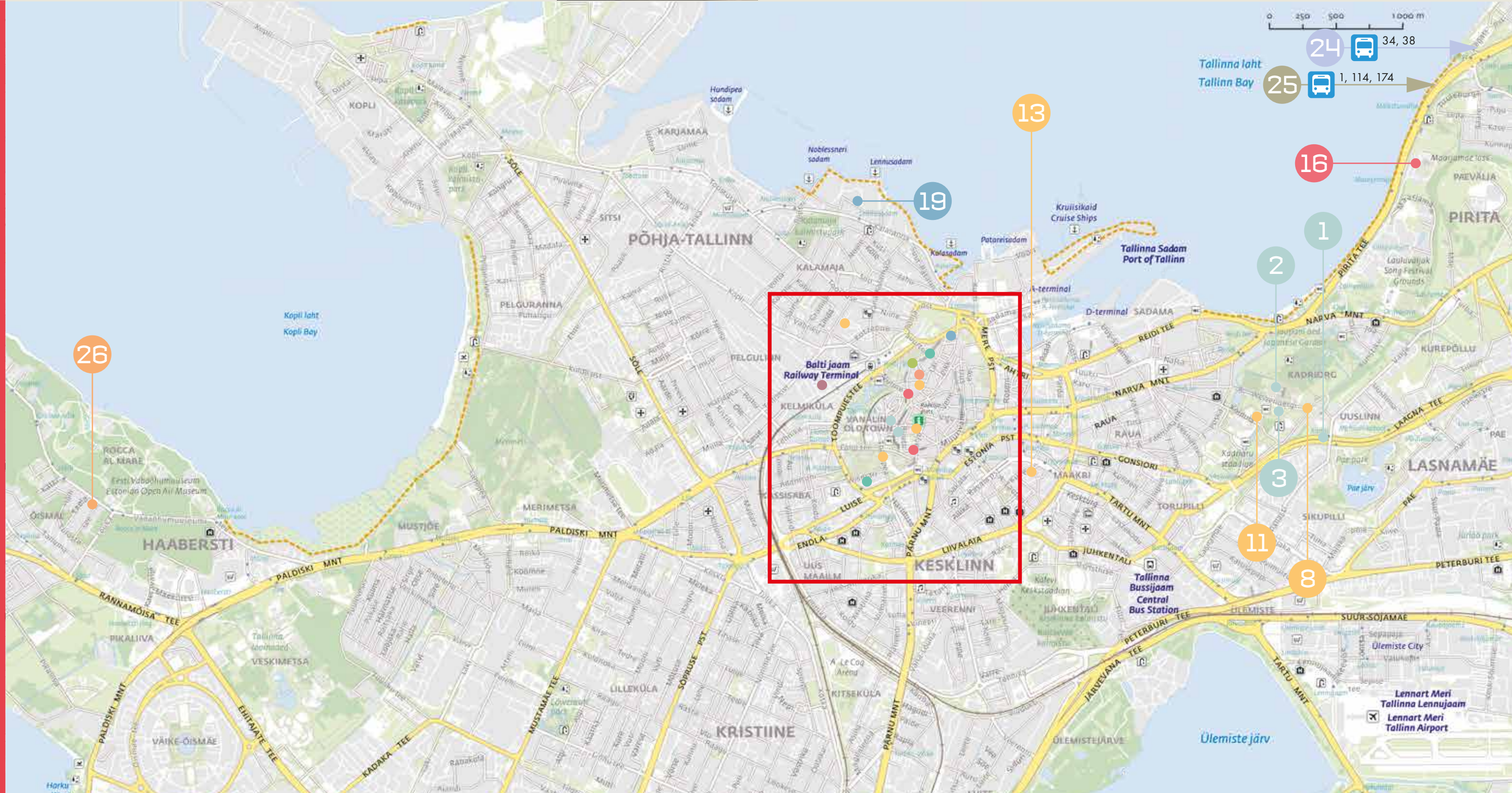
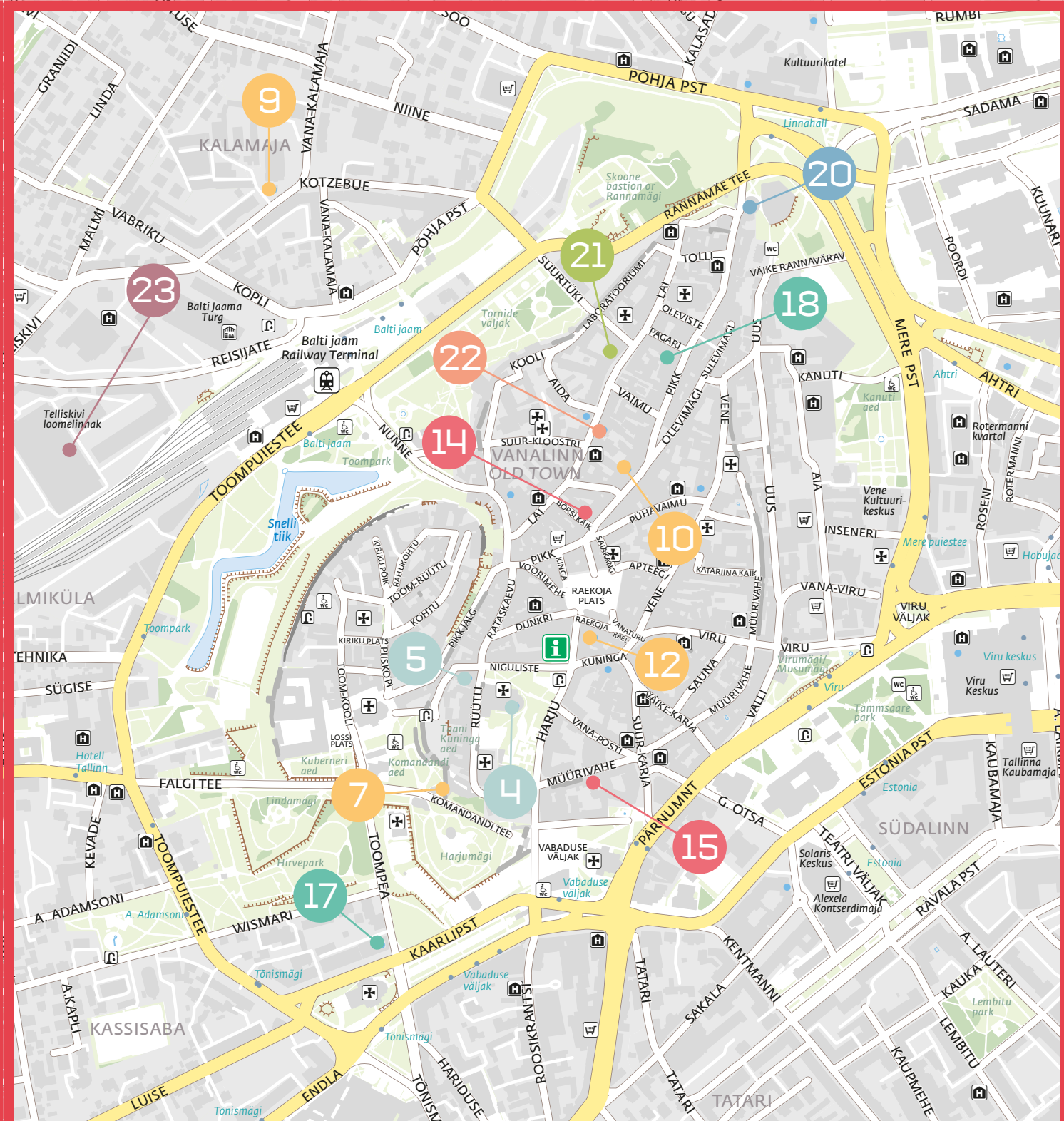
You will find the highest open viewing platform in the Nordic countries at 175 meters in the Tallinn TV Tower, which is one of the landmarks of Tallinn's panorama. If the TV Tower were a residential building, it would be 65 stories high. The elevator will take you to the 21st floor, where you can enjoy a 360-degree view of Tallinn and its surroundings, in just 56 seconds. History, culture, and local delicacies are the experiences you can enhance with an extreme edge walk. Starting from January 2024, the Tallinn TV Tower is the proud owner of the Green Key eco-label.

ESTONIAN WAR MUSEUM

Explore the Estonian War Museum, housed in beautiful seaside Viimsi manor. The Museum exhibitions tell the story of Estonia and Estonians in wars throughout history. Step into general's office, climb into Forest Brothers' bunker and an armoured train, take a look at various arms and historical uniforms of the Estonian army. There is also a huge display of artillery guns and military vehicles that is unique in the whole Baltics. Kids can have fun in the Play Headquarters.

ESTONIAN OPEN AIR MUSEUM

At the Estonian Open Air Museum, more than 80 original buildings from all over Estonia stand on a historic village landscape! In addition to traditional Estonian rural architecture, the museum also showcases the distinctive culture of Orthodox Setos from the Estonian-Russian border area, Old Believers of Russian origin, and a Soviet-era kolkhoz apartment building. From the UNESCO list of intangible cultural heritage, the museum features national mulgi puder dish and the traditional smoke sauna. New adventure trail for children and the lively Kolga farm with its domestic animals and birds!



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KUMU ART MUSEUM

- 🕒 Tue–Wed, Fri–Sun 10–18; Thu 10–20
- 📍 Weizenbergi 34 / Valge 1, Tallinn; Phone: +372 602 6000; www.kumu.ekm.ee
- 📍 15 min from the Old Town by bus or by tram; 35 min on foot.
- 🕒 1,5–2,5 hours
- 🎧 The museum cafe



Kadriorg Art Museum

KADRIORG ART MUSEUM

- 🕒 Jan–Apr, Oct–Dec: Tue, Thu–Sun 10–18, Wed 10–20; May–Sept: Mon–Tue, Thu–Sun 10–18, Wed 10–20
- 📍 Weizenbergi 37; Phone: +372 606 6400; www.kadriorumuseum.ekm.ee
- 📍 15 min from the Old Town by bus or by tram; 35 min on foot.
- 🕒 1,5 hours
- 🎧 The museum cafe
- 🎧 Free audio guide EST, ENG, RUS, ITA

VABAMU MUSEUM OF OCCUPATIONS AND FREEDOM

VABAMU

- 🕒 May–Sept Mon–Sun 10–18 Oct–Apr Wed–Sun 11–18
- 📍 Toompea 8b; Phone: +372 668 0250; www.vabamu.ee/en/
- 📍 Located in Tallinn city center, 400 m from Freedom Square, 400 m from Toompea Castle.
- 🕒 1,5–3 hours
- 🎧 The museum cafe
- 🎧 Free e-guide in EST, ENG, RUS, FIN, GER, FRA, ESP, LAT, IT



KGB PRISON CELLS

- 🕒 May–Sept Mon–Sun 10–18 Oct–Apr Wed–Sun 11–18
- 📍 Pagari 1 (entry on Pikk 59); Phone: +372 668 0250; www.vabamu.ee/en/kgb
- 📍 450 m from Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 15–45 minutes

EESTI KUNSTIMUUSEUM

MIKKEL MUSEUM

- 🕒 Tue, Thu–Sun 10–18, Wed 10–20
- 📍 Weizenbergi 28; Phone: +372 606 6400; www.mikkelimuseum.ekm.ee
- 📍 15 min from the Old Town by bus or by tram; 35 min on foot.
- 🕒 45 min–1 hour

NIGULISTE MUSEUM

- 🕒 Jan–Apr, Oct–Dec: Tue–Sun 10–18, May–Sept: Mon–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Niguliste 3; Phone: +372 5682 3723; www.nigulistemuseum.ekm.ee
- 📍 A 3-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 45 min–1,5 hours
- 🎧 Free audio guide EST, ENG

ADAMSON-ERIC MUSEUM

- 🕒 Tue–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Lühike jalg 3; Phone: +372 644 5838; www.adamson-eric.ekm.ee
- 📍 A 4-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 45 min–1,5 hours



Adamson-Eric Museum

ESTONIAN MARITIME MUSEUM



Seaplane Harbour

SEAPLANE HARBOUR

- 🕒 May–Sept Mon–Sun 10–19 Oct–April Tue–Sun 10–18; Public holidays 10–17
- 📍 Vesilennuki 6; Phone: + 372 620 0550; www.seaplaneharbour.com
- 📍 3,6 km from the Harbour, 25 min by foot; by Hop-On Hop-Off bus.
- 🕒 45 minutes–2 hours
- 🎧 Cafe Maru
- 🎧 Audioguide ENG, RUS, FIN, LAT, GER, FRA, ESP, JPN, CHN, UA

FAT MARGARET

- 🕒 May–Sept Mon–Sun 10–19 Oct–April Tue–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Pikk 70; Phone: + 372 620 0550 www.meremuuseum.ee/paksmargareeta
- 📍 Tallinn's Old Town.1,2 km from the Harbour, 15 min by foot.
- 🕒 45 minutes–1,5 hours
- 🎧 Cafe Maru
- 🎧 Audioguide ENG, RUS, FIN, LAT, GER

TALLINN CITY MUSEUM



KIEK IN DE KÖK FORTIFICATIONS MUSEUM

- 🕒 May–Sep Mon–Sun 11–18 Oct–April Tue–Sun 11–18
- 📍 Komandandi tee 2; Phone: +372 644 6686; linnamuseum.ee/en/kiek-in-de-kok
- 📍 A 7-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 45 minutes–4 hours

ESTONIAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY



- 🕒 1 May–10 Sept Mon–Sun 10–17 11 Sept–21 Sept Mon–Sun 10–18 23 Sept–30 Apr Tue–Sun 10–17
- 📍 Lai 29a; Phone: +372 56 247 554; www.loodusmuuseum.ee
- 📍 A 5-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 1–2 hours
- 🎧 Free audioguide EST, ENG, FIN, RUS



Estonian Museum of Natural History



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HOUSE OF PETER THE GREAT

- 🕒 May–Sep Wed–Sun 11–18 Oct–April Wed–Sat 11–18, Sun 11–16
- 📍 Mäekalda 2; Phone: +372 601 3136; linnamuseum.ee/en/peetrimaja-eng
- 📍 By public transport: from Old Town 10 min, stop “Kadriorg”, then a short walk.
- 🕒 30 minutes–1 hour

KALAMAJA MUSEUM

- 🕒 Wed–Thu 13–20, Fri–Sun 11–18 The Museum is closed on National holidays.
- 📍 Kotzebue 16; Phone: +372 5309 9772; linnamuseum.ee/en/kalamaja
- 📍 A 12-minute walk from the Town Hall Square. By public transport: stop “Balti jaam” – a short walk from there.
- 🕒 45 minutes–1 hour

THE PEOPLES MUSEUM OF TALLINN

- 🕒 May–Sept Wed–Sun 11–18 Oct–April Wed 11–19, Thu–Sat 11–18, Sun 11–16
- 📍 Pikk 29a; Phone: +372 660 4140; linnamuseum.ee/en/the-peoples-museum-of-tallinn
- 📍 A 2-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 45 minutes–1,5 hours

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM MIIAMILLA

- 🕒 June–Aug Tue–Sun 10–17 Sept–May Tue–Fri 12–18, Sat–Sun 10–17
- 📍 L. Kaidula 21c; Phone: +372 601 7057; linnamuseum.ee/en/childrens-museum-miiamilla
- 📍 By public transport from Old Town 10 min, stop “Kadriorg”, then a short walk.
- 🕒 45 minutes–1,5 hours
- 🎧 Kooker Cafe



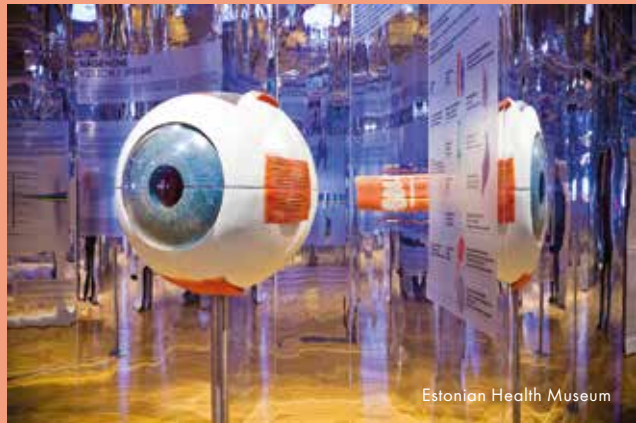
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ESTONIAN HEALTH MUSEUM



Estonian Health Museum

- 🕒 May Mon–Sun 10–18 June–Aug Mon–Wed 10–18, Thu 11–19, Fri–Sun 10–18 Sept–April Tue–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Lai 30; Phone: +372 505 6862; www.tervisemuuseum.ee
- 📍 A 5-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 1–2 hours



Estonian Health Museum

MUSEUM OF PHOTOGRAPHY

- 🕒 May–Sept Wed–Sun 11–18 Oct–April Wed, Fri, Sat 11–18, Thu 12–20, Sun 11–16
- 📍 Raekoja 6; Phone: +372 5331 7361; linnamuseum.ee/en/museum-of-photography
- 📍 The museum is located behind the Town Hall.
- 🕒 30 minutes – 1,5 hours



Gallery Seek

GALLERY SEEK

- 🕒 June–Aug Wed–Sat 20–02, Sept Wed–Sat 20–00 Closed during the winter season. The Gallery Seek ticket also entitles you to visit the Museum of Photography.
- 📍 Väike-Päasukese 5; Phone: +372 5331 7361; linnamuseum.ee/en/gallery-seek
- 📍 A 15-minute walk from the Town Hall Square. By public transport: stop “Tornimäe”.
- 🕒 30 minutes–1 hour

FOTOGRAFISKA TALLINN



- 🕒 Exhibitions: Mon–Thu 9–20, Fri 9–00, Sat 9–20, Sun 9–18 Restaurant June–Aug: Tue–Thu 12–00, Fri–Sat 12–01 (kitchen until 22.30), Sun–Mon closed
- 📍 Telliskivi Creative City, Telliskivi 60a-8, Tallinn. Access with wheelchair, baby buggy. Pets allowed. tallinn.fotografiska.com
- 🕒 1–2 hours
- 🎧 Restaurant / Rooftop bar / Café

TALLINN TV TOWER

- 🕒 Apr–Sept Mon–Sun 10–19 Ticket office Mon–Sun 10–18 Café/restaurant Mon–Sun 10–22
- 📍 Kloostrimetsa tee 58a; Phone: +372 5911 9335; www.teletorn.ee
- 📍 By car or taxi from the Old Town 20 min. By public transport: bus no 34 and 38, stop “Teletorn”. Trip duration 20 min.
- 🕒 1–1,5 hours
- 🎧 TV Tower Café/restaurant



Tallinn TV Tower

ESTONIAN HISTORY MUSEUM

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Estonian History Museum

GREAT GUILD HALL

- 🕒 Apr–Sept Tue–Sun 10–18 Oct–March Wed–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Pikk 17; Phone: +372 696 8690; www.ajaloomuuseum.ee
- 📍 1-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 1–1,5 hours



Theatre and Music Museum

THEATRE AND MUSIC MUSEUM

- 🕒 Apr–Sept Tue–Sun 10–18 Oct–March Wed–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Müürivahe 12; Phone: +372 696 8688; www.ajaloomuuseum.ee
- 📍 4-minute walk from the Town Hall Square.
- 🕒 1–1,5 hours



MAARJAMÄE HISTORY CENTRE – Maarjamäe Palace, Film Museum, Outdoor exhibitions

- 🕒 Apr–Sept Tue–Sun 10–18 Oct–March Wed–Sun 10–18
- 📍 Piritä tee 56; Phone: +372 696 8660 (Palace), +372 696 8670 (Film Museum); www.ajaloomuuseum.ee
- 📍 By public transport: bus no 1, 5, 8, 34, 38, stop “Maarjamägi”.
- 🕒 Maarjamäe Palace 1,5–2 hours, Film Museum 1–1,5 hours
- 🎧 Café in Film Museum, Restaurant in Maarjamäe Palace
- 🎧 Audioguide



Maarjamäe History Centre

ESTONIAN OPEN AIR MUSEUM



- 🕒 SUMMER (23.04–28.09) Mon–Sun 10–20 Ticket office and Kolu Inn 10–19, buildings 10–18 WINTER (29.09–22.04) Tue–Sun 10–19 Ticket office, Kolu Inn and buildings 10–17
- 📍 Vabaõhumuuseumi tee 12; Phone +372 654 9101; Wheelchair accessible territory, tactile map at the entrance. Pets allowed. Bicycle and children's cart rentals. www.evm.ee/en
- 📍 By public transport: bus no 21 and 21B from Balti jaam or Vabaduse Square, stop “Rocca al Mare” at the museum's front gate.
- 🕒 2–3 hours
- 🎧 Kolu Inn and Summer Café
- 🎧 Free app NUMU that contains audio guide in EST, ENG, RUS, ESP, FIN, ITA, FRA, GER



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