



Are you a teacher looking for an unforgettable learning experience for your class?

Our full educational experience includes a planetarium show, a workshop and a tour, as well as access to our engaging exhibition. Experiences are adapted to the age of visiting school groups — we welcome students aged 4–18.

Teachers can opt for:

- One of our two specially developed educational shows or one of our standard films, all with strong curriculum links.
- One of six different hands-on workshops tailored to different stages in the Bavarian school curriculum, from Kindergarten to grade 13.

- Visit duration: 3–4 hours
- Language: English or German

For teachers, the ESO Supernova offers teacher training sessions. Visit our website for additional information.



It's time to plan your visit!

Opening Hours

Mon–Tue	Closed
Wed–Fri	09:00–17:00
Sat–Sun	12:00–17:00

Tickets

- Planetarium shows:
- book online (strongly recommended): VISA, MasterCard and American Express. Print your ticket from our ticket printers.
 - book on site: cash, debit/EC and credit cards (VISA and MasterCard).

Exhibition: free of charge, no prior booking needed. Donations welcomed at our reception desk.

For school classes: bookings only possible via <https://supernova.eso.org/education/>

Accessibility

The ESO Supernova strives to offer an enjoyable experience for all.

- Disabled parking.
- Accessible restroom.
- All areas accessible via ramps or elevator. Ramps in the exhibition are quite steep in some places.
- Chairs and benches available throughout the building.
- Exhibition panels largely based on texts and soundless videos.
- QR codes available to download the exhibition texts to mobile phone.
- For planetarium films: Headsets available at reception that can be connected directly to a cochlear implant.

How to get here

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

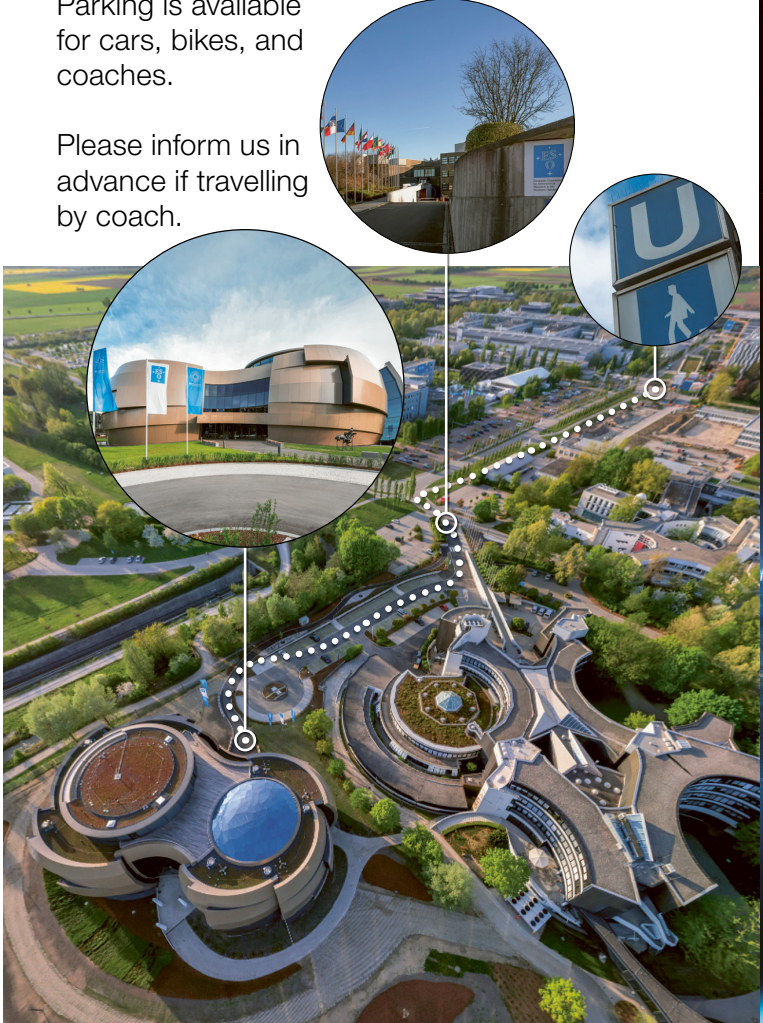
By car: Take the A9 exit Garching-Nord (Garching-North), which leads you to the “Forschungszentrum” area.

By subway: U6 line, final station Garching Forschungszentrum. Then five minutes on foot.

By bus: 292, 230, 690.
Bus stop: Boltzmannstraße

Parking is available for cars, bikes, and coaches.

Please inform us in advance if travelling by coach.



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Experience the Universe at the ESO Supernova



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★★★★★
“Tolle Ausstellung, wirklich
super gemacht!”

★★★★★
“If I could award six stars,
I would This is quite big
and interesting, I will
definitely drop by again!”

Ever wondered about our place in space?

Let's take you on a journey
to remember.

Start from Munich as seen from above, take a
tour of the Solar System, discover new worlds
and travel outside our galaxy.

Have fun experimenting with our hands-on
exhibits and discover the mysteries of the
Universe.

Our exhibition will engage entire families. Our
panels have low height areas addressed to
children as young as 5.

- Visit duration: 30 minutes for a quick walk
through. We recommend at least 1.5 hours.
- Language: English and German.
- Access: free with no prior booking needed.
Get your personal free entrance ticket from
the reception.

Ever dreamt of traveling to space?

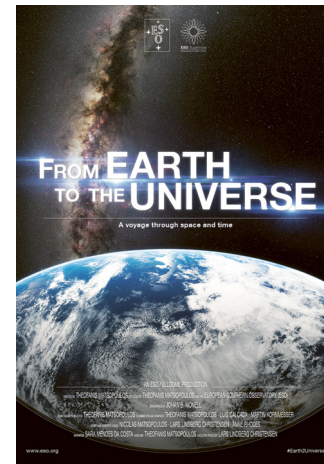
This is as close an experience as
you can get!

Lights out, sit back and get ready to be
amazed. Our digital planetarium projects on
a tilted 360-degree dome, 14 metres in
diameter, for an immersive experience like
you've never lived before. It is as if you're
sitting in a spacecraft, traveling across the
Universe!

Most shows include a live component where
our presenter will show you the constella-
tions above Munich and real-time events in
the night sky, as well as tell you about
recent astronomical discoveries, with a side
trip to Chile too!

- Duration: 45 minutes to 1 hour.
- Language: English or German. Limited
number of translation headsets available
at reception.
- Access: prior booking required. Please
arrive 15 minutes before the show starts.

Our programme changes regularly.
A selection of our shows can be found in
this brochure. To see our daily programme
and book your tickets, visit:
supernova.eso.org.



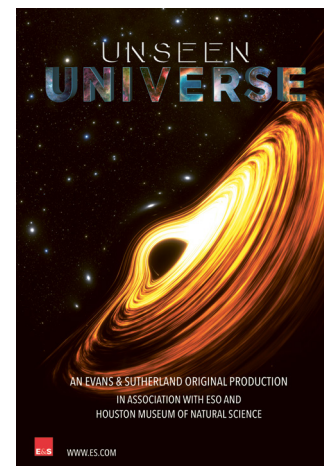
Ages 8+

Journey to the colourful
birthplaces and burial
grounds of the stars,
and beyond to the
unimaginable vastness
of countless galaxies
beyond the Milky Way.



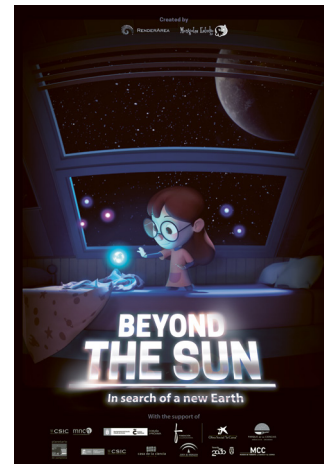
Ages 7+

Primary school visitors
and young families
will get a sense of our
location on Earth and
in the Solar System.
Learn what makes
each planet in our solar
system unique.



Ages 10+

Enjoy a stunning visual
treat as you explore
the latest splendours
of the heavens. This
show is an uplifting
look at the new era of
astronomy and what is
yet to come.



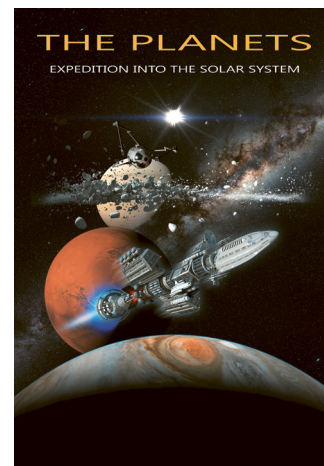
Ages 6+

Join Celeste and her
friend Moon on a
journey beyond the
sun and together
learn many amazing
things about distant
planets and possible
life beyond Earth.



Ages 10+

Join us on an epic
journey behind the
scenes of the world's
most powerful ground-
based observatory and
gain insight into the
scientific work, history,
technology and the
people behind it.



Ages 8+

The wonders of the
Solar System await
you. Take a trip to our
cosmic neighbours
like Mars and Jupiter
and discover them
through the eyes of
the space probes that
have visited them.