

Guest / Spouse Program (Preliminary)
ASME B31.3 / B31.12 Amsterdam Piping code week
April 7 – 11, 2025

The Guest/Spouse Program is ASME sponsored but not ASME funded. Meaning, this is not complimentary nor a “one-price” for all activities. Each day and each activity are priced separately, and participants will be responsible for purchasing their own ticket, based on the participants’ schedule and interest for the day. This approach provides maximum flexibility.

The plan is for all participants to arrive at the Shell Energy Transition Campus each morning for a Meet-and-Greet and complimentary coffee/pastries (except Wednesday). From there, pre-arranged activities are planned but participants/groups may decide to venture out and do their “own thing”. There are Evening Events planned every night, so Day Events end by 5pm.



Summary

- Agenda and Times subject to change, based on feedback and weather.
- Some events, including Anne Frank House, Madame Tussauds, & Keukenhof Tulip require advance reservations. You will be notified in advance.
- Breakfast and Coffee served every morning at Shell Energy Transition Campus Lobby
- Activities are ala carte – participate in any, none, or all each day. Meet and Greet open to all.
- Your ASME Member/Attendee should have registered you thru the [ASME Registration portal](#), but you can email Riad Mohamed mohamedr@asme.org to verify you’re on the list.
- Once the “Guest/Spouse List” is collected, timely group email updates will be sent out.

Q & A

- 1) Can I cancel in advance or the day of the event? **Yes**, but it’s up to you to request any refunds for pre-paid events.
- 2) Can I just show up without Registering? **Yes**, but due to advanced purchased tickets, event options will be limited.
- 3) Can I bring a child or friend? **Yes**, day events are family-friendly but note, evening events are less appropriate for children.
- 4) Are the activities ADA compliant? **Not likely** but perhaps some events. Walking is involved.
- 5) Is transportation provided? **No**, public transportation (trolley’s) will be used for most events.
- 6) Who do I contact if I have questions? **Contact** ASME Staff Program Mgr. Riad Mohamed

Day 1 - Monday, 04/07/2025 – Tour Bus

Tulip Tour to Keukenhof (Group Tour, reserve thru Viator website)

- 1) Meet at **Shell Energy Transition Campus Amsterdam (ETCA)** 8:00-10am for Meet-and-Greet. Coffee and bfast will be served.
- 2) Walk 10 minutes to **“This is Holland” (attached to Sir Adams Marriott)**
- 3) Tulip Tour – 10am-4pm – Amsterdam to Keukenhof 45 minutes. Buses leave “This is Holland” every 30 minutes coming/going, \$50/ea.
- 4) **Hexagon Corporate Sponsored Evening Social (Yotel, near Shell), 515-700pm**

Click on Link: [Tulip Tour Tickets](#) and [Map](#)

Couples are encouraged to sign-up.



Day 2 - Tuesday 04/07/2025, Repeated Days 4 and 5 (Thursday/Friday)

Meet-and-Greet - Shell Energy Transition Campus (8-10am)

- 1) Free Guided Walking Tours of Amsterdam, (2 euro booking fee + gratuities),
Click on Link - [Free Walking Tours](#)

8	APR, TUE	● 10:30am – 12:30pm	Classic tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands
		● 10:30am – 12:30pm	Free tour Amsterdam auf Deutsche National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands
		● 11am – 1pm	Anne Frank tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands
		● 1:30 – 3:30pm	Alternative tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands
		● 1:30 – 3:30pm	Classic tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands
		● 4 – 6pm	Classic tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands
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● 10:30am – 12:30pm	Food tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands		
● 11am – 1pm	Anne Frank tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands		
● 1:30 – 3:30pm	Classic tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands		
● 4 – 6pm	Classic tour Amsterdam National Monument, Dam, 1012 JL Amsterdam, Netherlands		

- 2) Nieuwmarkt, Sightseeing and Shopping
- 3) Rijksmuseum, \$25, Self-Guided (22.50 euros)
Click on Link [Rijksmuseum Tickets](#) and [Map](#)
- 4) Pub Crawl and Canal Tour - Icebar and Heineken Experience (note, your company may restrict access to these links)
Click on Link [Ice Bar Tickets](#) (25 euros)
Click on Link [Heineken Experience Tickets](#), 3 options;
❶ Tour (25 euros), ❷ Tour w/Rooftop (30 euros), ❸ Tour w/Canal Tour (40 euros)
- 5) ASME Evening Social – Tues, 5:15pm-7:00pm (Sir Adams Marriott),
 6) Lokring Evening Social – Thurs, 5:15pm – 7pm (Sir Adams Marriott) below



Day 3 - Wednesday, 04/09/2025 – Morning Pancakes

Morning Pancakes and Anne Frank House (Group Tour, Advanced reservations required)

Meet at **Pancakes Amsterdam Westermarkt** 830-1030am for Breakfast, 1 minute walk to Anne Frank House. [Map](#)

1. **Anne Frank House** 10am-1130am Tour, \$20. Advance Ticket Purchase Required. Directions from Shell: [Tickets](#) and [Map](#)

Afternoon Lunch Near Dam Square, 12-1pm, Dam Square, Self-Guided

Dam Square is near Centraal Station and full of Street Entertainers

1. Group 1 - **Madame Tussauds Tour, Dam Square** (Street Entertainers: 1-3pm, \$25, Reservations Required: [Tickets](#) and [Map](#))
2. Group 2 - **Van Gogh Tour** 1-4pm, \$25 Click on Link for [Tickets](#) and [Map](#)
3. Group 3 – **Shopping at deBukerorf** and more [Shopping Districts](#)

Viega Evening Social – Wed, 5:15pm-7:00pm (Sir Adams Marriott)

Evening Dinner at Bird Thai’s Restaurant (6-8pm) near Red Light District (Reservations required),_ Optional Evening Walk after dinner [Map](#)

