BIP 2026 — Program

All times are CET (Brussels)

MONDAY 23 MARCH 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
09:00–09:30	Registration	Central reception, E-Block
09:30–09:45	Welcome	C102
09:45–10:45	Keynote – Nuoro Company — Jan Bos Van Hemelrijck	C102
10:45–11:00	Break	
11:00–12:00	Sustainable water treatment & AI — Aurore Olivier	C102
13:15–14:15	Getting to know your team	Foyer
14:15–15:15	Campus Tour	
15:15–16:00	Break / Transport to Hasselt	
16:00–18:00	City Game Hasselt	Hasselt Center
18:00–…	Free time	

TUESDAY 24 MARCH 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
08:45–09:00	Registration	Foyer
09:00–10:00	E-mobility in smart cities — Martijn Kiers	J101
10:15–11:15	Interdependencies in smart cities — Carsten Wolff	J101
11:30–12:00	Group discussion (Fishbowl)	E202B–E202M
14:30–15:00	Transport to city center	
15:00–17:00	Guided tour — Jenever Museum	
17:00–…	Free time	

WEDNESDAY 25 MARCH 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
08:45–09:00	Registration	Foyer
09:00–10:00	Energy transition in industry — Ruben Hoofwijk	C102
10:00–10:15	Break	
10:15–11:15	UCLL & Pukkelpop —Jan Elsen & Anse Winne	C102
13:00–14:00	Sustainability strategy in industry — Michiel Vanderwaeren and Katho Dulst	C102
14:00–14:30	Break	
14:30–17:00	Group discussion (Fishbowl)	D104 + D202 + D203 + D204 (aula) + D302 + D504
17:00–20:00	Flemish Evening (typical dishes)	Foyer + E-block
20:00–…	Free time	

THURSDAY 26 MARCH 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
08:45–09:00	Registration	Foyer
09:00–10:30	Sustainable materials — Celine Fraipont	J101
10:30–10:45	Break	
10:45–11:45	Plastic recycling — Greg Quintens	J101
12:30–13:30	Towards a smart and sustainable world - With People and Technology— Evert Vanecht	J101
13:30–17:00	Group discussion (Fishbowl)	E202B–E202M
17:00–…	Free time	

FRIDAY 27 MARCH 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
08:45–09:00	Registration	Foyer
09:00–12:00	Final presentations (Fishbowl)	S213 + S215 + S313
12:00–13:00	Lunch — sandwiches + soup	STOA
13:00–14:00	Award & Closing Ceremony	STOA