Information regarding the student residence Bachelard

- You can get the key of your room at the reception of the residence. Those who arrive after the reception has closed (which is around 8-8.30 pm) and have let us know in advance, can get the key through the night guard.
- The residence consists of several buildings. Each building has a name of the form "Pavillon" followed by a letter. The reception of the residence is located in "Pavillon M" indicated by a blue 'x' on the map (it is the only building for which the name is not indicated on the building). If you cannot find the residence, the reception or the night guard, the following text may be helpful in case of language problems:

Je suis un participant de l'école de printemps « Fonctions de matrices ». Le laboratoire Paul Painlevé de l'Université de Lille 1 a réservé une chambre pour moi dans la résidence d'étudiants Bachelard. Mon nom est sur la liste dans l'accueil de la résidence au pavillon M et je cherche Madame Vanhemelrijck (soit le veilleur de nuit) pour obtenir la clé de ma chambre.

Literally translated: I'm a participant of the Spring School on Matrix Functions. The laboratory Paul Painlevé of the University of Lille 1 has reserved a room for me in the student residence Bachelard. My name is on the list at the reception of the residence in pavilion M, and I'm looking for Ms Vanhemelrijck (or the night guard) to get the key of my room.

• Together with the key, you will also have to ask for bed sheets:

Pourriez-vous me fournir des draps de lit s'il vous plaît?

- The payment of your room should be in cash at the reception at your arrival.
- Since the residence is not a hotel, it does not provide towels or washing necessities. There is a washbasin in the room, but showers and toilets are shared.
- The residence also does not provide any meals. There is a small refrigerator and cooking plaque in the room, but no kitchen utensils.
- For breakfast we can recommend the sandwich bar at the metro station "Cité Scientifique" on campus, which opens during the week at around 6.30 am (closed during the weekend). During the day, you may also find some cafeterias open on campus (e.g., in building M1 next to the conference building, and in "Maison des étudiants" and "Espace Culturel" halfway the conference building and the metro station). For dinner you can take the metro (back) to "Gare Lille Flandres" where you can find many restaurants near the train station. You can also find some isolated restaurants and snack bars within a radius of 1 mile outside the campus (for more details ask one of the organizers at the spring school).
- On the day of your departure there is no set time by which to vacate your room. In case the reception is closed, you should drop the key of your room in the mail box.