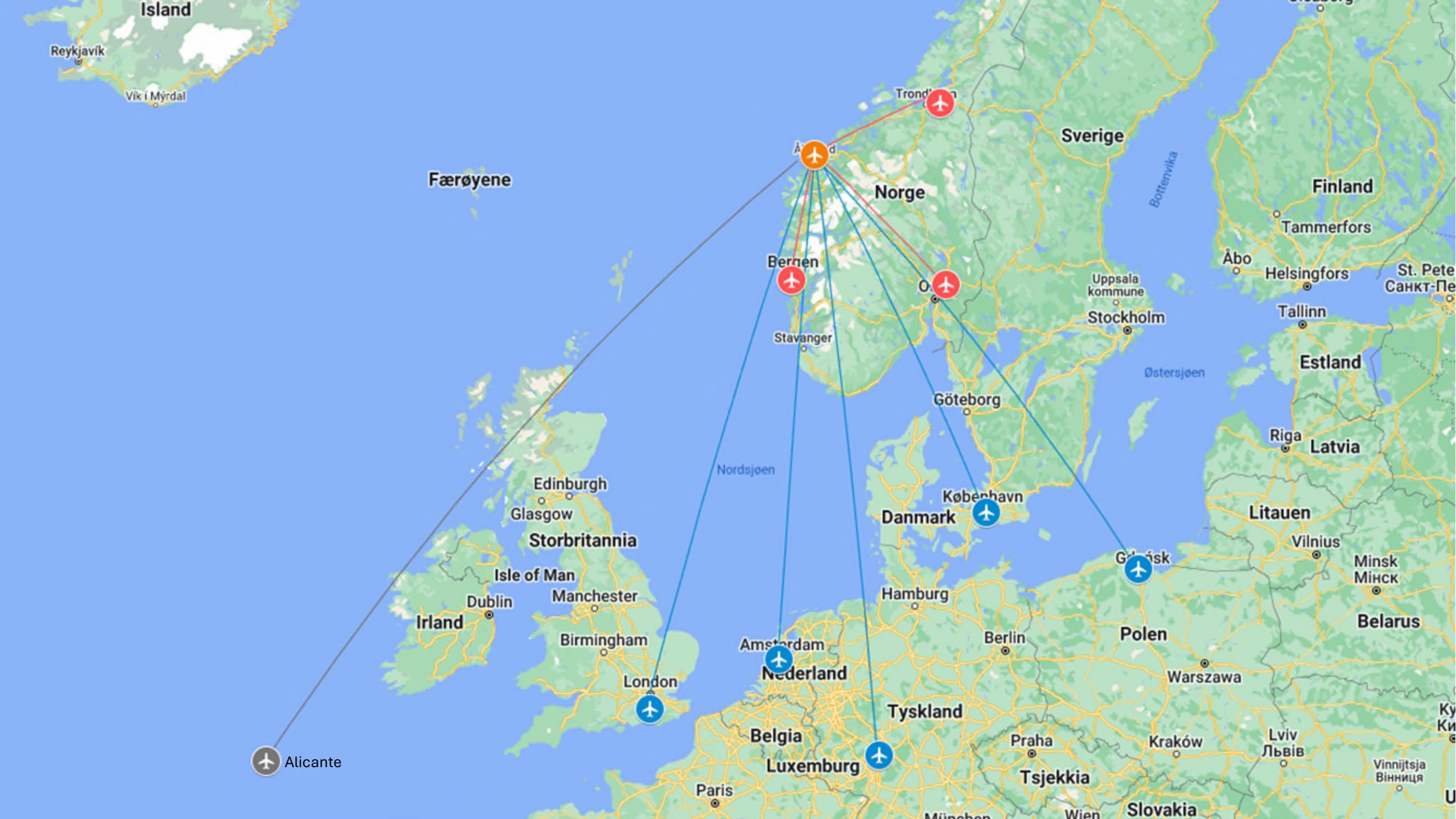


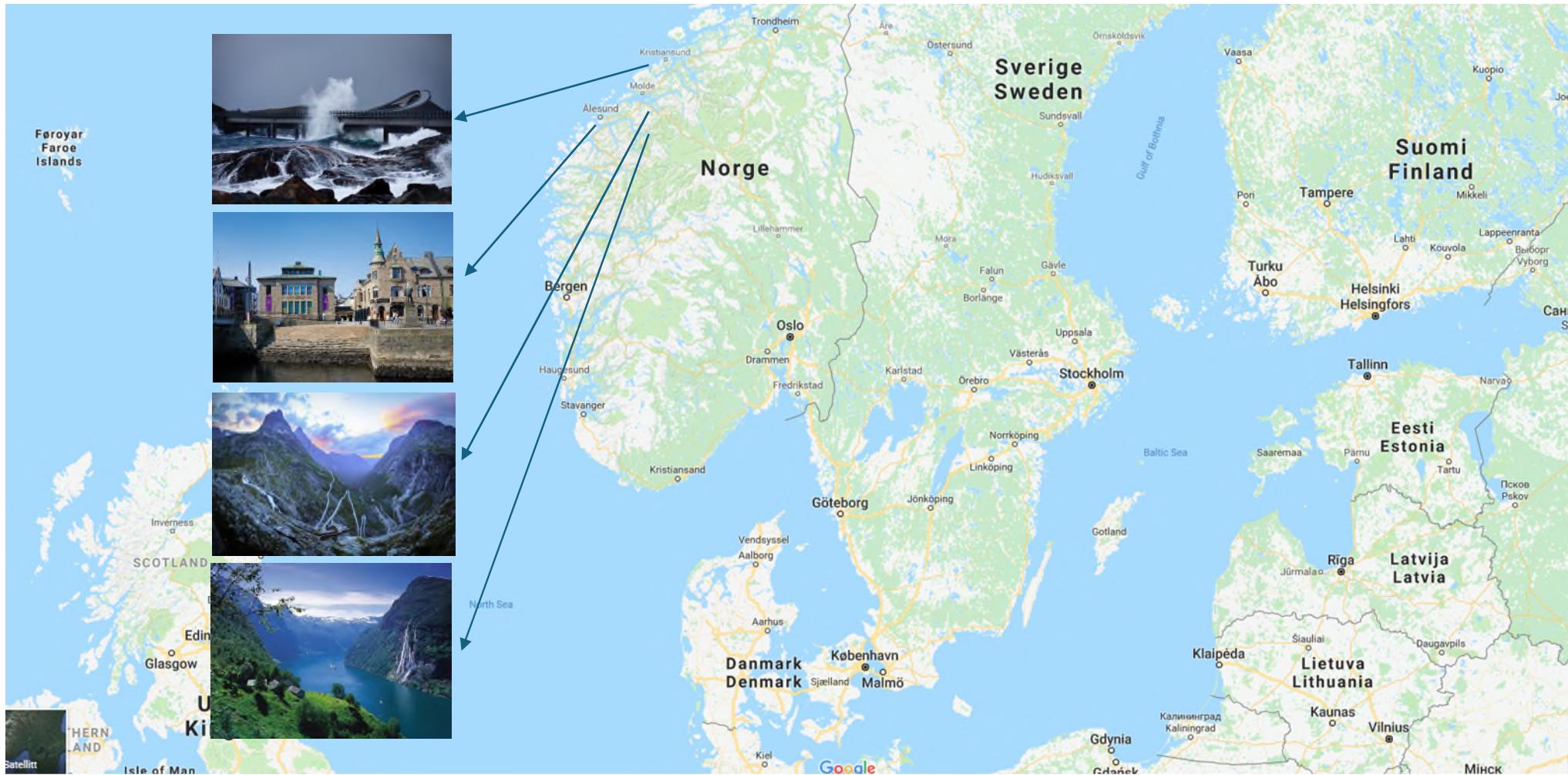
# City Break Ålesund

Suggested program for 3 nights





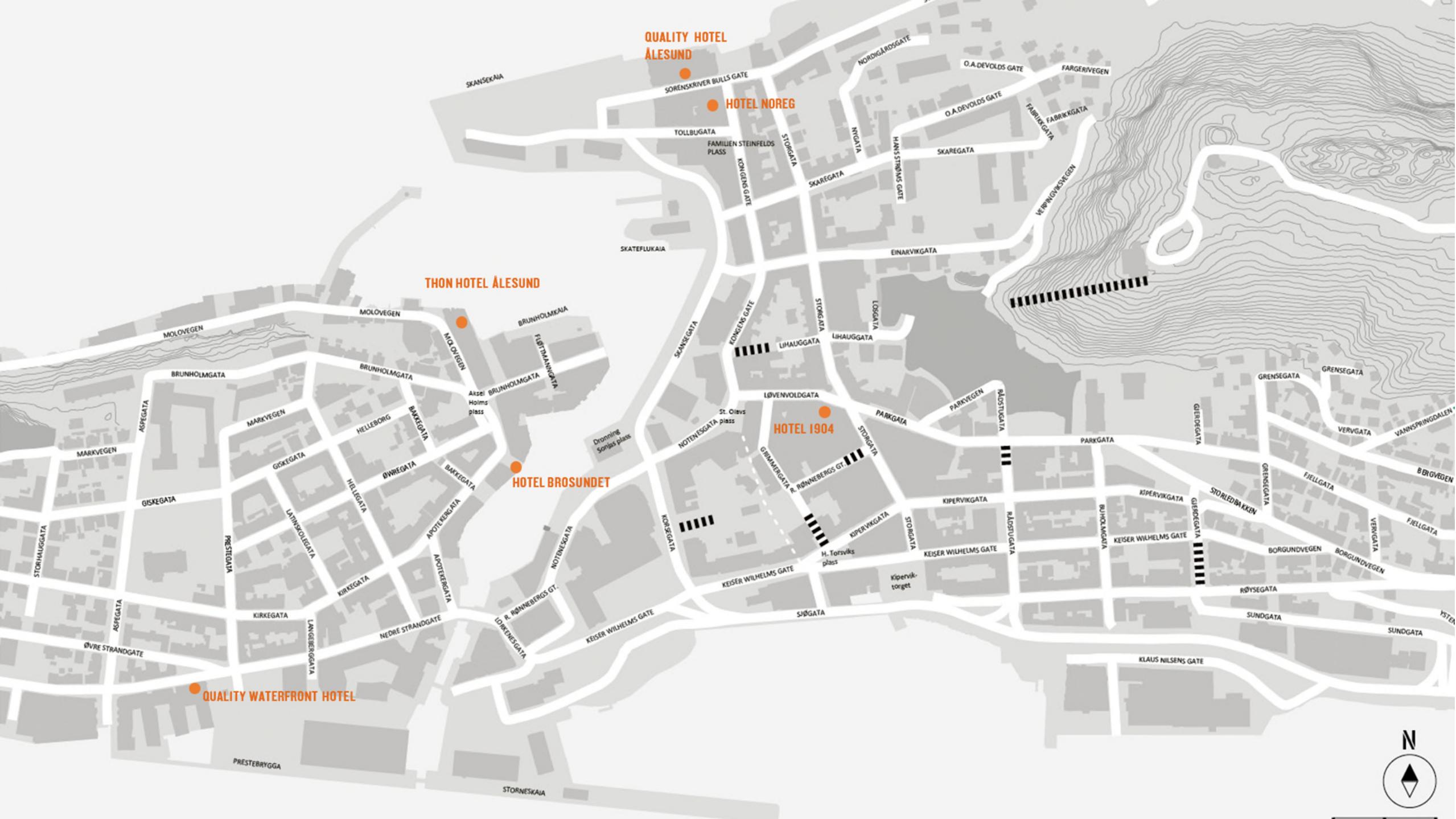




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# Welcome to Ålesund!

The adventure capital of the fjords

Ålesund is a charming, pulsating town with a varied cultural scene, exciting restaurants and a variety of shops.

Ålesund is situated by the entrance to the Geirangerfjord, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The surrounding region is home to some of the most breathtaking sights and has many well-known natural and cultural gems. The profusion of fjords, waterfalls, fjord farms, small fishing communities, tiny islands and majestic mountains never fails to impress visitors.

From Ålesund Airport (AES) there is a short transfer of only 25 minutes to reach any downtown hotel.

# Suggested program

## Day 1:

Arrival and transfers to your selected hotel for check in. (Please note there are 6 hotels in town and the ones mentioned in the program is just a suggestion.)

Once checked in it's time to get to know the town of Ålesund, either on your own or with a guide. Start at Jugendstilsenteret (The Art Nouveau center) to get the full story from the town that shaped Ålesund. Enjoy the many options for shopping, or simply just sit back and relax with a nice cuppa' at one of the town's many cafes.

In the evening we suggest dinner at one of the restaurants.

## Day 2:

### Adventures!

Today's adventure starts just after breakfast and we're meeting Utleguiden for new adventures. From the city center of Ålesund Utleguiden will take you out on today's adventure whether it is cykling, walking, hiking, kayaking, RIB-tour or food foraging. Program will be curated to your desire! You will have a full day of adventure and new experiences and be back at the hotel for dinner in the evening.

## Day 3:

Fjord cruise to Geiranger or Hjørundfjord, a visit to the Atlantic Road, or a tummy-tickeling Wildlife Sea Safari to Runde? Enjoy the day out and about, either in the UNESCO fjords or by driving over spectacular roads

Or perhaps just enjoy Ålesund and the town life?

## Day 4:

Last day in Ålesund. Flight leaves late, so we still have time for new experiences. Located by the water the way Ålesund is it is a «must do» to go kayaking with Utleguiden. Book a guided tour on water around town, perhaps grab a coffee on the way?

And when time comes, take the airport shuttle to the airport and check in for your flight.





FROM AIRPORT	ROOMS	BEDS	MEETING SPACE	MEETING CAPACITY	BANQUET	EXHIBITION M <sup>2</sup>	PARKING
AES 17 km	71	—	1	30	—	TBA	Public

# Hotel 1904

Hotel 1904 is a boutique hotel situated in the center of Ålesund.

Built in 1904, the Art Noveau-style hotel has been welcoming guests for over 100 years as Ålesund's oldest hotel.

Guests can relax in the espresso bar and dining lounge Green Garden - situated both inside and outside of Hotel 1904's old backyard. You can be quite sure you will meet some of Ålesund's own citizens here as this is a very popular hangout for the morning coffee and lunch.

You stay in the middle of the town, so you only need your feet to take you around, but if you wish to explore more, we recommend you use public transport by bus or boat or rent a car for your adventure.

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FROM AIRPORT  
AES  
18 km

ROOMS  
174

BEDS  
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MEETING SPACE  
4

MEETING CAPACITY  
180

BANQUET  
-

EXHIBITION  
M<sup>2</sup>  
TBA

PARKING  
Private

# Thon Hotel Ålesund

Thon Hotel Ålesund enjoys a prime location by the sea in Ålesund city center, with most rooms offering stunning views of the harbor. The hotel features well-equipped rooms, including four elegant junior suites with private balconies.

Start your day with a delicious breakfast buffet in the maritime-themed Molja Restaurant, and unwind in the cozy lobby bar. For events, the hotel's bright and inviting conference rooms accommodate up to 200 guests, with direct access to the hotel's pier and a unique harbor ambiance.

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AES 17 km	248	560	9	450	-	TBA	Private

## Quality Hotel Waterfront

Quality Hotel Waterfront opened its doors in the summer of 2011 and is located by the fjord in the center of Ålesund.

The hotel is divided between three different buildings; Historical buildings Pakkhuset and Jugendhuset is a contrast to the contemporary Signaturhuset.

Experience modern architecture, design furniture and local unique art and graffiti.

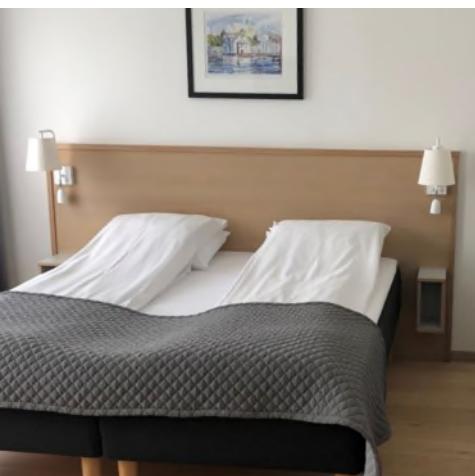
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AES 17 km	106	-	3	60	-	TBA	Public

# Hotel Noreg

Nestled in the heart of Ålesund, Hotel Noreg offers the perfect blend of convenience and cozy Scandinavian hospitality. Located just a short walk from the picturesque city center and the bustling harbor, this hotel provides easy access to Ålesund's stunning Art Nouveau architecture, vibrant shops, and charming cafés.

With 106 comfortable rooms, Hotel Noreg caters to both leisure travelers and business guests, featuring a variety of room types designed for relaxation and rest. Each room is thoughtfully furnished with modern amenities to ensure a pleasant stay, including free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TVs, and private bathrooms.

Guests can enjoy a range of facilities on-site, including a welcoming lobby area, a breakfast lounge serving fresh, local produce, and friendly, attentive staff ready to assist with sightseeing tips or travel arrangements. Whether you're here to explore the fjords, attend a conference, or simply unwind, Hotel Noreg offers a warm and inviting atmosphere that feels like a home away from home.

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# Jugendstilsenteret - The Art Nouveau Center

Jugendstilsenteret is located in the old Swan Pharmacy from 1907 and is both a museum and a national centre of Art Nouveau.

The catastrophic fire of 1904 left the town of Ålesund in ashes. The rebuilding created one of Europe's most characteristic architectural environments in the Art Nouveau style.

Jugendstilsenteret offers insight into this style by means of authentic interiors and objects as well as temporary exhibitions. We also work with documentation, education and consulting.

<https://www.jugendstilsenteret.no/home>





## Anno

Anno Restaurant & Bar is situated at Apotekertorget in the centre of Ålesund and serves delicious dishes with both local and international inspiration.

From pizza is stone baked, and if that is not what you want then the menu can offer a wide variety of dishes.

Anno is also a popular bar with outdoor seatings and a popular hang out for the locals.

<https://www.anno.no/en/>



# ZUUMA SUSHI AND GRILL

Asian inspired restaurant serving both grilled dishes and sushi in their own interpretation of Asian/fusion.

We emphasize to use local ingredients such as Bacalao (cured cod fish) local salmon and scallops, as well as fantastic products from Asia.

From Bacalao processed with old methods, daily fresh salmon from local suppliers and wild garlic from the mountains nearby, we get the best from this region.

<https://zuumano/>

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## XL Diner

XL Diner is known as Europe's largest bacalao restaurant, with main expertise in bacalao perfection. Together with inspiration and knowledge from several countries around the world, XL diner offers a menu most people will find enjoyable.

The restaurant offers a great location facing the port of Ålesund.

<https://www.xldiner.no/>



## Vino Bar

Vino Bar is Ålesund's new address for great flavors in a stylish and warm atmosphere.

We offer the city's best wine selection both on glass (approx. 25) and bottle (approx. 400), div. other drinks, self-imported Italian cured meats of excellent quality as well as good Italian and French cheeses.

The concept is unique in the region and initiated by passionate wine lovers with respect for their subject. No reservation required but is still recommended for larger groups. We hold wine classes, tastings, etc. on regular basis, and can also tailor arrangements for groups.

<https://vinobar.no/>



# RIB safari

## By Utbeguiden

Near Ålesund, amongst the string of islands that spreads outwards towards the ocean, there is a wealth of outstanding ocean wildlife and natural landscapes to discover and explore. And because we well know the Nordic Sea and its wild whims, we have equipped ourselves to be fully prepared for the ever-changing moods and furies of our natural Norwegian weather. So, join us where wild things wander, and we'll take you on an unforgettable journey of discovery of the remote Norwegian outer islands with all the varied and unique ocean species that call it home.

Sail over the ocean to the outward outposts of Nordic nature and get up close to our unique local wildlife in a non-intrusive, but naturally immersive manner. Our Wildlife Sea Safari will make you feel like you're in the middle of your own National Geographic wildlife TV series. Gaze out on seal colonies, the occasional whale, pods of dolphins and a wide and wonderful variety of Atlantic puffins, Black-legged kittiwakes, Common guillemots, Fulmars, Razorbills, and Northern gannets to name just a few of the bird species on view. All on a secluded nature reserve that doubles as a nesting ground and repository for endangered species.



## Fjord Cruise to Geiranger

UNESCO world heritage

Travel like the locals used to do and join us for this brand-new cruise connecting the coastal town of Ålesund and the beautiful UNESCO Geirangerfjord. In 3 hours, you will take in 3 distinctive Fjords and spectacular landscapes along the way, including The Seven Sister and The Suitor waterfalls.

Our brand-new catamaran, the MS Geirangerfjord II has been specifically designed in Norway to enhance the Fjord sightseeing experience. This vessel is the perfect size to cater for individuals and groups on the route from Ålesund to Geiranger. We have the flexibility to make stops along the route, so you can experience how people traditionally traveled to Geiranger before the development of the road network.

Season 2025: June 1\_October 13

<https://www.geirangerfjord.no/english>



# Kayaking

## In Ålesund and the nearby islands

Anything from a «coffee to paddle», winter kayaking and sauna, or a tour around the islands of Ålesund can be explored!

Instructions, guides and equipment is provided!

Duration: ca 2 hours

Capacity: + 100



## Via Ferrata - in the middle of Ålesund

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Via ferrata from the town park and up to mount Aksla. overlooking Ålesund The ascent concludes just below the Café Fjellstua. Return via the 418 steps down.

Read more [here](#)



## Svai Sauna - Ålesund

SVAI is a floating sauna where you get access to swim in the sea, all year round. A unique and nordic experience, in the middle of Ålesund!

Read more [here](#).