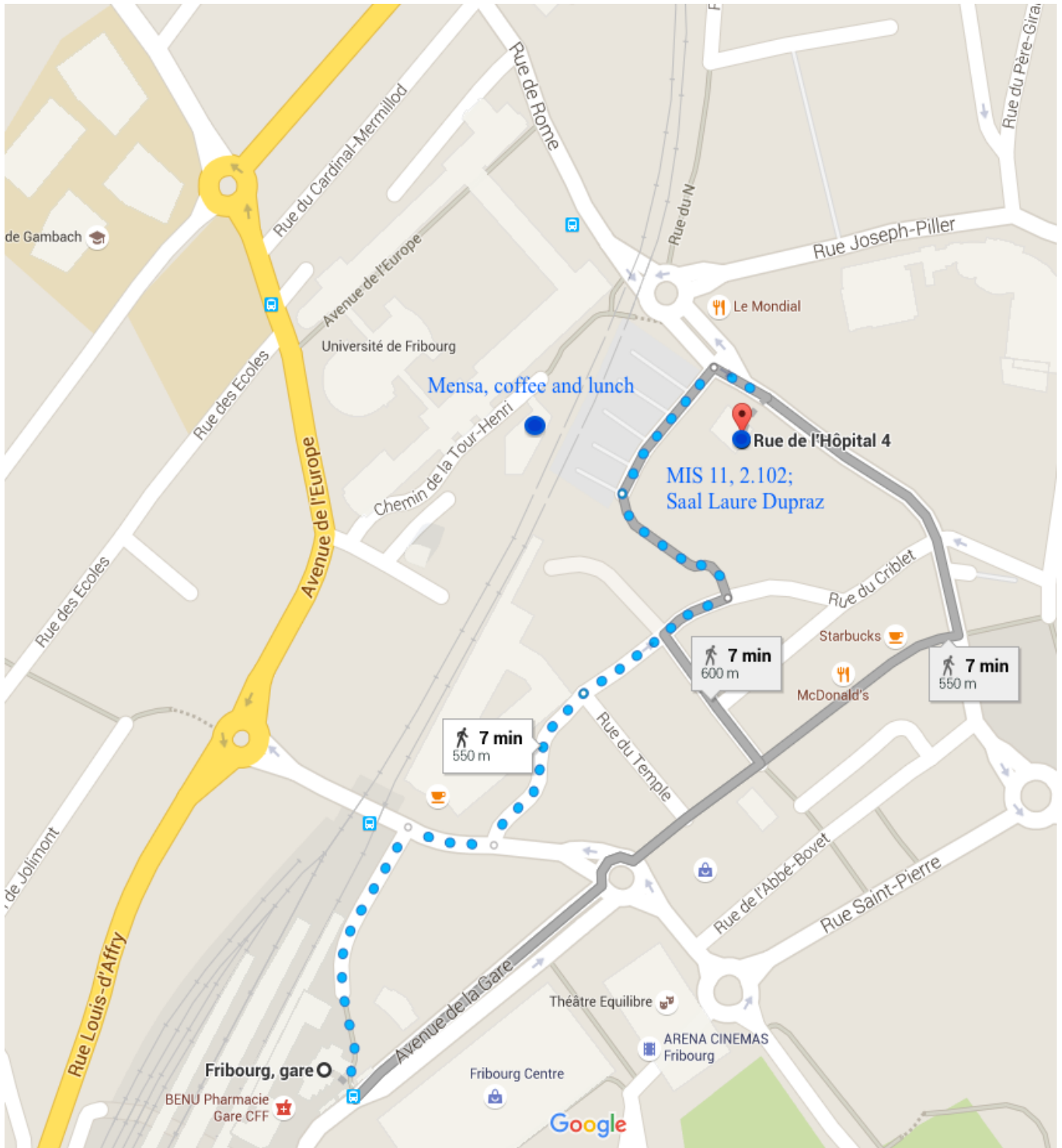


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14:30 – 15:00	Coffee Break
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17:00 – 18:00	Business meeting
From 18:00	Dinner

Directions from the station

The meeting will be held in MIS 11, room 2.102 (Saal Laure Dupraz). The venue is about 5 – 7 min walk from the station, the main entrance to the building is located in front of a parking lot.



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