How to find us:

By car

Coming from autobahn A2 or A7:
- Change to the express highway A 37 ("Messeschnellweg") and take the exit "Medizinische Hochschule Hannover" (Hannover Medical School, MHH). A traffic circle (Weidetorkreisel) takes you onto Karl-Wiechert-Allee.
- Turn right at the first crossing into Rudolf-Pichlmayr-Strasse.
- At the end, turn right into Feodor-Lynen-Strasse.
- Turn left into Stadtfelddamm at the next junction.
- You will have the Fraunhofer ITEM main entrance on your left-hand side after approximately 200 meters. You can leave your car in the visitors' parking area.
- Please note: Due to construction works that will go on until 2020, the institute's main entrance has been temporarily relocated to Nikolai-Fuchs-Strasse 1A. It is located within walking distance of the visitors' parking area. From the parking, turn left into Stadtfelddamm.
- At the next junction, turn left into Nikolai-Fuchs-Strasse.
- You will have the Fraunhofer ITEM temporary main entrance on your left-hand side after a few meters.

By public transport from Hannover Central Station

By tram/underground
- At Hannover Central Station ("Hauptbahnhof"), underground level, take line U1/2/8 in the direction Laatzen/Rethen/Sarstedt/Messe and get off at the second stop (Aegidientorplatz).
- From the opposite platform on the same level, take line U4 in the direction Roderbruch and get off at the stop Medizinische Hochschule.
- Alternatively, you can walk from the main train station towards the city center. You will reach the underground station "Kröpcke" after about 400 meters. From there, take the underground line U4 in the direction Roderbruch and get off at the stop Medizinische Hochschule.

From the stop Medizinische Hochschule:
- Walk to Karl-Wiechert-Allee and follow the road in the same direction as the tram by which you arrived.
- At the second junction, turn left into Feodor-Lynen-Strasse and follow the road.
- After a bend to the right, turn left into Nikolai-Fuchs-Strasse.
- You will have the Fraunhofer ITEM temporary main entrance on your right-hand side after approximately 300 meters.

By suburban train ("S-Bahn")
- Take the suburban train line S6 or S7 in the direction Celle or line S3 in the direction Hildesheim and get off at the stop Karl-Wiechert-Allee.
- Go up to the street level and take a tram of line U4 in the direction Roderbruch, getting off at the stop Medizinische Hochschule.
From the stop Medizinische Hochschule:
- Walk to Karl-Wiechert-Allee and follow the road in the same direction as the tram by which you arrived.
- At the second junction, turn left into Feodor-Lynen-Strasse and follow the road.
- After a bend to the right, turn left into Nikolai-Fuchs-Strasse.
- You will have the Fraunhofer ITEM temporary main entrance on your right-hand side after approximately 300 meters.

Alternatively:
- Go up to the street level and walk down Karl-Wiechert-Allee to the bus stop Misburger Strasse (ca. 650 m).
- Take a **bus of line 137 in the direction Spannhagengarten** or line **123 in the direction Noltemeyerbrücke** and get off at the stop Nobelring.
- Cross Karl-Wiechert-Allee and turn right into Feodor-Lynen-Strasse.
- Follow the road and, after a bend to the right, turn left into Nikolai-Fuchs-Strasse.
- You will have the Fraunhofer ITEM temporary main entrance on your right-hand side after approximately 300 meters.

By air
- A train station (suburban train, "S-Bahn") is located directly underneath the airport terminal C.
- Take a train of line **S5 in the direction Hauptbahnhof Hannover** (Hannover Central Station).
- From there, follow the instructions given above under "By public transport from Hannover Central Station".