

ACCOMMODATION

Participants must book hotel or other accommodation by themselves. Please book your hotel in advance if you wish to have a nice place! You will be able to travel by bus from the center of Braga to the conference venue, so the city center will be a good place to stay.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Time - Portugal is on Greenwich Mean Time (GMT).

Currency - The official currency in Portugal is EURO (€). Major credit cards are widely accepted, although cash is preferred in most shops, especially the smaller ones.

Banks - Banks in Braga are open between 08.30 – 15.00 during working days.

Smoking - The conference is a non-smoking event. In Portugal smoking is not allowed in public buildings, restaurants, liquor establishments (bars) and cafeterias.

Liability & Insurance - The organizers cannot be held responsible for accidents to conference participants or accompanying persons, for damage, or loss of their personal property, or for cancellation expenses, regardless of cause. Participants are advised to carry out their own insurance arrangements during their stay in Portugal.

Special Needs - Participants and accompanying persons with disabilities are invited to advise the Conference Secretariat of any special requirements.

Phones & mobile phones - The international dialing code of Portugal is +351. Please consult your cell provider about roaming rates for Portugal.

Electrical Plugs 220V ~ 50Hz

HOW TO REACH BRAGA

By airplane

The closest airport to Braga is Airport Francisco Sá Carneiro in Porto. There are direct buses from the airport to the center of Braga, it is a 50 minutes' journey. Information on timetable and prices can be found in

www.getbus.eu/en/braga-airport-braga/

It is also possible to come via Airport General Humberto Delgado in Lisbon, but be aware that it is a 3h30m journey by train or 4h30m by bus to reach Braga.