GENERAL INFORMATION

Dates

Venue
Centro Trevi, Via dei Cappuccini 28, Bolzano, Italy.

Language
English.

Registration
Please register via this online form as soon as possible and not later than 20 March 2018. Registrations will be processed in the order in which they are received. Registrations will close once the maximum limit is reached, even if that is before the official closing date. The organisers reserve the right to limit the participation.

Participation costs
There is no participation fee. Travel, accommodation costs and visa fees are covered by participants themselves.

Visa
Please note that participants are responsible for obtaining their own visa for entering Italy if necessary. Please contact your Ministry of Foreign Affairs if that is the case. If you need a letter of invitation to obtain a visa, please note this in your registration. More information on Italian visas is available at the following site: http://vistoperitalia.esteri.it/home/en.

Website
https://oe.cd/GFPBolzano2019

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HOW TO REACH BOLZANO

Arriving by plane

Verona
The airport “Valerio Catullo” in Verona is the closest to Bolzano (150km away).

The Verona Airport is connected to the Verona train station – “Verona Porta Nuova” – via a Shuttle service that runs daily from 5.35 to 8.30 pm every 20 minutes and from 8:30 p.m. to 11:10 p.m. every 40 minutes. A single ride ticket costs 6.00 €.

From Verona train station, Bolzano can be reached in around 2 hours. There are trains every 40 minutes. Check the trains schedule here.

Thanks to the new partnership between ATV and German (DB) and Austrian (ÖBB) railways, all travellers flying to Verona, by purchasing a single cumulative ticket, can use the AEROBUS service from the Catullo Airport to Verona Porta Nuova (or vice versa) to take a train to reach locations in South Tyrol and in Trentino. Fares for the cumulative ticket (train+ATV Aerobus) are 22.00 € for South Tyrol (Bolzano, Bressanone, and Fortezza).
Venice

Venice has two airports: Venezia Marco Polo and Treviso Canova.

Venezia Marco Polo Airport is 273 km from Bolzano, while the airport Treviso Canova is located 290 km away from Bolzano. Both airports are connected through the regular bus services to the nearest train stations: Venezia Mestre and Venezia Santa Lucia.

From Venice train stations you can get to Bolzano in 4 hours. Check the trains schedule here.

Milano

There are three airports: Milano Malpensa, Milano Linate and Bergamo Orio al Serio.

The nearest train stations to Milano Malpensa are Milano Cadorna, Milano Centrale and Milano Porta Garibaldi.

Milano Linate is connected to the city centre via bus or metro.

From Milano train station you can get to Bolzano in 3 hours. Check the trains schedule here.

The Orio al Serio airport in Bergamo is 235 km away from Bolzano, which can be reached in about 3.5 hours by bus, thanks to a direct Flixbus connection from the airport.

Bologna

The Marconi airport of Bologna is 276 km away from Bolzano. From the airport you can easily reach Bologna Centrale, the main train station, via Aerobus that runs daily every 11 minutes from 7 am to 9.15 pm and every 30 minutes 5 - 7 am and 9.15 pm – 00.15 am. From Bologna train station you can get to Bolzano in about 3 hours. Check the trains schedule here.

You can also reach Bolzano by Flixbus buses.

Munich (Germany)

The Munich airport Franz Joseph Strauss is 317 km away from Bolzano. You can get to Bolzano in 3.5 hours by train.

Innsbruck (Austria)

The Innsbruck airport is 122km away from Bolzano. Innsbruck Airport is easily accessed by train or bus. Bus route F connects Innsbruck main station with the airport main building. The journey takes about 20 minutes. From Innsbruck train station you can get to Bolzano in 2 hours. Check the trains schedule here.

Arriving by train

Check the trains schedule here. Get off the train at Bolzano train station.

Arriving by bus

Flixbus stops in Bolzano.

Arriving by car

Coming from the south

We suggest to take the motorway exit "Bolzano Sud" and to park your car at the Fair (1300 lots). From there you find public busses to the centre every 15 minutes or the train every 30 minutes.

Coming from the north

We suggest to take the motorway exit "Bolzano Nord" and to park at the parking "Bolzano Centro”, which is only a few minutes walking from the centre.

Since May 2014 the access to the city centre of Bolzano Bozen is under video surveillance. Please follow the indication to the parking places and do not overstep the gates in order to avoid the sanction.

For parking, please follow the electronic indications at the main entrances of the city. Please find here a list of the public parking lots.

Smart phone Apps for intercity transfer

For your convenience, you can download the following applications to your smart phone:

→ FlixBus
→ Trenitalia (only Italian train connections)
→ GoEuro (bus, train and air)
→ TrainLine EU

OECD airport transfers from Milan and Venice

The OECD will organise airport transfers for Milano Linate and Venice Marco Polo airports with the following schedule:

a. Navette Milan A to Bolzano on 27 March 2019 at 19.00
b. Navette Milan B to Bolzano on 28 March 2019 at 10.30
c. Navette Venice C to Bolzano on 27 March 2019 at 19.00
d. Navette Venice D to Bolzano on 28 March 2019 at 10.30
e. Navette Bolzano to Milan on 29 March 2019 at 14.00

From Bolzano to Venice on 29 March 2019 a direct train leaving Bolzano at 15.13 and arriving in Venice Mestre at 17.58 is the best option, therefore no transfer will be activated for this route.

Please mark in the registration if you intend to benefit of this facility. The transfers will be activated only with a minimum of 5 participants per single transfer. By 15 March 2019 final confirmation of flight details should be provided to the organisers who will issue a personal voucher accordingly. No personal transfers will be organised.

Milano Malpensa and Milano Linate airports are connected via shuttles. Consult the detailed schedule here.
ACCOMMODATION

The following list is only for your convenience and does not constitute any ranking by the organisers. No accommodation has been pre-reserved, so please make sure to book in time directly at the hotel of your choice.

Please note that the conference organisers do not organise or book any accommodation and do not cover any accommodation costs.

Hotels in Bolzano

To find accommodation in Bolzano, you can consult Booking.com and the following local booking service:

BOOKING BOLZANO
T. +39 0471 980023 | +39 0471 973630
E. info@bookingbolzano.com

Alternatively, you can directly contact these hotels located in the city centre:

PARKHOTEL LAURIN
Via Laurino, 4, 39100 Bolzano BZ, Italia
T. +39 0471 311000 | E. info@laurin.it

STADT HOTEL CITTÀ
Piazza Walther, 21, 39100 Bolzano BZ, Italia
T. +39 0471 975221 | E. info@hotelcitta.info

PARKHOTEL LUNA MONDSCHEIN
Via Piave, 15, 39100 Bolzano BZ, Italia
T. +39 0471 975642 | E. info@hotel-luna.it

HOTEL SCALA STIEGL
Via Brennero, 11, 39100 Bolzano BZ, Italia
T. +39 0471 976222 | E. info@scalahot.com

HOTEL FIGL
Piazza del Grano, 9, 39100 Bolzano BZ, Italia
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HOTEL GREIF
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PREPARING YOUR LUGGAGE

Dress code of the workshop: business/informal.

Remember to include in your luggage suitable footwear for walking in the city. Be sure to feel comfortable and have an adequate protection. We suggest you consult a weather forecast before leaving for Trento and pack accordingly.

If you have any food allergy or intolerance, please indicate them while registering online in the dedicated field. We will inform the catering service and take the corresponding measures.

WHAT TO DO IN BOLZANO

Bolzano offers a variety of touristic attractions such as museums, churches and historic streets alongside with a beautiful landscape. The tourism office presents many initiatives, including guided tours, experiences and events. For example, on 28-31 March there is the Wine Festival in Bolzano, at Mareccio Castle. Discover more about Bolzano here.

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