



General Information

The 11th HyMeX Workshop will take place from Tuesday 29 May to Saturday 02 June 2018 in Lecce, Italy, at the Grand Hotel Tiziano e dei Congressi (www.grandhoteltiziano.it). It is organized by the Institute of Atmospheric Sciences and Climate of the Italian National Research Council (ISAC-CNR) in collaboration with the University of Salento and the Euro-Mediterranean Center on Climate Change (CMCC).

Objectives

The general objectives of the HyMeX Workshops are to present and discuss recent scientific progresses in the understanding of the Mediterranean water cycle, from multiscale and multidisciplinary approaches, and to foster further collaborations within the HyMeX community.

Call for abstracts - Deadline 16 February 2018

We invite you to submit a short abstract for oral or poster presentation related to the Mediterranean water cycle. In particular, the 11th HyMeX workshop will be organized along the HyMeX science topics: heavy precipitation, Mediterranean cyclones, ocean circulation and processes, droughts and water resources, flash-floods and social vulnerability, integrated prediction of heavy precipitation and impacts, the water cycle and renewable energy.

Short abstract can be submitted online at:

http://www.hymex.org/?page=private/workshops/11/abstract_submission

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Tentative calendar

Deadline for abstract submission	16 February 2018
Notification of abstract acceptance	23 March 2018
Deadline for early booking	07 April 2018
Deadline for registration/booking	07 May 2018

Information and contacts

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Additional Information

Venue

The 11th HyMeX Workshop will be held in Lecce (Italy) at the Grand Hotel Tiziano e dei Congressi (www.grandhoteltiziano.it). Lecce has become in the last few years a popular touristic destination in southern Italy, because of its rich Baroque architectural monuments (Lecce is sometimes nicknamed as "The Florence of the South") and of the nearby beaches.

How to reach the venue

- **by plane:** Brindisi International is the closest airport. Buses from/to the airport (6,50 €; timetable at <http://www.eliostours.it/ita/pagina.asp?id=136>) stop/leave right in front of the conference venue; private shuttles (20 €; booking at https://www.airshuttle.it/index_eng.asp) provide direct connection (about 30') from/to any place in Lecce. Alternatively, one can take the urban bus (every 30'; timetable at <http://www.stpbrindisi.it/index.php/en/services/bus-airport-town-centre-costa-morena>; cost: 1 €) from the airport to Brindisi railway station and then a train to Lecce (regional train 2.80 €; every 30'). Bari airport can be also an option, but you need to reach Bari railway station by bus (<http://www.autoservizitempesta.it/orari.php>) or train (<http://www.ferrovienordbarese.it/home>) and then get a train to reach Lecce (about 1h30').

- **by train:** many connections are available to Lecce railway station, high-speed and regional trains (from Bari and Brindisi we recommend regional trains, which are cheaper and take just a bit more time). Timetables can be found at <http://www.trenitalia.com/>. Lecce station is 2 km from the workshop venue (almost walking distance). Anyway, from railway station, urban buses bring you to the workshop venue (bus stop just outside the square of the station, bus n. 12-13-14-15-16-28-29).

Registration fee

Registration fee is 270 €. The fee includes coffee breaks, lunches, conference material, ice breaker on Tuesday evening and a guided tour in Lecce on Wednesday afternoon. The Grand Hotel Tiziano will manage both registration and booking.

Social excursion and dinner

The conference excursion/dinner will take place on Thursday 31 May in the afternoon. (not included in the workshop fee). More info will follow

Scientific programme and optional excursion

The scientific programme is scheduled from Tuesday 29 May to Friday June 1. Upon request, an excursion will be organized on Saturday 2 June. More info will follow.

Accommodation and booking

We recommend to book a room at the Grand Hotel Tiziano, where a number of rooms have been reserved for the workshop. We recommend superior rooms, which have been completely renovated recently (first arrived, first served).

Classic Single / Double: 65 € / 75 € (breakfast included)

Superior Single / Double: 83 € / 93 € (breakfast included)

Early booking will be available at reduced cost.

