

SEEC09 – Lecce -Information

1. Summer School Venue

The VII edition of the Summer School in “Applied Macroeconometrics – Programming in MatLab” (SEEC 2009) will be held at the Department of Economics and Quantitative Methods of the University of Salento (Lecce) from 27th July (first lesson starting at 9am) to 31st July 2009 (last lesson ending at 4pm). The Department of Economics is located at the Ecotekne Campus, approx. 6 km south-west from the city centre (direction Monteroni).

2. How to reach Lecce

2.1 By plane

Brindisi airport is the nearest airport to Lecce (35 Km). Daily flights connect Brindisi to the international airports of Rome (by Alitalia -www.alitalia.it) and Milan (by Alitalia -www.alitalia.it, by Air-One - www.air-one.it or MyAir - low cost company - www.myair.com). Brindisi is also connected to the international airports of London Stansted (by Ryanair www.ryanair.com, low cost company), Zurigo (by Helvetic – <http://www.helvetic.com/>).

Brindisi is also connected to many other International locations as Brussels, Vienna, Zurich, Norimberga. For a complete list of locations please visit the airport web site: <http://www.seap-puglia.it/> (click on the link ‘Brindisi’ and then on ‘Departure’).

People arriving at Brindisi Airport (tel. +39 0831 418963) can reach Lecce using the *SITA* public shuttle bus connecting the Airport to Lecce. The detailed timetable of the *SITA* Airport shuttle bus is provided below. One journey ticket costs 5.00 €. Tickets for the shuttle bus are available from the Coffee Bar at Brindisi Airport. On-board ticketing is provided by the bus driver. Tickets can be bought from several travel agencies and shops in Lecce: Travel Agent ELIOS TOURS; Travel Agent MAZZINI; Travel Agent Santamaria; Bar Commercio; Travel Agent Theutra (c/o City Terminal).

The *SITA* shuttle bus stop at Brindisi Airport is located immediately on the right of the Airport main exit. Shuttle bus stops in Lecce are indicated in the Map of Lecce below.

SITA Airport shuttle-bus Timetable (for latest timetable changes please check the web site <http://www.seap-puglia.it/>):

From Brindisi airport to Lecce (City Terminal):

Place of departure (city terminal)	Hour of departure	Hour of arrival	Place of arrival
Airport	06.15	06.55	Lecce
Airport	08.35	09.15	Lecce
Airport	11.05	11.45	Lecce
Airport	15.00	15.35	Lecce
Airport	16.50	17.30	Lecce
Airport	18.25	19.00	Lecce
Airport	19.05	19.45	Lecce
Airport	20.05	20.45	Lecce
Airport	23.15	00.00	Lecce

From Lecce (City Terminal) to Brindisi airport:

Place of departure	Hour of departure	Hour of arrival	Place of arrival (city terminal)
Lecce	05.35	06.10	Airport
Lecce	07.40	08.20	Airport
Lecce	09.45	10.25	Airport
Lecce	13.20	14.00	Airport
Lecce	15.35	16.15	Airport
Lecce	17.20	18.00	Airport
Lecce	17.45	18.25	Airport
Lecce	19.00	19.40	Airport
Lecce	22.00	22.40	Airport

The daily journeys of the *SITA* Airport shuttle bus are available Mon. to Sun. throughout all summer time.

For more info please visit the Web site: <http://www.sitabus.it/wps/portal/OrariPuglia>

Alternatively, a direct transportation service (by an 8 seats vehicle) from Brindisi airport to Lecce (and vice versa) is available. A one way ticket costs € 15 (a transfer with a single travelling person is offered at € 30). You can book in advance calling "Crusi Viaggi" (Tel: +39 0832/305522) or through the on-line booking service (<http://www.airshuttle.it/AirShuttle.asp?lang=EN>). The shuttle could bring you directly to any hotel or to the workshop venue.

Lecce can be reached from Brindisi Airport also by Taxi: the average cost of the journey is 50-70 € and it takes about 30-35 min.

Bari airport is two hours by car or by train to Lecce (200 Km). Daily flights connect Bari to the international airports of London Gatwick (by British Airways - www.britishairways.com), London Stansted (by Ryanair - www.ryanair.com, low cost company), Barcellona (by Iberia - www.iberia.com), Monaco (by Lufthansa - http://portal.lufthansa.com/online/portal/LH_COM), Brussels (by Sn Brussels Airlines - <http://www.flysn.com/com/home/>), Bucarest and Parigi (by MyAir - <http://www.myair.com>), Colonia e Stoccarda (by HAPAG Lloyd EXPRESS - <http://book.hlx.com/en/index.html>), Vienna (by Austrian - www.aua.com).

Rome (by Alitalia - www.alitalia.it, by Air-One - www.air-one.it, Volare - low cost company - www.volareweb.com, MyAir - low cost company - www.myair.com, or Blu-Express <http://www.blu-express.com/>) and Milan (by Alitalia - www.alitalia.it, by Air-One - www.air-one.it, Volare - low cost company - www.volareweb.com, or MyAir - low cost company - www.myair.com); Bologna (by Air-One - www.air-one.it and Blu-Express <http://www.blu-express.com/>); Genova (by MyAir - low cost company - www.myair.com and Air-One - www.air-one.it); Olbia (by AlpiEagles <http://www.alpieagles.com/>); Torino (by Air-One - www.air-one.it); Trapani (by Air-One - www.air-one.it); Venezia (by Air-One - www.air-one.it and AlpiEagles <http://www.alpieagles.com/>); Verona (by AlpiEagles <http://www.alpieagles.com/>);

Bari is also connected to many other International locations as Bucarest, Colonia, Francoforte, Moscow, Parigi, Stoccarda, Timisoara, Tirana. For a complete list of locations please visit the airport web site: <http://www.seap-puglia.it/> (click on the link 'Bari' and then on 'Departure').

People arriving at Bari airport can reach the Bari central railway station by bus from the airport. For timetable information look at the web site <http://www.seap-puglia.it/> (click on the link 'Bari' and then on 'arrivals services')

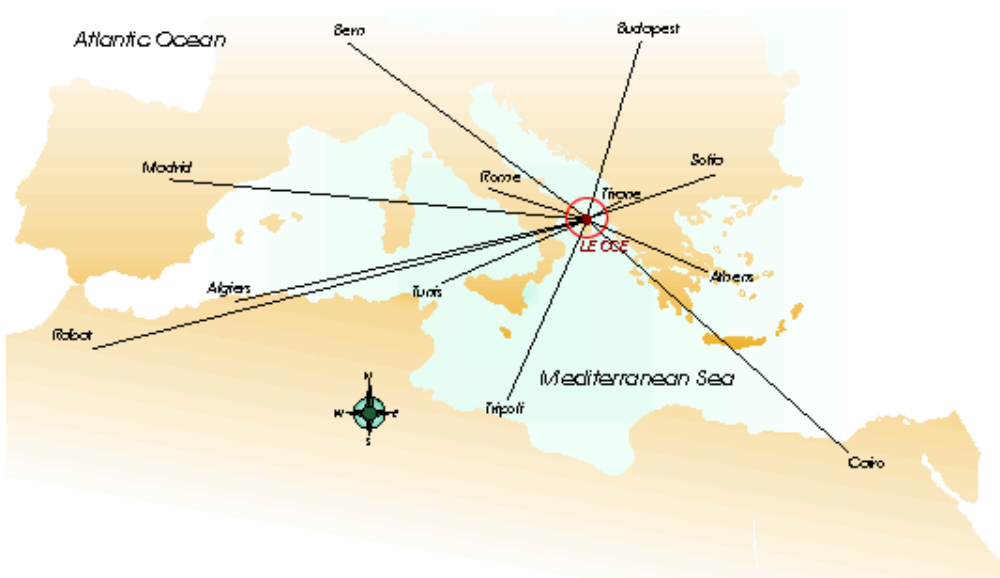
2.2 By train

Lecce is at the end of the main Adriatic line and is therefore well connected. There are numerous Eurostar (the fastest train), Intercity and regional/express trains from the main cities in the north and centre/south (Roma, Milano, Bologna, Torino, Trieste etc.). Regional/express services connect Lecce with all the other cities in Puglia. For exact times, prices and booking you can go to the Railway's timetable online at:

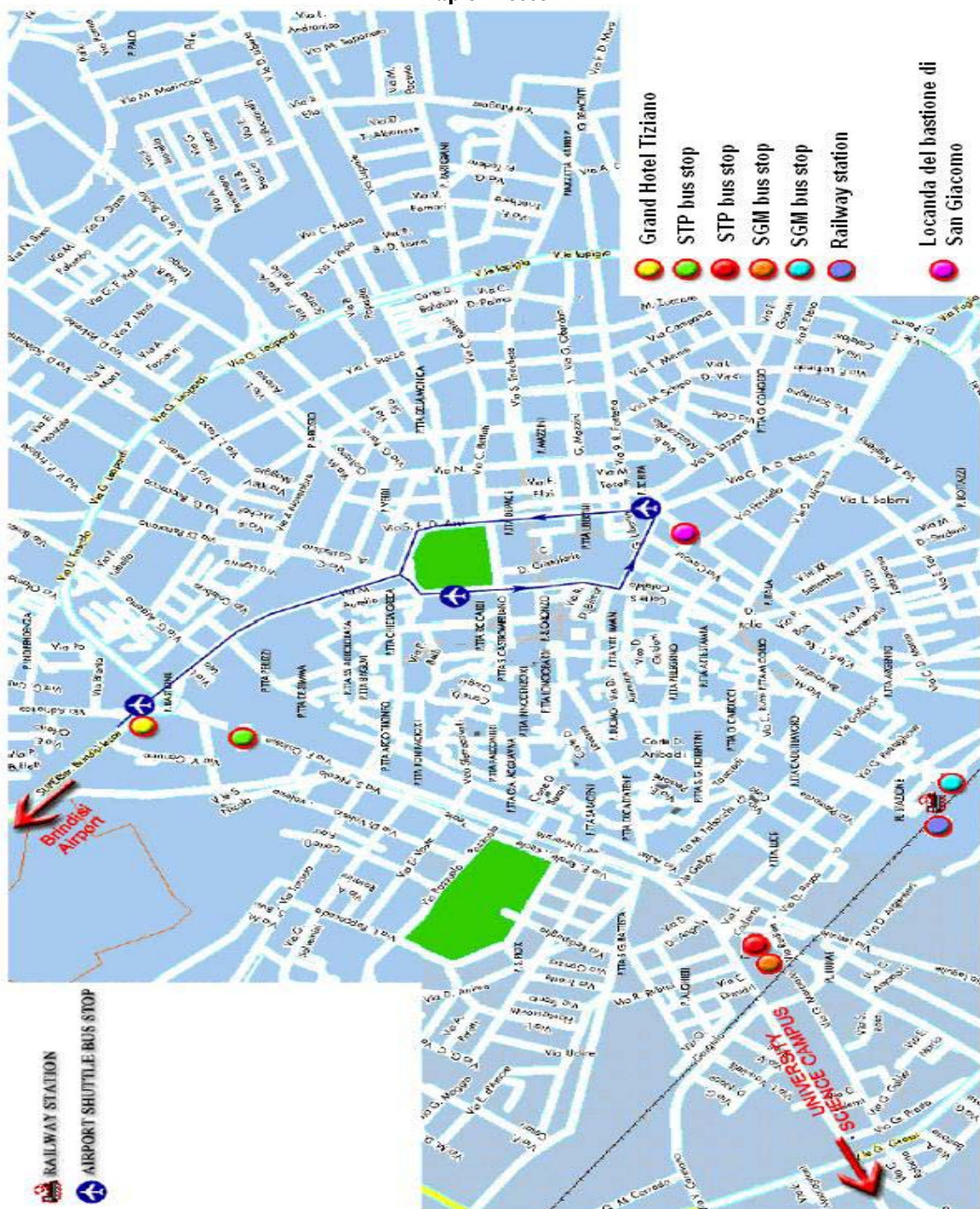
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2.3 By car

To reach Lecce by car from Rome is necessary to follow A1 highway, direction Naples, and then follow A 16 or A 14, direction Bari. Meanwhile, to reach Lecce by car from Milano is necessary to follow A 14 highway, direction Bari. Then to reach Lecce from Bari, for both routes, is necessary to follow main road 379, direction Lecce.



Map of Lecce



3. How to reach the Ecotekne Campus

3.1 By car

In the highway A 16 (Brindisi–Lecce), very close to Lecce, turn right following Tangenziale Ovest indication. After about 2 km you will pass a tunnel; soon after, turn right following the Monteroni-Arnesano direction and then the Università/Ecotekne indication; then you will reach easily the main entrance of the Ecotekne Campus (see map below).

3.2 By bus

The Campus can be reached from Lecce by bus: *STP* or *SGM* (no.27) - for bus stops see the map above - or by taxi (average fare 15.00 €, travel time approx. 20-30 min depending on traffic conditions).

No on-board ticketing for ATP bus; on-boarding ticket for SGM bus. The tickets can be bought from the newsagent in the Ecotekne campus.

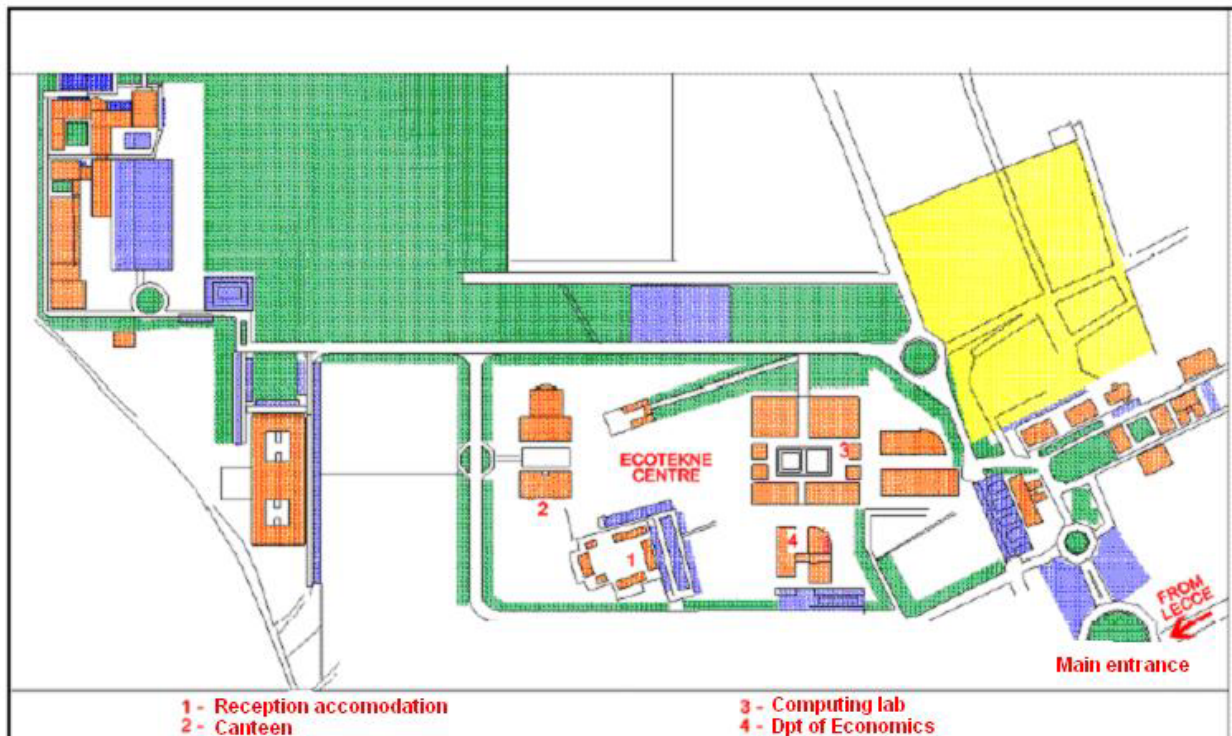
For STP and SGM timetable please visit the online timetable at website:

<http://www.sgmlecce.it/>

<http://www.stplecce.it/>

Lectures will be delivered in a computing lab, in Box 3, as indicated in the map below.

Map of the Ecotekne Campus



4. Accommodation

All participants will stay at the B&B in city centre. We have organized a free bus services that will bring you to campus in the morning and back to the hotel in the evening.

5. Meals

Breakfast is served every day during your stay in the hotel. All participants have access to the University canteen to have their lunch (See the map above: **box 2**) at the price of 6.00 EUROS.

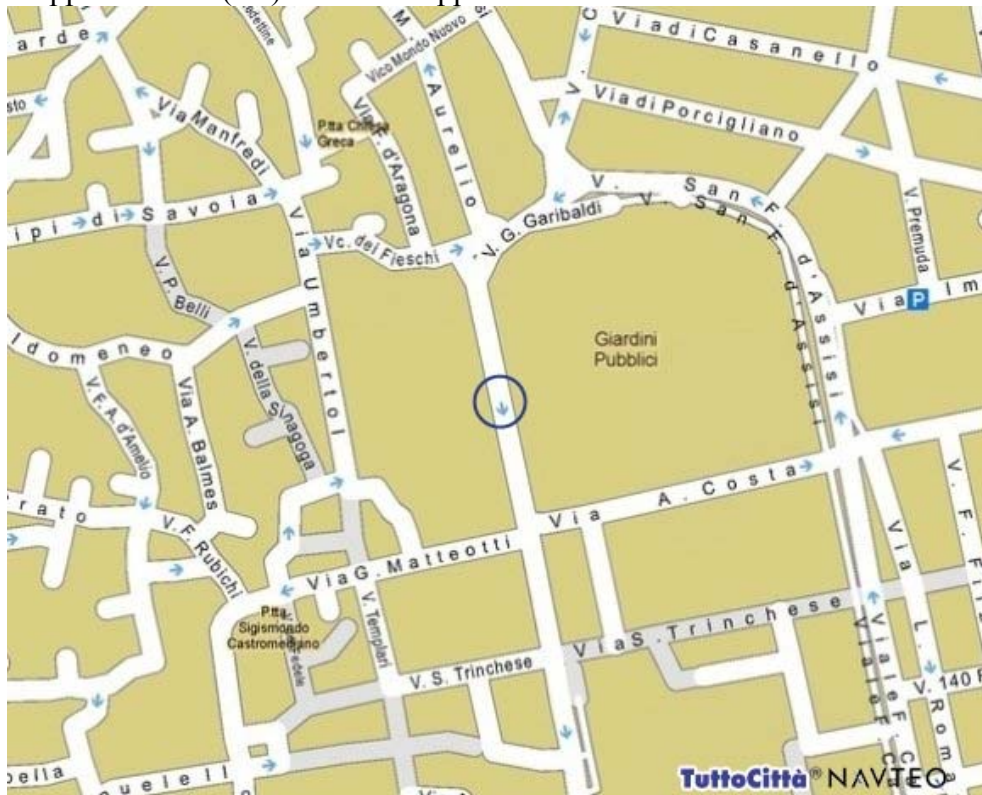
6. Summer School Registration

A registration desk will be opened on Monday 27th July from 8.00 am to 9.00 am in the I2 room (see Map of the Ecotekne Campus). All the participants will receive all the relevant documentation and teaching material for the attendance of the school.

7. Summer School Closing Dinner

A Summer School Closing Dinner will be held on the evening of Thursday 30th July at the “Pinterrè” restaurant, Via Garibaldi, 21 (close to “giardini pubblici” - public gardens -), Lecce (see map below), starting at 8:00 p.m. Each participant is required to show his badge. A contribution of EURO 25 is required.

Mappa di Lecce (LE) - Via Giuseppe Garibaldi



7. Useful contacts

Security: (+39) 0832 300588