

Dear Participants,

It is a pleasure to host you at our meeting at Visegrád. The SOC and LOC intends to organize a festive meeting with high scientific standards (you are the guarantee for that), and with a friendly environment for discussions all around the topics and all around the clock. Besides, we would like you to enjoy your stay at the Danube Bend holiday resort and in Hungary in general. Here below we try to cover all possible questions related to the meeting, but do not hesitate to raise further ones.

Shuttles

Shuttle service may be requested from Hotel Visegrád for a fair price. They may take you to Visegrád from the airport or from Budapest, as well as to the airport or to Budapest from Visegrád. Travels between the Airport and Budapest and within Budapest should be arranged using taxi or public transportation. Always give your arrival and departure times, and also the airline codes.

Shuttle requests should be made before 6 May via info@hotelvisegrad.hu

On-site registration

In order to ensure a smooth registration, we will open the registration desks already Sunday at lunch time at the main entrance of Hotel Visegrád. During the conference, the registration desk will be open Monday and Tuesday morning from 08:00-09:00.

Meeting schedule

The [meeting schedule has been posted to the website](#); we will update it if changes occur. We note here that further evening splinter meetings are most welcome. Hotel Visegrád has several meeting rooms, and all those are on our disposal all around the clock with technical assistance. You may request a meeting room from the LOC before and during the meeting. Drinks and snacks may also be requested though for an extra fee paid there.

Presentations

Presenters of the talks are kindly asked to contact the LOC and test their presentation files using the given system preferably half a day before their talks. Further technical details will be shared soon.

Two poster sessions will be organized, the schedule will be made available soon. There will be 24 poster boards placed to the coffee break area to pin your (maximum A0 size) posters. You cannot print your poster in Visegrád.

Recreational activities

You are free to use all the wellness services provided by Hotel Visegrád within the opening hours displayed there. Please also follow the safety measures. Swimming at the river is not allowed for safety reasons, but there are indoor and outdoor pools at Hotel Visegrád. Bikes can be rented at the Hotel for a fair price.

Walking and using public transportation inside Budapest

Budapest is a relatively safe city, but still be aware of your valuables especially travelling in fully packed vehicles of public transportation.

Walking in the town of Visegrád

It is a friendly, small, and safe place. Still, you are in general advised to keep your valuables in the (locked) in-room safe of your hotel room and keep your mobile phone with you.

Local Weather

Typical May weather is relatively dry with large daily temperature fluctuations: 10C° to 23C°. Light showers however may come at any time when an umbrella and/or rain jacket helps. Please also consult the forecast page of HungaroMet typing in Visegrád as location here: https://www.met.hu/en/idojaras/elorejelzes/magyarorszag_telepulesek/

Need for assistance/help

You may at any time call the Hotel Visegrád reception for help from your room phone, or from outside dialling +36 26 397 034 using your mobile phone. They will provide first aid, technical help or call an ambulance in case of emergency.

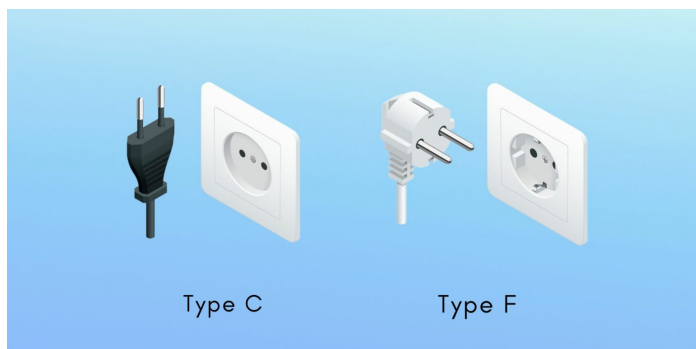
LOC members will be approachable during the meeting and at the evenings as well. We will be recognizable with a coloured badge.

Cash point and money exchange

There is an ATM 50 m from Hotel Visegrád where major bank cards and credit cards can be used. Hotel Visegrád in general will not do money exchange. Typically, you do not need Hungarian Forints (local currency) since cards are accepted in almost everywhere in Hungary.

Electricity

Electricity supply is 230 volts at 50 Hz. Power plugs and sockets (outlets) of type C and type F are used.



Pictures taken during the meeting

There will be a professional photography service during the official part of the meeting. The pictures will be uploaded to a server for your disposal. You will be kindly asked to sign a memorandum of understanding that you accept this service (free of charge for you).

We also encourage you to take your own photos and [share them on our Google Photos Album!](#)

Smoking

Smoking is prohibited by law inside the hotel. Smoke detectors are installed everywhere inside the building. Smoking is allowed outside the building.

Food & Dining & Bars

Guests of Hotel Visegrád will get a buffet breakfast at Sirály Étterem inside the Hotel. There will be one coffee break in both morning and afternoon sessions when coffee, tea, soft drinks will be served for all our participants. Lunches during the week and the conference dinner on Thursday evening is also free for our registered participants. You may take a buffet dinner in the hotel at Sirály Étterem, or at nearby restaurants in Visegrád. See those in walking distance: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/R1cuEWqZvCT2RUut6> A single meal starts at HUF6000 (EUR15). Please note that Nagymaros is on the other side of river Danube, and one needs to take a ferry to get there.

The opening hours of the Sirály Étterem (main restaurant inside Hotel Visegrád) and the Corvin Bar (there you may also get some snacks):

Sirály Restaurant:

- Breakfast: 7:30-10:00
- Lunch: 12:00-15:00
- Dinner: 18:00-21:00

Corvin Bar:

- 7:30-24:00