





PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Permanent Committee on Cadastre in the European Union (PCC)

Conference and Plenary meeting

17-19 June 2024

Bruges (Brugge), Belgium

REFERENCES OF THE HOST

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ACCOMMODATION AND VENUE

REGISTRATION

Please register here before 27 May 2024.

HOTEL

For your accommodation, we have prebooked rooms in the <u>Dukes' Palace Hotel</u>, <u>5*</u>.

Prinsenhof 8, 8000 Bruges Tel.: +32 50 44 78 88

Email: info@hoteldukespalace.com

When you go to 'Reserve' on the website, you will be able to enter the arrival & departure date + discount code (60%) **EUVZP062024**.

The discount code will expire on 12/05/2024. **So book your room as soon as possible.**

Please note that the conference will end at 4pm on 19 June, followed by a closing activity.

We therefore recommend extending your stay until the 20th of June.





CONFERENCE VENUE

The **venue of the meeting** will be the **College of Europe**, Verversdijk 16, 8000 Bruges.





IMPORTANT!

Please note the maximum of 50 participants in person (max 2 persons per country).

Possibility of a hybrid meeting through online connection.





ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE INFORMATION

Arrival at the Airport

There are two airports:

Brussels International Airport is the main airport and provides the easiest access to Bruges.

Brussels South Airport Charleroi is less recommended as it takes a longer journey time to Bruges.

Transport from Brussels International Airport to Bruges

By train

The train station (Brussels Airport-Zaventem) in the airport is located on level -1. Tickets can be bought at the ticket counter (open each day from 6:30 am to 22:00), at the vending machines in the airport or via the link https://www.belgiantrain.be/en/. The cost of a standard single ticket is around €20,00.

We recommend any direct train going from Brussels International Airport (http://www.brusselsairport.be/en/) to Bruges (Brugge).

There are multiple trains going to Bruges every 30 minutes. Journey time to/from Bruges (Brugge) is roughly 1h25 minutes and trains start running from the airport at around 5:30 am until past midnight. For schedules use the Belgian Rail link: SNCB official website - Buy your train tickets online (belgiantrain.be)

Transport from "Brussels South Charleroi" Airport to Bruges

By bus

There are bus shuttles directly to Bruges (every 1,5 hours): operated by Flibco to Bruges' train station. It is recommended to book your ticket via this link https://www.flibco.com/en#/booking. Ticket prices start around € 20. Travel time by bus is around 2 hours.

Transport from Bruges train station to the hotel

The airport busses and the trains all stop in Bruges train station.

By foot it's a nice walk of around 20 minutes (1.5km) to get to the Dukes' Palace hotel.

You can also take a bus to the city center in front of the main entrance of the train station. The bus journey takes about 10 minutes to get to the stop "Brugge Sint-Salvatorskathedraal" (400 meters from the hotel) and a ticket costs € 2,50.

Transport by taxi

Taxi rides are expensive, e.g. from Brussels International Airport around € 150, from Brussels South Airport around € 200. Travel time is about the same as by train (or longer depending on traffic).

Transport by car

We firmly recommend not coming to Bruges by car since the hotel is located in a pedestrian zone. There are, however, parking services available at the hotel with an additional cost of €30/day. Parking spaces have to be reserved in advance through individual contact with the hotel.

