

# 5<sup>th</sup> Croatian Symposium on Invasive Species with international participation 27-28. November 2023. Hotel Dubrovnik, Zagreb, Croatia

### **Presentations**

Authors of oral presentations have to upload their presentations (power point or pdf) prior to beginning of their session at latest, during the coffee or lunch breaks. They have 12 minutes for presentation, and three minutes for questions and discussion. Chairpersons will be instructed to force these limitations sharp.

Authors of poster presentations have to mantle their posters according to the number in the Programme, and to be aside their posters during the Poster sessions, as indicated in the Programme. Poster has to be in portrait orientation, up to A0 size (approximately maximum width 90 cm and maximum height 120 cm).

**Reaching Zagreb and the Symposium venue** (Halls Jelačić and Zrinski on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of Hotel Dubrovnik, Ljudevita Gaja 1 https://hotel-dubrovnik.hr/)

By now, we are sure you have decided and planned your way how to reach Zagreb (and maybe Symposium venue as well). However, here is few info. Whether you decided to reach Zagreb by plane (<a href="http://www.zagreb-airport.hr/home">http://www.zagreb-airport.hr/home</a>), bus (<a href="http://www.akz.hr/default.aspx?id=260">http://www.akz.hr/default.aspx?id=260</a>) or train (<a href="https://prodaja.hzpp.hr/en">https://prodaja.hzpp.hr/en</a>), you will end at either Central train station or Bus terminal (from Zagreb Airport there is frequent bus line to the Bus terminal). Zagreb airport is connected with the city centre by public transport (bus line 290) which operates every 35 minutes (<a href="https://www.zet.hr/en">https://www.zet.hr/en</a>) and with shuttle bus operated by <a href="https://www.zet.hr/en">Pleso prijevoz</a>. From Bus terminal and Central train station you can reach Venue by daily tram line 6 (direction "Črnomerec") and line 13 (direction "Žitnjak") from the Central train station. One-way ticket cost varies depending on the travel duration, and whether you buy a ticket in the vehicles or at kiosk (check here for details: <a href="https://www.zet.hr/tickets-and-fares/paper-tickets/603">https://www.zet.hr/tickets-and-fares/paper-tickets/603</a>). Web page of public transportation <a href="https://www.zet.hr/en">https://www.zet.hr/en</a>.

There are various taxi companies (i.e. <a href="www.ekotaxi.hr">www.ekotaxi.hr</a>; <a href="www.radiotaxizagreb.com">www.radiotaxizagreb.com</a>, etc.). All companies are supposed to have visible display of price of the ride, and have to issue the receipt for their service. There is also Uber and Bolt service in Zagreb.

If you decided to come by car, you might experience serious difficulties and problems with parking in the centre of the Zagreb (as in every city, lack of free space and temporal limitations). Unless your accommodation doesn't have ensured parking lot, to reduce your cost, we can recommend you to try to find some place that is free for park (not easy, close to Symposium venue) or to try to find the place in

the morning at "Paromlin" parking lot which cost just 1.r Euros per day (you can pay either on ticket machines or with your cell phones), and it is not too far away (little more then 1 km) from the venue.



# **Money and Payment**

From January 1<sup>st</sup> 2023, Euro is currency in Croatia. In general, all major credit and debt cards are accepted in shops and at the ATM machines.

# **Electricity**

Electric currency is 220 Volt, with Central European jack.

## Weather

Weather could be rather chilly and depressing (no sun for few weeks) in November, but so far this autumn was quite mild and sunny. Let us hope it will continue like that. Check the weather forecast (<a href="http://meteo.hr/index\_en.php">https://www.yr.no/en/forecast/daily-table/2-3186886/Croatia/City%20of%20Zagreb/Zagreb</a>)

# **Beervasive Evening**

All Participants who has opted and paid to join the Beervasive evening are supposed to come around 7 PM at the "Pivnica Medvegrad" at Ilica 49 which is 700 meters away from the Symposium venue, walking westwards. We will also gather in front of the Hotel Venue at 6:45 PM from where we will proceed to the "Pivnica Medvedgrad".

### **Lunch Breaks**

Given the fact that you have almost two hours on your disposal, and that you are in the very centre of the City, you can choose within walking distance from pizza cut for around 2 Euros to nice raw steak for (somewhat) more Euros.

We wish you a pleasant trip, and looking forward in meeting you soon.

5CSIS Team