

Summer School – Lecce -Information

1. Summer School

The IV edition of the Summer School in “Applied Economics – Programming in MatLab” (SEEC 2006) will be held at the Department of Economics and Quantitative Methods of the University of Lecce from 24th to 28th July 2006; the department 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).

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 about 4.50 €. Tickets for the shuttle bus are available from the Coffee Bar at Brindisi Airport. No 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.

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

From Brindisi airport to Lecce (City Terminal):

Place of departure	Hour of departure	Hour of arrival	Place of arrival (city terminal)
Airport	09.00	09.40	Lecce
Airport	11.15	11.55	Lecce
Airport	12.45	13.25	Lecce
Airport	15.00	15.45	Lecce
Airport	19.10	19.50	Lecce
Airport	23.20	0.00	Lecce

From Lecce (City Terminal) to Brindisi airport:

Place of departure (city terminal)	Hour of departure	Hour of arrival	Place of arrival
Lecce	05.15	05.55	Aeroporto
Lecce	09.50	10.30	Aeroporto
Lecce	11.00	11.40	Aeroporto
Lecce	13.35	14.15	Aeroporto
Lecce	17.45	18.25	Aeroporto
Lecce	20.00	20.40	Aeroporto

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: www.sita-on-line.it

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.

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/inglese/indexie.asp> (click on the link 'Bari' and then on 'arrivals services')

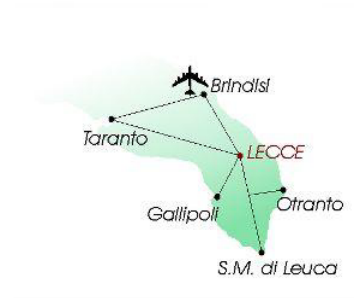
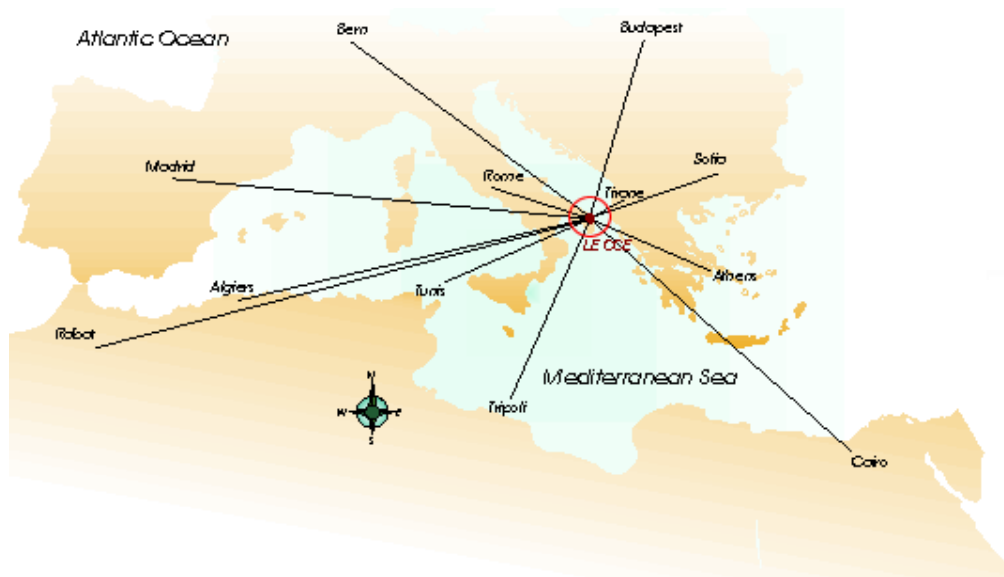
2.2 By train

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:

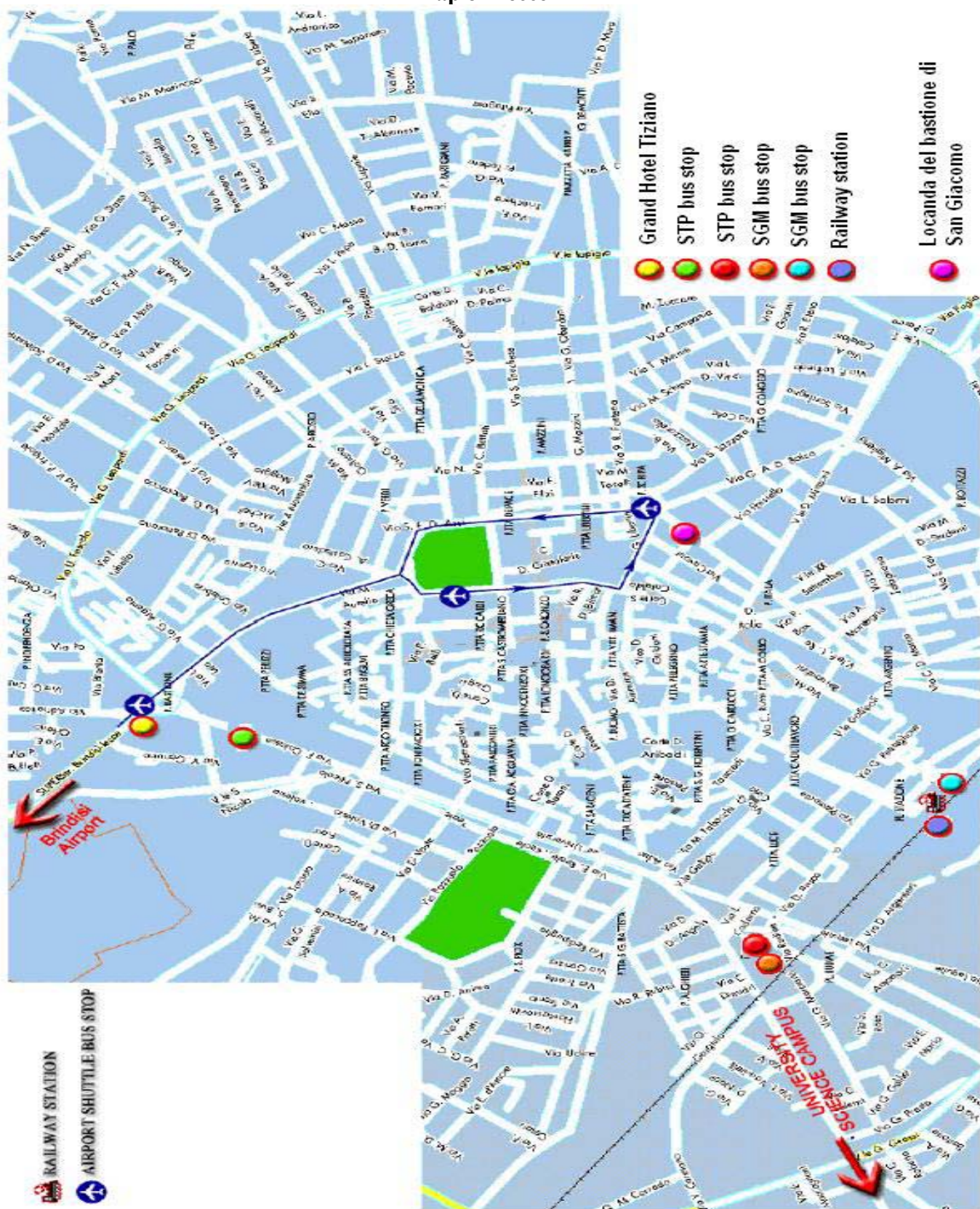
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2.3 By car

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

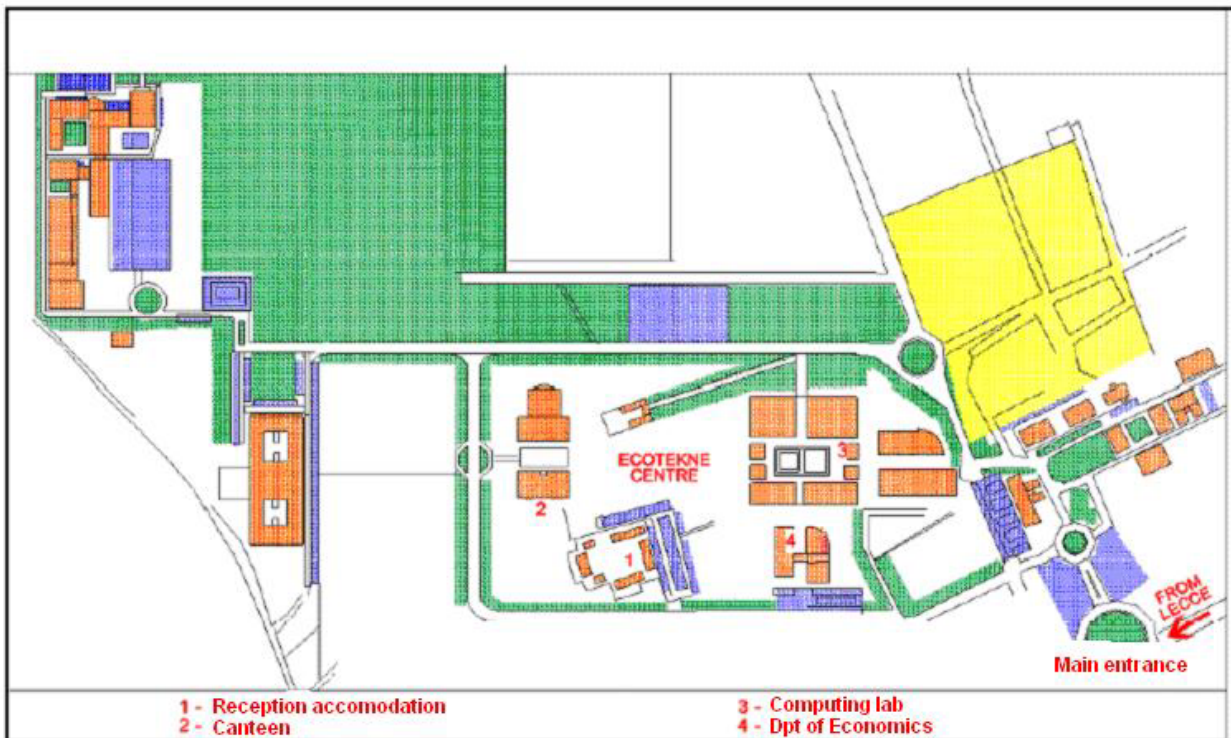
In the highway A 16 (Brindisi–Lecce), very close to Lecce, turn right following Tangenziale Ovest indication. After about 2 km you will pass a tunnel; soon after, turn right following the Monteroni-Arnesano direction and then the Università/Ecotekne indication; then you will reach easily the main entrance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

3.2 By bus

The Campus can be reached from Lecce by bus (no on-board ticketing): *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).

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

Map of the Ecotekne Campus



4. Accommodation

We have obtained commitments for blocks of rooms from “I Giardini di Atena” (www.igiardinidiatena.com) at special rate of:

- EURO 130 per week for studio flat with twin beds (**EURO 65 per week for each occupier**);
- EURO 230 per week for two rooms flat (**EURO 115 per week for each occupier**);

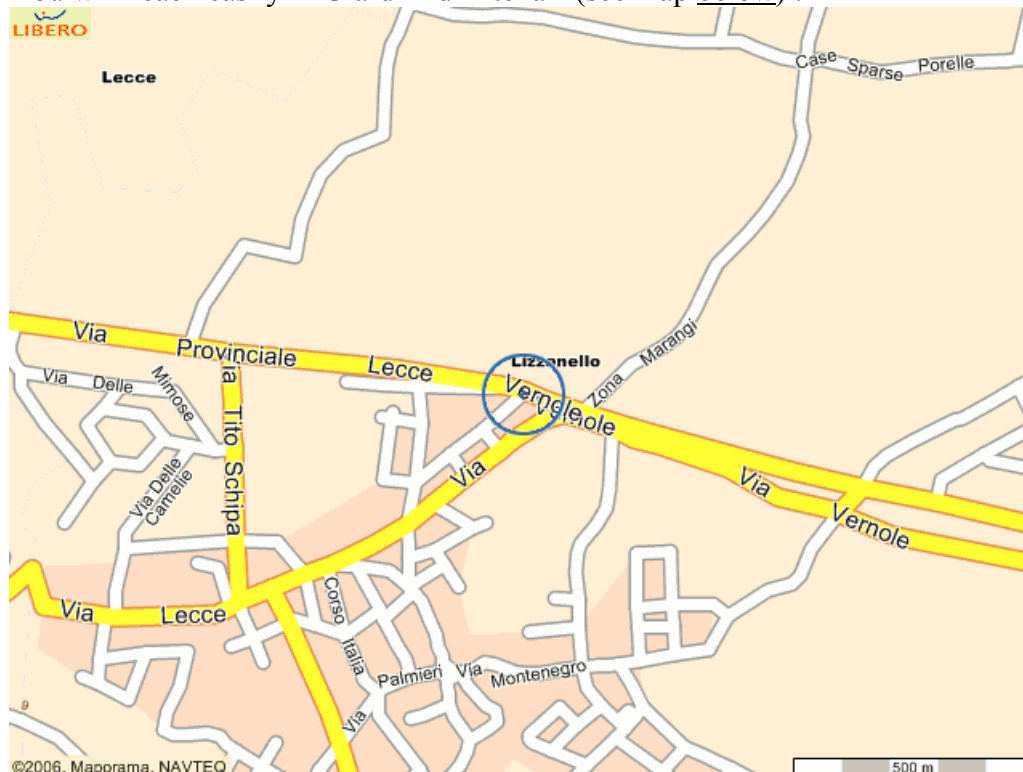
When you call 0039 0832 623197 to reserve your room, be sure to identify yourself as a participant with the “Scuola Estiva di Economia Computazionale (SEEC2006) – University of Lecce”.

A bus is also provided to pick up all participants from “I Giardini di Atena” and transport them to the University in the morning (before the first session). At the end of the day (after the last session), the same bus will take the participants to their accommodations. Transport is available for the days of the summer school. “I Giardini di Atena” provides buses to city center and sea.

The Reception of "I Giardini di Atena" (www.igiardinidiatena.com) is open 24 hours.

You can find all the information on how to reach "I Giardini di Atena" (by car, train, air, boat) in the website: www.igiardinidiatena.com (by clicking on “how to reach us” in the toolbar at the bottom of the homepage).

You will reach easily "I Giardini di Atena" (see map below) :



5. Meals

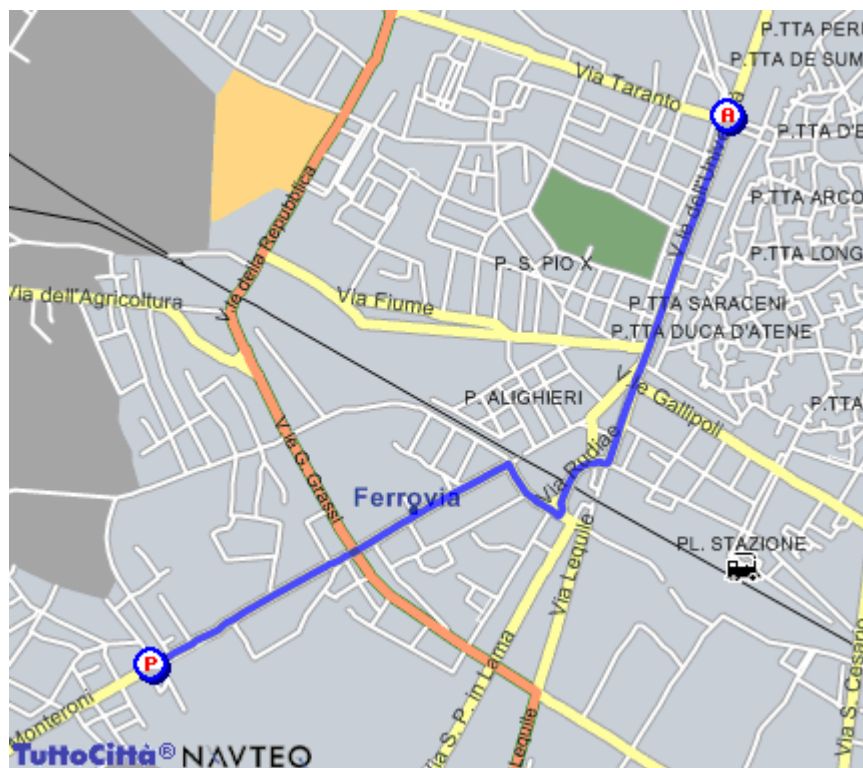
A coffee break will be provided every day. All participants have access to the University canteen to have their lunch at very low price (5 EURO). (See the map above of the Ecotekne Campus: **box 2**).

6. Summer School Registration

A registration desk will be opened on Monday 24th 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 organized Thursday 27th July at the “Circolo Tennis”, Piazzetta Arco di Trionfo, Lecce (see map below), starting at 8:00 p.m. Each participant is required to show his badge.



8. Useful contacts

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