

12th Thematic CERN School of Computing (tCSC 2023)

We are looking forward to seeing you in Split very soon! Below you can find some more information on the logistics of the week.

Arrival – Sunday 11 June before 16h (if possible)

Please note that the **Welcome Session** of the School **starts at 16:00**. Therefore, we expect you to arrive at the MedILS Conference Centre before 16:00. If your flight arrives later, please make sure to let us know when so that we can let you know where to meet up for dinner.

The address of the MedILS center:

MedILS –Mediterranean Institute for Life Sciences
Meštrovićevo šetalište 45
HR – 21000 Split
Republic of Croatia
<http://www.medils.org>
tel: +385 (0)21 555 600
fax: +385 (0)21 555 605

Registration will be possible as of 13:30 in the reception of MedILS. Lunch will be served between 12.30-13.30, on Sunday 11th June.

Transport to MedILS

The CSC does not organise transport from the airport or Split city to medILS. Ample information is provided on MedILS [How to Reach Us](#) tab on their website. Here are the suggestions on how to get to MedILS from the airport:

- Public transport: From airport to the Main Bus Station
 - Croatia Airlines provides a bus directly from the airport exit station to the main bus station in Split, the ticket price being (approximately EUR 4).
- Public transport: From Main Bus Station to MEDILS
 - The **main bus station** is located in the east part of the Split ferry harbor and is close to the main train station.
 - It is advised you then walk ~10 min to the western part of the harbour, near the **St. Francis Church** (Sveti Frane), where there are two options:
 - take a taxi
 - take a bus, local line number 12 which would lead you straight to MedILS (ask the bus driver for the MEDILS station)
- Taxi: From airport to MedILS
 - Another option is to take a taxi directly from the airport to MedILS.

Accommodation

You will be staying at MedILS (located on the Adriatic Sea coast, a couple of kilometers from the center of Split), in shared twin or triple rooms.



Photo: MedILS

MedILS centre facilities

Note that MedILS is a University meeting/conference center and not a hotel. As a result, it is not manned 100% of the time.

Meals

All meals will be on-site at MedILS except three evening dinners. We will give you information on how to find the external restaurants in a separate email (transport will be arranged from MedILS and back.)

Registration

Registration for tCSC on Security 2023 will take place in MedILS on Sunday 11 June, from **13:30 pm**. The CSC registration can be found at the reception of the MedILS.

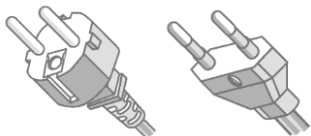
Classes

Classes and exercises will take place in MedILS medium-size lecture room. Directions will be provided when you arrive.

Computers/Personal laptops

During tCSC 2023 you will be required to use your own laptop and install required software to participate in exercises. Instructions on what to install and configure are available on the [Laptop Configuration](#) page in indico.

Please configure your laptop **before the beginning of the school**, so as you are ready for the first class on Monday 12 June. Any questions - ask our Technical Manager at csc-technical-manager@cern.ch or in person.



Croatia uses the standard European (round-pronged) plugs (230V, 50Hz AC). Don't forget your power adapters for laptops, if needed.

Sports and free time

- On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoon you have a **free time period** between lunch and the afternoon sessions. This free time may be devoted to learning, discussions with lecturers and/or recreational activities including sports.
- We have arranged a **special sports outing** on Wednesday afternoon: we will be **rafting** on a river upstream of the beautiful city of Omis, south of Split. More information will follow later.

Sports equipment

Bring with you:

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| - sport clothes (eg t-shirt, shorts) | - trainers/sneakers |
| - bath suit, towel | - personal sportsequipment *rackets etc |
| - swimming glasses | - sunglasses |
| - sunscreen | - mosquito spray |

You will also need some sport shoes or sturdy sandals to scramble over the rocks to get to the beach. The rocks are sharp and bare feet are at great risk of getting cut!

For the rafting, we recommend you to bring clothes that can get wet, such as;

- a windproof sweater or K-Way or similar
- light clothes (e.g. T-shirt, shorts)
- sport shoes (or sturdy water sport sandals which attach with clips/velcro) which you don't mind getting wet
- full change of clothing (warmer clothes + towel) for after the rafting (we shall not return to the hotel between the rafting and dinner).

Weather

Average temperature in Split during this period is about 21°C, ranging between 16°C and 26°C, and usually very sunny. There may be some late-spring rain, which can be torrential, so bring some warmer clothes and a rain jacket just in case.

Miscellaneous

May we remind you that:

- Any extra costs incurred by you during the stay will not be covered by the school organization.
 - Smoking is banned at MedILS.

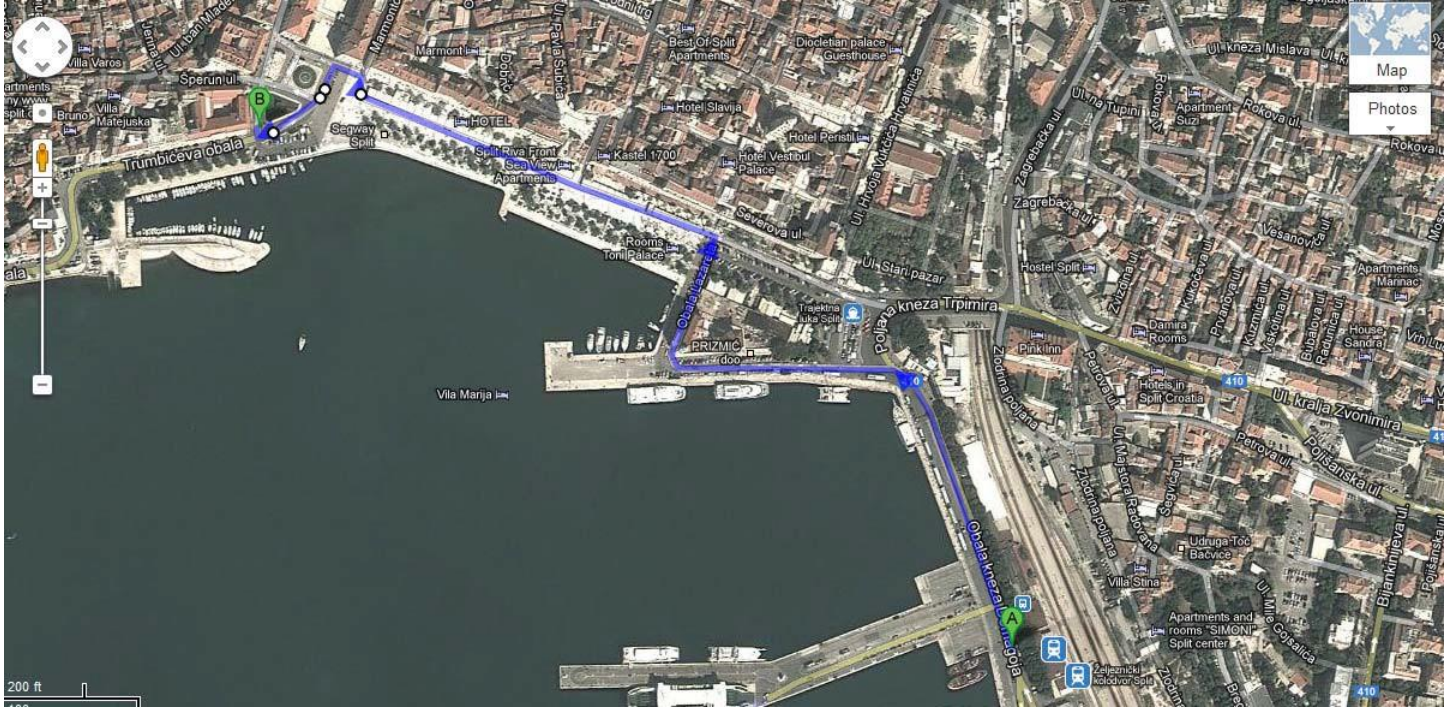
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Maps

See also Google Maps link provided by MedILS <https://goo.gl/maps/EvCq75JDg42>

Main Bus Station then ~10 minute walk to St Francis Church



Main Bus Station to MedILS

