

KICK-OFF MEETING

Pisa, September 21-22, 2022

Skills4EOSC welcomes you to Pisa, one of the most beautiful cities in Italy, rich in history, charm and culture. The project kick-off will be hosted by GARR, the Italian Research and Education Network. The meeting will take place at the Opera della Primaziale Pisana (OPA), world-renown Piazza dei Miracoli in Pisa, the best example of Romanesque style through its magnificence and perfection, a harmonious fusion of classical, early Christian, Lombard and Eastern motifs.

in the following pages you can learn more about the venue and other useful information for your trip.



HOW TO REACH THE CITY CENTRE



From Pisa airport

Pisa International Airport is easily connected to the center of Pisa, as the distance is only 2 kilometers. From the airport you can reach Pisa railway station and the city centre in just 5 minutes with the **Pisa Mover** monorail service, at a cost of 2.7 eur.

Alternatively, **city buses** and **taxis** are always available.

<https://www.aeroporto.net/aeroporto-pisa/>

<http://www.cotapi.it/en/>

From Florence airport



From Florence Airport (FLR) you can reach Pisa railway station (Pisa Centrale) by bus, train, car or town car.

The most affordable way is to **train**, which costs €5 - €12 and takes 1h 37m.

There is a **direct bus** departing from Florence T2 Guidoni Parking Area and arriving at Pisa Airport. Services depart every four hours, and operate every day. The journey takes approximately 1h.

HOW TO REACH THE VENUE

OPA - PIAZZA DEL DUOMO, 17

The meeting will take place at **Opera della Primaziale Pisana (OPA)**, in Piazza dei Miracoli, the very hearth of Pisa.

<https://www.opapisa.it/>



From Pisa airport

The quickest way to get from Pisa Airport (PSA) to the venue is **taxi** which costs €12 (<http://www.cotapi.it/en/>).

There is a **direct bus** departing from Aeroporto Galilei in Pisa. Services depart hourly, and operate every day. The journey takes 12 min.

LAM ROSSA – stop at via Cammeo/Piazza Manin

N. 21 night bus – stop at Piazza Manin

The distance between Pisa Airport (PSA) and the venue is 3 km.

From Pisa Centrale railway station



There is a **direct bus** departing from Stazione 1 and arriving at Torre 1 (near venue). Services depart every 15 minutes, and operate every day. The journey takes about 8 min.

LAM ROSSA – stop at via Cammeo/Piazza Manin

N. 4 – stop at Piazza Arcivescovado

N. 21 night bus – stop at Piazza Manin

Alternatively, **taxi** costs € 9 and takes 6 min.

<http://www.cotapi.it/en/>

HOTELS

Here below you can find suggested hotel near the venue. All prices are in Euro per room per night, including breakfast and VAT, excluding city tax.

Please feel free to use other online resources to find accommodation in Trieste (e.g. Airbnb, Booking.com, Expedia etc.).

GHotel Duomo

A prestigious 4-star hotel near the tower of Pisa, a few steps from Piazza dei Miracoli, in the heart of the Tuscan city.

<https://www.grandhotelduomopisa.it/it/info@grandhotelduomo.it>

Kinzica

Hotel Kinzica is set in an imposing villa of the mid 18th century, within walking distance of the Leaning Tower of Pisa. All rooms have free Wi-Fi, air conditioning and satellite TV.

<http://www.hotelvillakinzica.com/info@hotelvillakinzica.com>

Bonanno

Grand Hotel Bonanno is located in a quiet area of Pisa, 10 minutes' walk from the Leaning Tower. The hotel offers free parking, and large rooms with air conditioning and a mini-bar.

<https://www.grandhotelbonanno.com/info@grandhotelbonanno.it>

DOMUS COMELIANA

*Via Cardinale Pietro Maffi, 48
Pisa, September 21 - H 20.00*

Domus Comeliana is an exclusive historical location in the heart of Pisa. An authentic residence with an history, in the best Italian architectural tradition.

(www.domuscomeliana.com/)

In the heart of Pisa we will be together for a unique **dinner in an exclusive location**. From its spectacular terrace, a panoramic view over the city at sunset will welcome you to the long-awaited Skills4EOSC kick off dinner.

Before dinner we will have the opportunity to visit the **Museum of the Opera del Duomo but also the Cathedral, the Baptistry and Camposanto in the Square of Miracles** with a professional guide. The visit will take approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes.



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Pisa city information

<https://www.italyguides.it/en/tuscany/pisa>

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<https://www.pisa-airport.com/en/>

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