

## **TRAVEL INFORMATION**

### **From the airport to Barcelona (Plaça de Catalunya)**

The journey from the airport to Barcelona center (on taxi, train, bus or metro) is about 30-40 minutes, depending on the time of day.

### **By bus (recommended option!)**

The *Aerobus* service links Barcelona airport to the city center. You can get off at Plaça Catalunya (to get to the conference venue from there see below).

You can catch the Aerobus from outside both Terminal 1 and Terminal 2.

Fares:

You can buy your ticket from the staff at the bus stops (payment in cash or by credit card), at the automatic sales machines (payment in cash or by credit card) or by paying the bus driver (cash only payments).

*One-way*: 5,90€

Valid for one person and his/her luggage and valid up to one hour after purchasing.

*Round trip*: 10,20€

Valid for one person and his/her luggage. Valid GOING up to 1 hour after purchasing, and valid RETURN up to 9 days after purchasing. You must keep the ticket in order to exchange it for the return ticket trip.

Please be aware that:

Integrated travel tickets (T-10, T-Mes, T-50/30, T-Trimestre T-Jove, T-Familiar, T-Dia) are not valid for this service.

All children under 4 years do not pay.

You cannot book tickets in advance. Tickets can be purchased on the bus stop.

On return to the Airport: both Aerobuses for Terminal 1 and for Terminal 2 stop at the same bus stops. When making your way to

Barcelona Airport, make sure that you take the right Aerobus. The Aerobus for Terminal 1 is light blue and dark blue. The Aerobus for Terminal 2 is dark blue and yellow.

### **By train**

The airport station is situated opposite T2, and is connected to this terminal via an airbridge, located between terminal 2A and 2B. There is also a Bustransit service between the RENFE station and T1. Trains leave from the airport every 30 minutes and operate from 05:42am to 11:38pm daily (Line R2 North Airport - Sant Celoni / Maçanet Massanes). It takes 25 to 35 minutes to reach Plaça Catalunya in Barcelona city itself. In order to get to Plaça Catalunya you must stop at Barcelona-Sants and then take the subway (green line/line 3) to Plaça Catalunya.

Please check the Barcelona public transport website for more detailed information, tickets and timetables.

Ticket price is 4,20€.

### **By taxi**

There are taxi stops outside both terminals. The journey to the city centre takes between 20 to 30 minutes, depending on road conditions. Taxi fares are around 35€ for the journey into the centre. Rates are displayed inside the cab.

The luggage supplement is €1 per item. The cost payable is indicated on the meter. It is advisable to request a receipt. You can check fees at [www.taxibarcelona.cat](http://www.taxibarcelona.cat).

For more information you can call the telephone information line (932 235 151, extension 2158) between 08:00 and 15:00, or send an email [infotaxi@amb.cat](mailto:infotaxi@amb.cat).

If you wish to collect a lost item you can call 902 101 564 (Monday to Friday from 08:00 to 20:00) or send an email to [objper-taxi@amb.cat](mailto:objper-taxi@amb.cat).

## **By metro**

Metro Line 19 Sud connects the airport terminals T1 and T2 with the city of Barcelona, every 7 minutes. There are three stations in this line where you can transfer to other lines of the network: Torrassa (L1), Collblanc (L5) and Zona Universitària (L3). It also goes to Fira de Barcelona (Fira station). The journey from the airport to Barcelona city center by metro takes you 32 minutes and operates every day from Monday to Thursday (5:00 am to midnight), Fridays and eves of public holidays (from 5:00 am to 2:00 am), non-stop on Saturdays and from 5:00 am until midnight on Sunday.

The stations in this metro line are: Aeroport T1, Aeroport T2, Mas Blau, Parc Nou, Cèntric, El Prat Estació, Les Moreres, Mercabarna, Parc Logístic, Fira, Europa | Fira, Can Tries | Gornal, Torrassa, Collblanc and Zona Universitària. To go from Zona Universitària to Plaça de Catalunya, located in the city center, you have to take the Green Line/Line 3 (12 stops).

Ticket price is 4,60€.

## **For further information on airport transport:**

<https://www.barcelona-tourist-guide.com/en/airport/barcelona-airport-transport.html>

## **For information about Barcelona public transport**

[http://www.tmb.cat/en\\_US/home.jsp](http://www.tmb.cat/en_US/home.jsp)

## **Getting to the UAB**

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona is located outside the city of Barcelona. Please visit the university website to check the best way of getting to UAB for you. We recommend taking *Ferrocarrils de la Generalitat de Catalunya* (FGC) which provide frequent (every 10-15 mins), punctual and affordable service. You can take a FGC train from either of the three stations in the city: Catalunya, Provença or Gràcia. The lines that go to UAB are S2 (Line Barcelona-Sabadell) or S6 (Line Barcelona-Universitat Autònoma). The journey time to/from Barcelona is 45 minutes, and trains depart approximately every 10-15 minutes. The name of the station you have to get off at is Universitat Autònoma.

## **Getting to the Conference Venue (Sala de Graus, Facultat d'Economia i Empresa)**

To get to the conference venue from the railway station, you have to take the main exit in the middle of the station, go downstairs, and then go straight: you will arrive at the square called *Plaça Cívica* with a restaurant building on your right. On your left there will be a candy shop; turn left, cross the square and continue along the path that goes up the hill behind the square. Halfway up, on your right you will see the building of the “Facultat de Psicologia”. This is the building you are looking for. You can enter by the lateral door, turn right, and take the stairs down to get to the **Facultat d'Economia i Empresa**. The conference room (Sala de Graus) is to the left.

## **Recommendations**

**WATCH OUT FOR PICKPOCKETS...**

especially in the popular turistic areas (like el Raval) and - above all - in public transport within the city. You should be alert at all times when travelling by metro or by bus.

Take good care of your belongings!