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L-Università
ta' Malta





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multidisciplinary conference
University of Malta, 10-12 June 2024

BEING SEA•EU

— knowledge knows no boundaries —

Merħba!

Merħba in Maltese means *Welcome* and we would like to warmly welcome you to the first international and interdisciplinary '**BEING SEA-EU**' Conference and the **SEA-EU Staff Weeks**.

The purpose of this conference is to provide a networking opportunity and present your research to the alliance community.

We have prepared this **guide to help you plan your trip** to the conference.

We can't wait to meet you in June!



Arriving in Malta



Malta International Airport

 [Location](#)



Taxi service is available 24 hours a day to any destination.

Recommended alternatives

Uber **Bolt** **eCabs**



 [Plan your journey](#)

Public Bus Tallinja is accessible just outside the Airport Departures Hall.

Bus tickets can be purchased at the Airport 24/7 ticket machine or directly from the driver (accepts cash and card).



L-Università ta' Malta

The University of Malta hosts some 11,500 students, including around 1,000 international students from 92 different countries and 450 visiting overseas students:

 [UM Official Website](#)

Today UM is composed of fourteen faculties, a number of interdisciplinary institutes and centres, three schools, a junior college and four campuses.



Valletta Campus

The conference will be held at the historic **Valletta Campus**, which is located in the heart of Malta's capital. You can access the building from St Paul Street or Merchants Street.

 [Valletta Campus](#)

Valletta is home to many **interesting museums and historical sites** important to the country.

Here you will find a **multitude of restaurants, bars, cafes** - all in a stunning setting showcasing Baroque architecture, grandiose palaces, and narrow cobblestone streets.

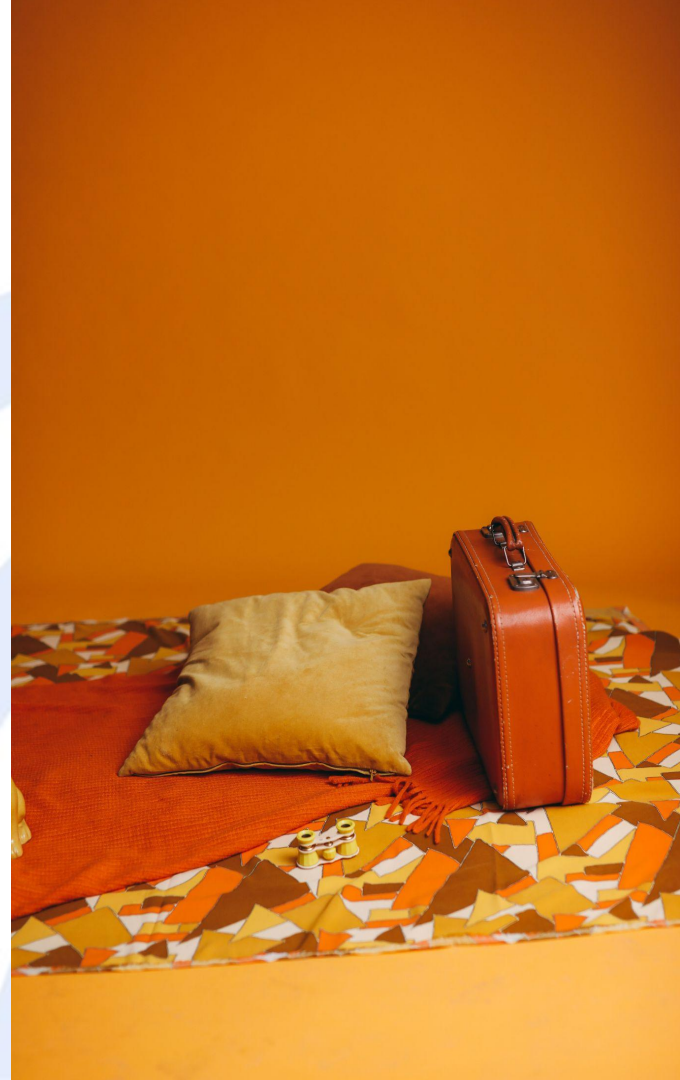
The city has a lot to offer after a day full of fruitful meetings and conversations at the conference.



Where to book a hotel?

- **Valletta** is a very small city. If you book a room in Valletta, regardless of the location of your hotel, you will be able to walk to the conference.
- If you book a room in [Sliema](#) or the [Three Cities](#) (Birgu, Isla and Bormla), you will be able to take the [direct ferry](#) to Valletta (suggested option).
- Valletta is also well connected by bus to **other cities** on the island (it is a main bus station). Good advice: for your convenience, [check for a direct bus connection](#). There is a lot of traffic in Malta, so traveling by public transport **usually takes longer** than the app shows. Please take this into account in your commuting plans.

Check out the offer of hotels cooperating with UM for Conference and Staff Weeks members. If you wish to book a room, please contact them by email and kindly use **SEA EU CONFERENCE** as reference.



Recommended Accommodation

Luciano Valletta Boutique Accommodation (within walking distance from conference venue)

Merchants Street, Valletta | Email : info@vallettaboutique.com

- Duplex double room with St John's Cathedral view at €180 per night on B&B basis
- Standard double room with street view at €160 per night on B&B basis
- Economy double indoor room at €110 per night on B&B basis

Luciano Al Porto Boutique Accommodation (within walking distance from conference venue)

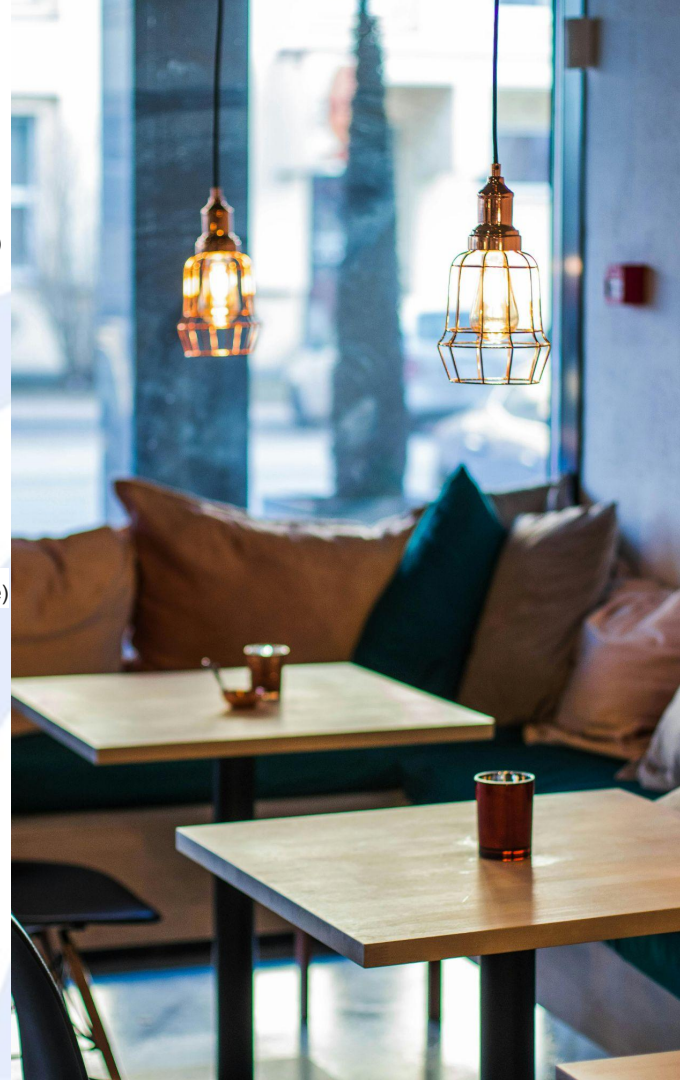
St Ursula Street, Valletta | Email : info@vallettaboutique.com

- Double room with street view at €160 per night on B&B basis
- Double room with Grand Harbour view at €180 per night on B&B basis

The Londoner Hotel - 3*

The Strand, Sliema | Email : gm@thelondonerhotels.mt

- Comfort room for sole use at €170 per night on B&B basis
- Comfort room for double use at €185 per night on B&B basis



Recommended Accommodation

The Londoner Hotel - 3*

St George's Road, St Julians | Email : gm@thelondonderhotels.mt

- Comfort room for sole use at €155 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Comfort room for double use at €170 per night on bed & breakfast basis

Marina Hotel at the Corinthia Beach Resort - 4*

St George's Bay, St Julians | Email : estelle.borg@corinthia.com

- Standard room for sole use at €175 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Standard room for double use at €195 per night on bed & breakfast basis

Hotel Verdi - 4*

113 The Strand, Gzira | Email : estelle.borg@corinthia.com

- Superior side seaview room for sole use at €160 per night on B&B basis
- Superior side seaview room for double use at €180 per night on B&B basis
- Deluxe seaview room for sole use at €170 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Deluxe seaview room for double use at €190 per night on B&B basis



Recommended Accommodation

Urban Valley Resort - 4*

Triq Wied Ghollieqa, San Gwann | Email: brian.calleja@urbanvalleyresort.com

- Superior double room for sole use at €190 per night on B&B basis
- Superior double room for double use at €200 per night on B&B basis

IKYK Hotel - 4*

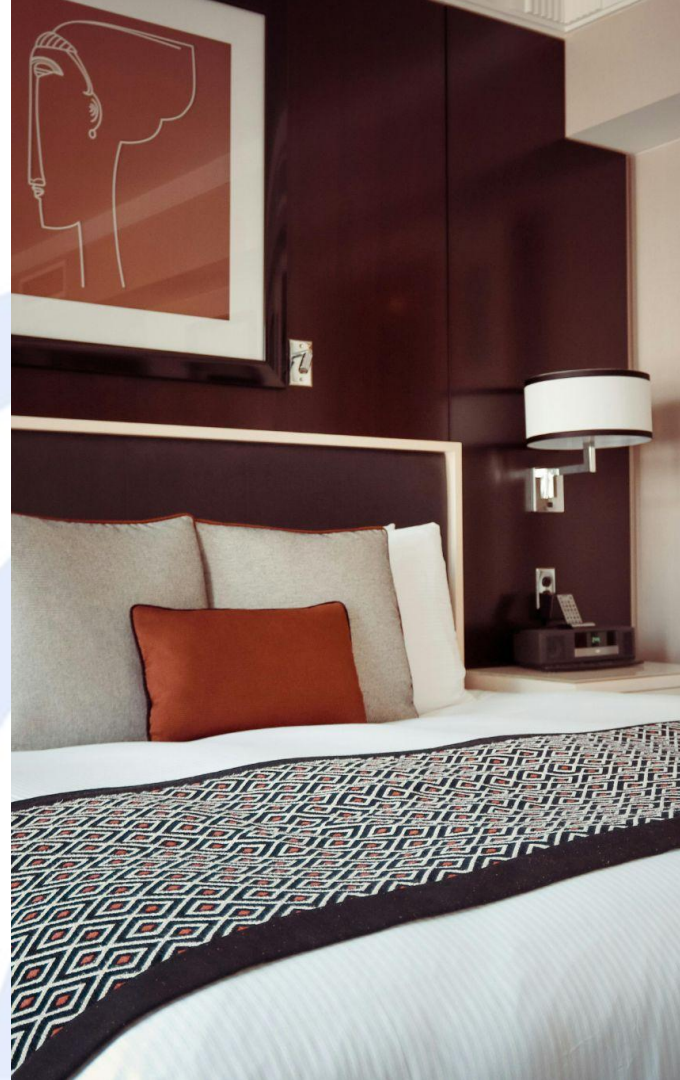
15 Wilga Street, St Julians | Email : Michael.ZMarmara@ikcollection.com

- Economy room at €115 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Superior room at €144 per night on bed & breakfast basis

Holm Boutique & Spa - 4*

Sqaq Fabri Lane, St Julians | Email : Michael.ZMarmara@ikcollection.com

- Deluxe room at €218 per night on bed & breakfast basis



Recommended Accommodation

St John Boutique Hotel - 4* (within walking distance from conference venue)

Merchants Street, Valletta | Email : gabriel.cortis@axhotelsmalta.com;
sylvain.azzopardi@axhotelsmalta.com

- Single room at €225 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Double room at €245 per night on bed & breakfast basis

The Victoria Hotel - 4*

Gorg Borg Olivier Street, Sliema | Email: gabriel.cortis@axhotelsmalta.com;
sylvain.azzopardi@axhotelsmalta.com

- Single room at €175 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Double room at €185 per night on bed & breakfast basis

Kennedy Nova Hotel - 4*

116 The Strand, Gzira | Email : sales@kennedynova.com

- Single standard room at €82 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Double standard room at €95 per night on bed & breakfast basis



Recommended Accommodation

La Falconeria Boutique Hotel - 4* (within walking distance from conference venue)

62 Melita Street, Valletta | Email : steven@lafalconeria.com

- Standard room at €200 per night on bed & breakfast basis

Corinthia Hotel - 5*

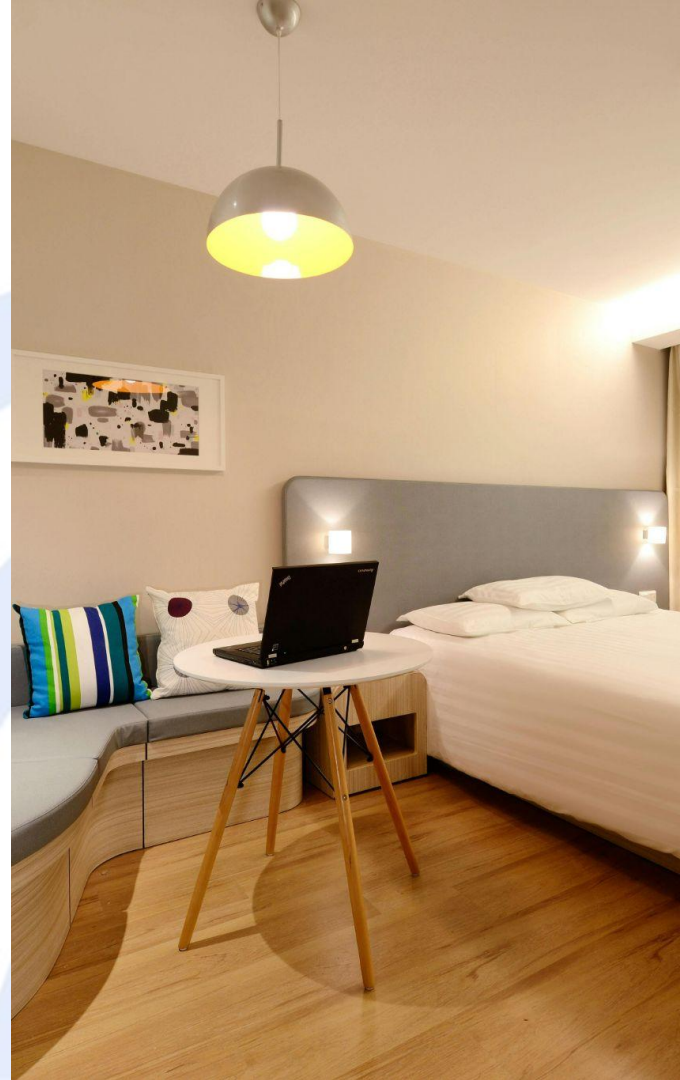
St George's Bay, St Julians | Email : estelle.borg@corinthia.com

- Superior room for sole use at €195 per night on bed & breakfast basis
- Superior room for double use at €215 per night on bed & breakfast basis

Radisson Blu Resort - 5*

St George's Bay, St Julians | Email : estelle.borg@corinthia.com

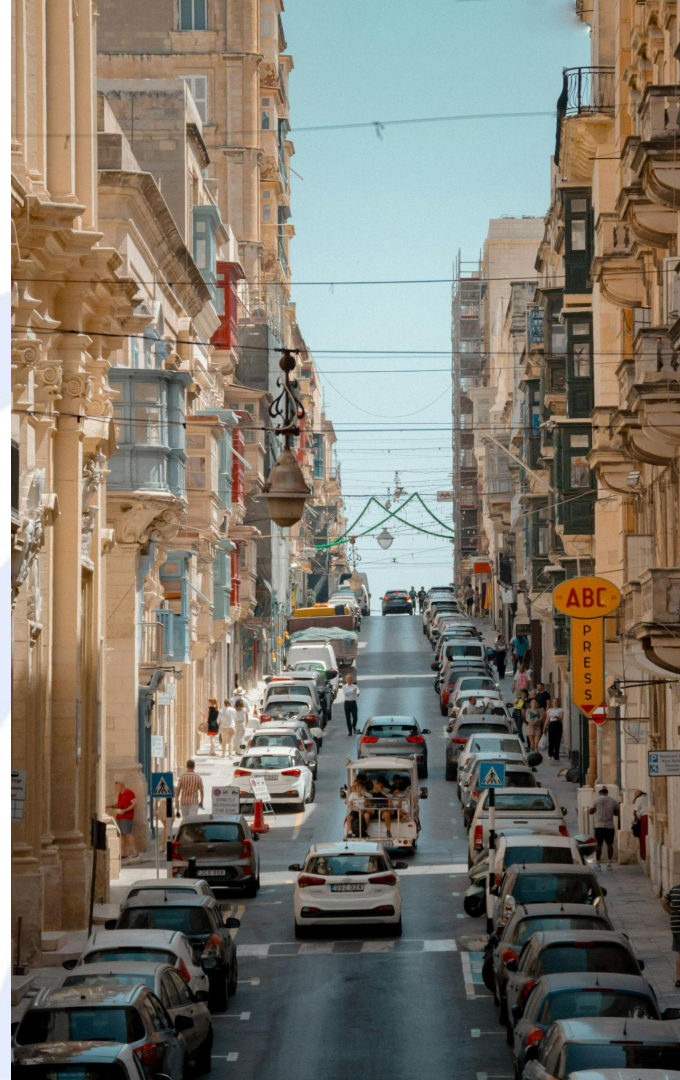
- Superior seaview room for sole use at €190 per night on B&B basis
- Superior seaview room for double use at €210 per night on B&B basis



Recommended Accommodation

For more budget-friendly options, we encourage you to check out **popular accommodation booking platforms** like Booking.com, Airbnb, HostelWorld, etc.

- We advise avoiding accommodations that are far from Valletta (for example, in St Pauls Bay).
- Good advice: for your convenience, [check for a direct bus connection](#). Buses often arrive sooner (or later) than the schedule indicates, which, in case of transfers, can make your trip difficult.
- There is a lot of traffic in Malta, so traveling by public transport **usually takes longer** than the app shows. Please take this into account in your commuting plans.



Food and Drink Recommendations



Breakfast

[Busy Bee Msida](#) - Msida and Sliema

[Bella Sicilia](#) - Sliema



Maltese Cuisine

[Ta' Kris Restaurant](#) - Sliema

[Il-Merill](#) - Sliema

[Gululu](#) - St Julians



Other Recommendations

[San Paolo Naufrago](#) - Valletta

[Trabuxu Bistro](#) - Valletta



[Lovin Malta 2024 Food Recommendations](#)

Lovin Malta runs an annual ranking of restaurants and bars collecting the favorite places of Maltese locals.



Places of interest



**Saint John's
Cathedral**

 [City of Valletta](#)



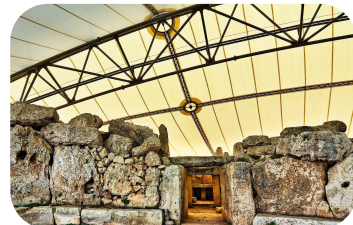
Mdina Old City

 [Mdina](#)



**Hagar Qim
Temples**

 [Qrendi](#)



Blue Grotto

 [Zurrieg](#)



Three Cities

 [Birgu](#)



Riviera Beach

 [Ghajn Tuffieħa](#)



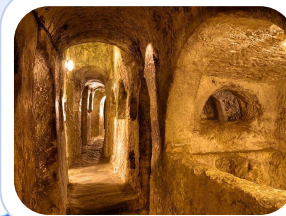
Dingli Cliffs

 [Dingli](#)



Cittadella

 [Victoria, Gozo](#)



**St Paul's
Catacombs**

 [Rabat](#)



Useful Information



Telephone Prefix
+356



Emergency Number 112



Malta Health Centres
<https://www.pharmacy.mt/health-centres/>



Plug
Type G (UK)



Currency
EURO



Drinking tap water is not recommended.



More to explore

[Visit Malta](#)

[Lovin Malta](#)



Malta Public Transport
<https://www.publictransport.com.mt/>



Valletta Ferry Service
(Sliema - Valletta - 3 cities)
<https://vallettaferryservices.com/>



Gozo Fast Ferry (Valletta - Mgarr)
<https://gozofastferry.com/>



Gozo Channel (Mgarr - Gozo)
<https://www.gozochannel.com/>

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