

How to get to the venue

Conference Venue: Hotel Caparena

Hotel Caparena is located in Via Nazionale, 189 - 98039 Taormina ME, Italy.

Hotel Caparena is located adjacent to the small town of Letojanni, which can be also considered as destination for accommodation.

If you are staying nearby, reaching the venue on foot is not suggested, as it is located on a very busy road with no sidewalk.

However, there is a local bus stop IN FRONT of Caparena Hotel (bust stop is called MAZZEO Htl Caparena). From some of the partner hotels, shuttle service is provided ([check accommodation info for more details](#))

Catania Fontanarossa "Vincenzo Bellini" International Airport is located around 64 kms from Hotel Caparena (45 minutes more or less by car)

Flight connections to Catania

Catania Fontanarossa International Airport is a well-served flight destination and the best way to reach the venue. The airport has several flight connections to the major Italian and European cities, so we strongly advise you to look for a direct flight to Catania.

Click here to know more about the destinations:

<https://www.aeroporto.catania.it/en/destinations?category=italia-en>

From Catania Airport Fontanarossa Train Station

At the airport, you will find the **Fontanarossa Airlink bus** just outside the arrivals terminal, that will take you to the near Catania Aeroporto Fontanarossa Train Station

https://www.trenitalia.com/it/treni_regionali/sicilia/fontanarossa-airlink.html

In order to buy the ticket you should select departure from "Catania Aeroporto Fontanarossa Bus" Station (1 Euro plus fare).

Local trains are scheduled on a regular basis to **Taormina - Giardini station** or **Letojanni Train Station** (about 1h 15min – 1h 30min hour journey).

Click here to know more about the train service:

<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>

From Catania Airport by direct bus

There are direct bus services between Catania Airport and Taormina provided by

Etna Trasporti bus company <https://www.etnatrasporti.it/aeroporto-catania/>

Interbus Line <https://www.interbus.it/>

In order to book the ticket from the airport, please select AEROPORTO – CATANIA as departure

Duration 1h 15min – 1h 30min .

Departure from Catania Airport, final destination is Taormina Terminal Bus (Bus Station).

Then from Taormina Bus station you can take a taxi to Hotel Caparena/your hotel depending on the distance.

Or you can take a local bus depending on your final destination: check here <https://www.interbus.it/>

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

By taxi

At the airport, you will also find taxis available just outside the arrivals terminal.

Rent a car

If you prefer to rent a car, you will find several car rental companies at the airport.


Click here to know more about the available companies:

<https://www.aeroporto.catania.it/en/rent-a-car>

Private Transfer services from Catania airport to Taormina

For private transfers you can contact

info@sicilycarservice.com

WhatsApp direct line 

Cesare: +393331606317

Luciano: +393284817474

- Car €132 (VAT included) 3-4 people depending on the luggage
- minivan up to 6pax €176 (VAT included)
- minivan up to 8pax €198 (VAT included)

The rates are daytime from 7.00 am to 6.30 pm, for different times you can contact the supplier directly

LOCAL TRANSPORTATION

Public transportation between Taormina and Hotel Caparena

Direct bus from Taormina bus station to the venue (around 15 minutes): get off at Mazzeo-Htl Caparena stop <https://www.interbus.it/>

Ticket 1,90€ one way

Public transportation between Letojanni and Hotel Caparena

Direct bus from LETOJANNI (Piazza Cagli bus stop) to the venue (7 minutes, look for the direct ones only)

Get off at Mazzeo-Htl Caparena

Ticket 1,90€ one way

Transportation from the partner hotels to Hotel Caparena

If you are staying in one of the partner hotels Albatros Beach in Letojanni or Una Hotel Naxos Beach in Taormina, transportation to and from the Conference Venue will be provided by the Conference in the morning and in the evening of each conference day.