

Practical information

COTE Summer School / 3 - 7 June 2019



1) Getting to the city center

Firstly, you will need to purchase a ticket to ride on the bus or tramway (same ticket for both). Ticket kiosks can be found at all tram stops, in front of the airport and of the train station, where you can buy an array of different types of tickets. Alternatively, you can purchase single ride tickets (only) from bus drivers. Choose a type of ticket (1, 5 or 10 trips ticket depending on how often you will ride with public transport) and select the total number of tickets (not rides!) you wish to purchase (i.e. 1x 5 trips-ticket). Don't forget to validate your ticket at the yellow or white machines once you get on the bus/tram, it is then good for an hour. If you have a connection, you need to validate again when you get on the second bus/tram.

At the airport, take the bus n°1 (stop 'Aéroport' in front of Terminal B) in direction of 'Gare St-Jean'. This bus goes from the airport to the main train station via the city center (~45 mins). When arriving by train, the tram C will bring you to the city center. The stop is in front of the train station, take the tram C in direction of 'Parc des Expositions' or 'Stade Matmut-Atlantique'.

Public transport website: https://www.infotbm.com/en

2) Accommodation before and after the Summer School

If you travel to Bordeaux by plane, arriving at the airport on Monday morning is not possible: you will not get to the pickup location in time. Therefore you will need to spend the night of June 2nd in Bordeaux. Our recommandations (relatively cheap and well situated) are:

Appart'Hôtel Bordeaux, Appart'City Bordeaux Centre ***

- Apartment style accomodation
- About 54 € / night
- Near the Tram A station 'Gaviniès' (This tram brings you directly to Stalingrad, the meeting point)

Youth Hostel «Auberge de Jeunesse»

- Hostel style accomodation
- Address: 22 Cours Barbey in Bordeaux
- About 24 € / night

3) Getting to the Summer School location in Cadillac

The Summer School classes take place in Cadillac, on the outskirts of Bordeaux. A private shuttle bus will bring all participants from Bordeaux to Cadillac on Monday morning, and back to Bordeaux on Friday afternoon. On Monday morning (June 3th), the shuttle bus will leave at 8:00 a.m. from Place Stalingrad. Therefore, meeting time and location are 7:45 a.m. at the Blue Lion statue next to the 'Stalingrad' stop (tramway A). We will be there waiting for you.

On Friday afternoon (June 7th), the same private bus will leave Cadillac at 5 p.m, you will be back in Bordeaux (place Stalingrad) around 6:30 p.m.

4) Accommodation during the Summer School

You will be accommodated for the nights of June 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th at the Hotel*** Château de la Tour in Cadillac. There will be two persons in each room.

5) Administrative formalities

Don't hesitate to ask for any document or information you might need.

6) Student presentations

The student flash presentations on Monday afternoon are very short oral presentation (2 minutes: who you are, where you are from, and briefly what you do), you will not need slides.

For the report by students on Friday afternoon, you will have to do a group work on a subject that we will communicate at the beginning of the Summer School. It will be linked to the courses of the week. Each group will work on a different subject and the best presentation will be awarded with some very good Bordeaux wine.

7) Contact

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