
Practical information about InSEA2011

Dear Congress Participants, there are only few days left until the 33d World Congress of InSEA in Budapest. We are looking forward with great pleasure to meeting over 500 registered delegates from 61 countries all around the world! Here is some useful information before You leave home.

Register for events!

We need to book places at the Gala Dinner and our tour organisers are anxious to find out how many participants will choose their post-congress tours. Please, indicate your participation at the [online event registration form](#). If You pay on the spot, You may only use Hungarian Forints, the currency of this country. Event prices in Forints are indicated on the website [here](#).

Venues and registration times

The **Research Pre-Conference** starts with **registration at 8 a. m. on Saturday, 25 June 2011** at the [Moholy-Nagy University of Art and Design](#).

Address: 1121 Budapest, XII. district, Zugligeti út /Street 9-25. [Map](#).

This event is free of charge for registered participants, but a catering fee of 14.500 HUF (about 55 Euro) will be charged. No checks or credit cards accepted – please bring Hungarian cash!

The **Main Congress** starts with **registration at 8 a. m. on Monday, 27 June 2011** at [ELTE University, Faculty of Science](#). Address: 1117 Budapest, Pázmány sétány (Alley) 1/A, North Building, Ground Floor. Please enter the building from the embankment of the river Danube. [Map](#).

Please **bring a proof of payment (bank draft)** for registration!

Exhibition and poster installation / removal

Exhibition installation / removal

Please bring your **exhibition materials** to ELTE, the Main Congress venue from 2.00-6.00 p. m. on Sunday, 26 June or from 8.00-9.00 a. m. on Monday, 27 June. Students will assist You with hanging.

Poster installation / removal

Please bring your **exhibition materials** to ELTE, the Main Congress venue on the day of your poster presentation from 8.00-9.00 each day (see Program). Please remove your poster on the same day between 5.00-6.00 p. m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 27-29 June and between 1.00 and 2.00 p. m. on Thursday, 30 June. Students will assist You with hanging.

Program Booklet

The latest version of the Congress Program can be downloaded in pdf format from [here](#). Please check this for latest scheduling information. A printed version of the Program, the Book of Abstracts and the Congress DVD with more than 250 full papers will help You decide which of the 12-16 parallel sections to go to. your bag, the finalist of the Congress Bag Design Competition of Moholy-Nagy University needs your creative skills when choosing its straps and deciding which of the four different ways to wear the bag!

Wi-fi and computer access

At the Main Congress, Wifi access will be available. SSID: InSEA2011 Password: InSEABudapest
We will have a few computers available in the Speakers' Room, Floor -1, (minus 1, under the ground floor), Room -1.23, for participants to use.

Social events

The Welcome Reception

... where old friends may meet and new friends may get acquainted starts at 7 p. m. on the first day of the Main Congress, Monday, 27 June, at the congress venue. It is free for all registered participants.

The Gala Dinner

..... will be an evening cruise on the Danube on the boat Europa, starting at **6.30 p.m. on 29 June, Wednesday**, with a shuttle bus drive from ELTE, the Main Congress venue. You may book tickets until 6 p . on 27 June, Monday, at the Registration for

Presenter info

Length of presentations

Sessions are of variable length to accommodate different kinds of presentations. Please check the program and be sure to design your presentation accordingly. your Session Chair (name indicated in the Program) will briefly introduce You and help You keep time.

Presentation upload, equipment available

We will have a PC and a projector in each room. Bring your presentation on a USB to upload to the central computer of the congress, at the **Speakers' Room, Floor -1, Room -1.23**. Our technician will be available to upload your presentation from 8.00 a. m. till 6.00 p. m.

Currency exchange

In Hungary, the local currency is the Hungarian Forint (HUF). Today's rates are 1 Euro = 269 HUF, 1 US Dollar = 190 HUF. (See [currency converter](#) for actual exchange rates.)

Transport

Airport shuttle

There is an [airport shuttle called Minibus](#) that takes you right to the congress venue for about 18 Euro. Link to the fares:

Here is the link to [online reservation](#) (although You do not have to do this, You may just ask for a transfer in the arrival hall at the Minibus stand).

Taxi

Use our **jitney service** to get the best available prices for your taxi transfers!

Call the number **+36 1 2-222-333** or **+36 70-2-222-333** or send a mail to rendel@mactaxi.hu or take a MAXTAXI with reference to the **code „Insea”** for the following discounted rates:

Airport – Pest side:	HUF 4.800
Pest side – Airport:	HUF 4.000
Airport – Buda side:	HUF 5.300
Buda side – Airport:	HUF 4.500

ELTE - Hotel Flamenco:	HUF 1.200
ELTE - Hotel Mercure Duna:	HUF 1.200

ELTE – Hotel Cosmo:	HUF 1.400
ELTE – Hotel Promenade:	HUF 1.400
ELTE - Hotel Metro:	HUF 1.800
ELTE – Hotel Star Inn Centrum:	HUF 1.600
ELTE – Hotel Atlas City:	HUF 1.400
ELTE – Hotel Star City:	HUF 1.500

Public transport

If you wish to **travel by BKV public transport** in Budapest, we recommend you to buy travel cards (24 hour, 72 hour or 7-day travel cards or Budapest Cards) as our ticket system is relatively complicated. These travel cards can be used simply without ticket validation for any number of trips within their time of validity. The following travel cards are available at main underground ticket offices:

- [Budapest 24-hour travel card](#): HUF 1.550
- [Budapest 72-hour travel card](#): HUF 3.850
- [Budapest Seven-day travel card](#): HUF 4.600

Budapest card

It is a [discount card for tourists](#), which is valid for 24, 48 or 72 hours and offers more than 150 different discounts for visitors to Budapest such as:

- free use of the BKV public transport system
- 50% discount for MAHART Passnave boat cruises
- 10-100% discount from the tickets to the capital's best museums
- 10% discount from the tickets to the largest thermal baths and lidos
- 10-25% discount for cultural events, restaurants and cafés

Budapest Card is on sale at the Tourist Information Offices, at most hotels, at the airport and at main underground ticket offices.

- Budapest Card **24h**: HUF 5.500
- Budapest Card **48h**: HUF 6.900
- Budapest Card **72h**: HUF 8.300
- Budapest Card **Walking 48h**: HUF 4.900 ***new***

"ArtExchange"

Please see details on the congress web site [here](#). Participants can bring their artwork to the congress venue and hand it in for exhibition at the registration desk, no later than Monday, June 27, 10 a. m. Un-exchanged art work may be retrieved from the Registration on 30 June from 9.00-13.0 a. m.

Excursions

Please see details on the congress web site [here](#). You can still register and pay for tours until 27 June, 5 p. m. at the Registration. Look for the shield "TOURS"!

Invoice

Those who have not received invoices may ask for one, showing proof of their bank transfer at the Registration.

We are all thrilled about Your visit, welcome to Budapest!

InSEA 2011 Budapest Congress Organisers

Budapest, 17 June 2011