



Dear Delegates,

In less than a week the **Tourist destinations at a crossroads - Space, community, products, politics and evolutionary processes in the age of transitions** conference at **Rovira i Virgili University (URV)** in Spain begins! We really hope you are looking forward to joining us at this year's ATLAS Annual Conference.

Address URV

Rovira i Virgili University (URV)
Faculty of Tourism and Geography (FTG)
Carrer de Joanot Martorell, 15
43480 Vila-seca
<https://goo.gl/maps/Shm9ypK6d17jxH9f9>

How to get to the campus

See document on the website at:

[Transportation options](#)

PhD Seminar Tuesday

On Tuesday June 17 we will welcome the students of the PhD seminar at 9.00 at **Rovira i Virgili University (URV) - Faculty of Tourism and Geography (FTG)**. The participating students will receive the necessary information separately before the conference.

ATLAS Board Meeting Tuesday

At 15.00 we will welcome the ATLAS Board members in the **Rovira i Virgili University (URV) - Faculty of Tourism and Geography (FTG)** and we will walk together to the Meeting Room.

ATLAS Welcome Reception Tuesday

The ATLAS welcome reception will take place at the Vila-seca Wine Cellar. All delegates are welcome to join us at 18.00 to meet and register while enjoying a drink and hors d'oeuvre.

Antic Celler de Vila-seca (Vila-seca Wine Cellar)

Carrer dels Castillejos, 21

43480 Vila-seca

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/NGnMKPoAnzGYVwH8A>

Transfers from the recommended hotels have been arranged.

See document on the website at:

[Transportation options](#)

Lunches

The lunches during the conference will be served at **Rovira i Virgili University (URV) - Faculty of Tourism and Geography (FTG)**.

Water fountains

There will be two water fountains available at FTG. We recommend participants to bring their own bottle to refill.

Social program

See document on the website at:

[Field Trips and Social Dinner](#)

Information for the host in 8 questions

The conference host has prepared an online form to inform them about the hotel reservations, food choices, optional activities, of the participants. That will help them greatly with the preparation and assistance: <https://forms.office.com/e/1p1uPZg9zk>

Please take a minute to fill in the 8 questions.

WIFI at the URV Campus

At the campus you can use EDUROAM. If you do not have an EDUROAM account there will be a dedicated WIFI account for delegates accessible at the campus. The login details will be available at the conference desk.

Conference program

We have already sent you the **provisional** conference program. We do not expect major changes to occur, but small changes can still occur. We will not print the program, so if you would like to have a printed version, please print it yourselves. Before and during the conference the latest version of the program will also be available on the dedicated website and can also be accessed by using a QR code.

Session chairs

In the program we also included the session chairs. If you volunteered for this task, please check which session you are supposed to chair. The **instructions for the workshop chairs** can be found at the end of this letter.

Paper presenters

For those who will be presenting a paper, Power Point facilities (laptops and projectors) will be available in all rooms. Please bring your presentation on a USB stick and arrive a few minutes before the start of your session to upload your presentation in good time. The **instructions for paper presenters** can be found at the end of this letter.

Abstract book and Book of extended abstracts

We will **NOT** print the Abstract books in order to help reduce our environmental footprint and reduce waste. The **abstract book** and **the book of extended abstracts** can be found on the dedicated website, made available for conference delegates only. If you would like to have the books in paper format, we would ask you to print it yourselves.

Best paper presentation

Traditionally we ask all delegates to nominate a presenter in the workshop program who did an excellent job in presenting his/her paper. Forms are available at the conference desk and can also be returned there. The winner will be announced and honoured in the closing session.

QR Code

During the conference a QR code will be available. After scanning the QR code you will access a dedicated website, for delegates only, where you can find the most updated versions of:

- Conference program
- This final information letter for delegates
- Abstract book
- Book of extended abstracts
- ATLAS Reflections
- Transportation options
- Field Trips and Social Dinner
- Industry Policy Round Table



The dedicated website can also be found here:

<https://atlas-euro.org/2025-6-vila-seca-information-for-delegates/>

Notice on conference photography and filming

Please be aware that the ATLAS / URV team will be taking photographs and filming the conference. These photographs and films may be published, transmitted or broadcast in official ATLAS / URV publications and publicity materials, including the ATLAS website, ATLAS FB, LinkedIn or YouTube account and may be circulated to the press and other broadcast media and internet sites for publication, transmission or broadcast. Please be aware that the images will be available in countries where there is no data protection legislation. If you do not wish to appear in any images captures, please let us know so we can take the appropriate steps to make sure you are not included. If you have any questions, please contact the ATLAS staff at the registration desk.

COVID-19

There are currently no Covid-19 measures in place in Spain. However, there are recommendations to limit the spread of the corona- and other viruses.



Wash
hands
regularly



Cough and
sneeze
into elbow



Avoid physical
contact and
handshakes



Complaints? Don't
come to the
conference and test

Emergencies

Only in case of emergency you can contact the conference crew by phone via the following number: +31-6-2397 2985.

For questions about conference issues, please ask these at the conference desk or contact admin@atlas-euro.org.

We hope you will have a safe journey. We very much look forward to welcoming you in Vila-seca!

Best wishes,
The ATLAS-URV Team ☺

Guidelines for session presenters



Timing

Each session presentation at the conference has been allocated 30 minutes, unless the session chair reports otherwise. This means 15 minutes for your presentation and 15 minutes for discussion. Please do not overrun the 15 minutes presentation, as this limits the time available for discussion and may limit the time available for the presentations that follow. Session chairs have been instructed to apply the 30 minutes time limits to all papers.

Format

Each session will include a discussion session, giving the audience time to react to the papers presented. In your presentation, please try to concentrate on the major issues which your paper raises, rather than the presentation or too much factual background. Delegates will be able to read this information for themselves either after the presentation or in the conference publication.

Audio-visual equipment

All session rooms are equipped with a computer and a projector to be used for Power Point presentations. Please bring your presentation on a USB stick and arrive a few minutes before the start of your session to upload your presentation in good time.

It is advised to also save your presentation as a PDF file. In case the platform at the laptops in the session rooms is different than the platform you are using, you can fall back on the PDF which can be used on both platforms (Android and Apple).

Publication of abstracts and extended abstracts/working papers

All abstracts and extended abstracts/working papers have been published in the abstract book and the book of extended abstract (with ISBN). These books are available in PDF for all registered participants ONLINE behind the QR code.

Full paper

The deadline for submitting your full paper is September 10th, 2025. The text should be as plain as possible, with a minimum of bold, italics or underlining. Please send your paper in WORD format to admin@atlas-euro.org.

Guidelines for session chairs



Each session presentation at the conference has been allocated 30 minutes, unless the session chair (you) reports otherwise, especially when there are too many presentations in the session.

Your task as chair will be to introduce the speakers, keep the presentations to the allotted time and to facilitate the discussion.

Each session presenter has been informed that they have 15 minutes to present in order to allow sufficient time for discussion. In practice many presentations will run over time, but you should warn people about the time at 15 minutes and then stop the presentation at 20 minutes if needed. This will ensure that there is sufficient time for discussion and will also prevent the later speakers in the session from losing presentation time. It is also important to keep the time in case delegates wish to move between sessions.

At the end of each presentation you should invite questions from the audience. Please have at least one question ready for the speaker in case none comes quickly from the participants. Once the first question has been asked, others will usually follow.

Please make sure to arrive a few minutes early if you can, in order to check if the equipment is working. If there are any problems with the equipment, there will be technicians / students on hand. Please report any problems to the conference desk.