



FoodConference

Perugia

Registration

Thank you for your submission to the Food Conference Perugia, 2022 edition. The fees and registration form are available [HERE](http://WWW.UMBRA.ORG/UMBRA-BIENNIAL-FOOD-CONFERENCE-FEES-REGISTRATION/) [WWW.UMBRA.ORG/UMBRA-BIENNIAL-FOOD-CONFERENCE-FEES-REGISTRATION/]. You will receive an email from the Institute with a link to an electronic invoice. Please pay this invoice by **May 15th** in order to register for the food conference and avoid late fees. The Gala Dinner can also be paid for upon arrival. If you have any questions about registration, contact Zachary Nowak at ZNOWAK@ISIABROAD.ORG.

Accommodations in Perugia

While there are many hotels in Perugia, we've selected the six below for vicinity to the Institute buildings and for a range of price. These prices are only indicative—to get an up-to-date price, please contact the hotel directly and

Hotel Fortuna -- Via Bonazzi 19
+39 075.572.2845
fortuna@umbriahotels.com
Single room 60 Euros
Double room single use 70 Euros
Double standard 95 Euros

Hotel Priori -- Via Vermiglioli 3
+39 075 5725155
hotel.priori@gmail.com
Single room 130 Euros
Double room single use 140 Euros
Double standard 160 Euros

Hotel Europa -- Viale Pompeo Pellini, 19
+39 075 572 6883
info@hoteleuropapg.com
Double room single use 50 Euros
Double standard 70 Euros

Little Italy Hostel -- Via della Nespola 1
+39 075 966 1997
info@littleitalyhostel.it
Shared mixed dorm 20 Euros
Single room 45 Euros
4 people private room 64 Euros
Double room 49 Euros

Hotel Giò Wine e Jazz Area -- Via Ruggero D'Andreotto, 19
+39 075 573 1100
reception@hotelgio.it
Double room single use 70 Euros
Double standard 86 Euros

Perugia Plaza Hotel -- Via Palermo, 88
+39 075 34643
perugiaplaza@umbriahotels.com
12% discount on bookings and restaurant meals

We also recommend that you try AirBnB for available apartments in the historic center.

Getting to Perugia

From Rome – More than likely you will arrive at Rome’s Leonardo Da Vinci airport, referred to as Roma Fiumicino (FCO). You have two choices for getting to Perugia: bus and train. There is an ATM (called a “bancomat” in Italian) inside the airport; American bank cards will work with a fee. While you can pay for train tickets with a credit card, the Sulga bus only takes cash.



By bus – The bus run by the Sulga company will take you from the airport directly to Perugia, to Piazza Partigiani bus station, a walk and some escalators away from the historic center. The bus ride is about three and a half hours and, at last check, €19.90. You can check timetables in English at the Sulga site, WWW.SULGA.IT. Look for destination “Perugia – Piazza Partigiani.” To go to Perugia with Sulga, exit the terminal and walk to your right along the sidewalk. Above at right you can see a photo from Google maps: you will be exiting the airport on the right of the picture, and have to go down the sidewalk to the bus area (you can see it in the very end, in the middle of the Google photo). Look for the bus with SULGA written on the side, or ask the bus drivers there where the Sulga bus is (you can also just say “Perugia” and most will understand and indicate the bus). You have to buy your ticket online.



You will arrive at the Piazza Partigiani bus station. Exit, cross the street, and follow other people up the steps and escalators, through the Pauline Fortress, and out into Piazza Italia. At the far end of Perugia’s main street, Corso Vanucci, you’ll see the Fontana Maggiore, the side of cathedral, and the main piazza.

By train – Depending on your arrival time and how long it takes to collect your bags, it may make better sense to take the trains. As you exit customs, go right while still inside the airport, following the train icons. You’ll have to go down an escalator or elevator, under the street, and back up to the FCO train station. On your right as you enter you will see a counter where you can buy your overpriced ticket to Rome’s main station, Roma Termini. Just say “Roma Termini.” You can also buy a train ticket all the way through to Perugia. The train will leave from one of the two tracks and forty minutes later you will be at Rome’s station. You can try to use the automats or go in the ticket lines to get your ticket to Perugia. Be aware that depending on connections, you may or may not have to change trains at either Foligno or Terontola (see the map below). Remember to stamp your tickets in the little machines on the tracks. Fast trains have assigned seats: see your ticket.

There are several secondary train stations before the main one in Perugia. Do *not* get off at Perugia Ponte San Giovanni, Perugia Università, or Perugia Ospedale. The correct station says simply “Perugia” on the blue sign. You can take a taxi from in front of the station, but the easiest way to get to the center is the light-rail network, the MiniMetrol. Go to the end of Track 1 to the station with the elevated red rails coming out of it. The system closes at 9:20pm evenings, 8:30pm Sundays and holidays. Tickets are an extortionary €1.50. Go towards the “Stazione Pincetto,” where you will get off. Take the elevators or escalators up and follow the rest of the people to Piazza Matteotti, just parallel to Perugia’s main street.



From Pisa or Florence – There are easy albeit slow train connections from both the Pisa and Florence airports. From the former, take the train direct to the main Florence train station, Firenze Santa Maria Novella (Firenze S.M. Novella), where you can take a train either direct to Perugia (the last station will be Foligno) or transfer at Terontola and then on to Perugia.

From the Florence airport (“Amerigo Vespucci International Airport,” FLR) there is a ATAF-SITA “Vola in Bus” service to the Florence main train station.

In Perugia – Once you reach the center of Perugia, you will see the long main pedestrian street, Corso Vannucci, and the main piazza, Piazza IV Novembre. From the the Corso, go left around the Fountain and through the large portal indicated here. The stairs up to the Institute is on your right at the top of the ramp.



UMBRIA RAILWAY MAP



Note that these train prices are not current.

Taxi – Should you want to take a taxi in Perugia, call + 39 075.500.4888. Some addresses of hotels are above. Please quote the “Food Conference” when you make your hotel reservation. The Umbra Institute is located at Piazza IV Novembre, 23.

Please feel free to email MBARBATO@UMBRA.ORG for more information. If you need any real-time help, when arriving in June, contact anyone on staff at Umbra at +39 075.775.0101.