

International seminar

A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON THE PROTECTION OF CULTURAL PROPERTY THROUGH CRIMINAL LAW

03-04 February 2017
IMT School for Advanced Studies
Lucca, Italy
(San Francesco Complex - Piazza San Francesco 19)



PRACTICAL INFORMATION

- ◆ **DATE AND VENUE:** the International seminar “A new perspective on the protection of cultural property through criminal law” will take place at the **IMT School for Advanced Studies**, Lucca, Italy (San Francesco Complex - Piazza San Francesco 19), starting at 2 p.m. on Friday 3 February, and closing at 2 p.m. on Saturday 4 February 2017.
- ◆ **WORKING LANGUAGES:** the working languages of the international seminar will be English, French and Italian with simultaneous interpretation.
- ◆ **ACCOMMODATION:** participants in the seminar are free to choose their own accommodation in Lucca. However, the following hotels offer a negotiated rate. At the moment of the reservation, which could be made only by phone, please communicate the title of the event (“A new perspective on the protection of cultural property through criminal law”). **Please note that the cost of your accommodation is covered by your daily allowance, which has been fixed at 175 €. No increase is possible.**

- ◆ **Hotel Palazzo Alexander** (<http://www.hotelpalazzoalexander.it/>) –
Via Santa Giustina, 48 – 13 minutes by foot to the seminar venue
Phone number: +39 0583 583610
Prices: 80 € double room for single use; 90 € double room breakfast included.
- ◆ **Hotel Celide** (<http://www.albergocelide.it/>)
Viale G. Giusti, 25
Phone number: +39 0583 954106 - 12 minutes by foot to the seminar venue
Prices: 110 € small double room for single use; 125 € standard double room for single use
- ◆ **Hotel Ilaria** (<http://www.hotelilaria.com/en/>)
Via del Fossi, 26
Phone number: +39 0583 47615 - 4 minutes by foot to the seminar venue
Prices: 75 € double room for single use.

◆ TRANSPORT:

From Pisa International Airport to Lucca

The nearest airport to Lucca is the [Pisa International Airport](#).

- **Bus** travel from Pisa to Lucca is provided by **VAI Bus interurban bus**. Bus no. E03 connects Pisa airport to Lucca city center directly (**the terminus of the bus is at Piazzale Verdi**). The ticket can be bought from the information office in the passenger terminal at the price of 3 €. It can be also purchased directly from the driver at the price of 3.5 €. The bus stop is located just outside the Airport Arrivals area. For more information, [click here](#).

Complete [E03 bus TIMETABLE](#)

- **Trains** to Lucca depart from Pisa Centrale train station.
Pisa Airport - Pisa Centrale train station transfer is provided by the PisaMover Bus service with a timetable departure of every 10 minutes and a journey time of just 8 minutes. At the airport, the stop is located just outside the check-in area. At the Pisa Central Station, the stop is located close to platform 14, from which you can easily reach the other platforms and station's main entrance. The cost is 1.30 € or 2 € depending on whether you buy the ticket at shop or on the bus. Direct trains are called *Regionale* trains. The journey is a little over 30 minutes. Prices are from 3.30€. It is not possible to purchase *Regionale* tickets more than 7 days in advance of the day of travel. **Trains are infrequent on the weekends. For the timetable, please visit the website <http://www.trenitalia.com/tcom-en>**
- The CoTaPi **taxi** company is available at Pisa airport. A taxi from Pisa airport to within Lucca city walls could cost around € 50, and would take about 30 minutes. **Please kindly note that this cost is covered by your daily allowance.**

From Florence airport to Lucca

The IMT School for Advanced Studies can also be easily reached from [Florence Airport](#).

- For your outbound journey, the easiest way to reach IMT from the Florence Airport is by **VAI Bus interurban bus A11**. The bus stop can be found immediately next to the airport. **The terminus of the bus is at Piazzale Verdi** in Lucca. The journey will take maximum one hour and forty minutes. The ticket costs around 6 €, please ask to the information office in the passenger terminal where you can buy it. It can be also purchased directly from the driver with an additional cost of 1 €. **Please kindly note that the bus is not available on Sunday.**

Complete A11 bus [A11 bus TIMETABLE](#)

- For your return journey, especially on Sunday 5 February as there is no bus on Sundays, you have to catch a connecting **train** from Lucca to Florence central city station (Santa Maria Novella station). From Florence central city station, a bus to the airport leaves approximately every 30 minutes. For further information and timetable, please visit the following website: www.fsbusitalia.it. **The whole journey (bus + train) will take approximately two hours.**

[TRAIN TIMETABLE](#)

Please do not forget to check the availability of the connecting change on the website <http://www.trenitalia.com/tcom-en>.

- You can catch a **taxi** from just outside the airport for an approximate cost € 100. **Please kindly note that this cost is covered by your daily allowance.**

From Piazzale Verdi bus station to IMT

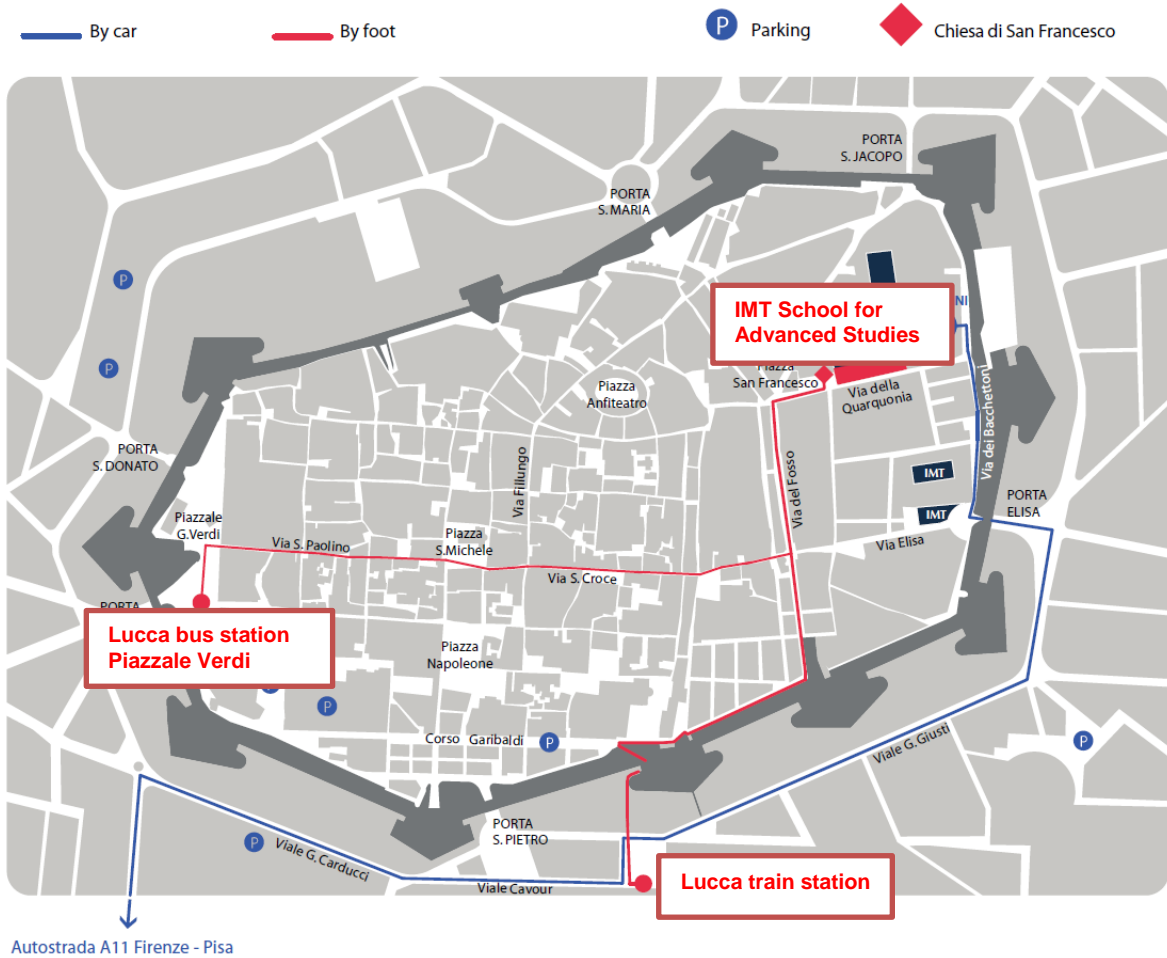
Lucca's bus station is located in [Piazzale Verdi](#) and the IMT is only a 15 minute walk away: take Via S. Paolino, just opposite the tourist information office, and go straight until reaching Piazza S. Michele, easily recognizable for the marvelous white marble church. Cross the square and go on through Via Roma, Piazza Bernardini and Via S. Croce (the same straight path, the names just change). Pass the SS. Gervasio e Protasio Door to arrive at Via Elisa.

To the main IMT building (San Francesco, 19): take Via Elisa through the SS. Gervasio e Protasio Door, take a left onto Via S. Chiara and go straight on until reaching Piazza San Francesco. Here at n° 19 you will find the San Francesco reception.

From the train station to IMT

In order to reach IMT from [Piazzale Ricasoli](#), where the train station is located, you can take a 10 minute walk using the following directions. After you exit the station, cross Piazzale Ricasoli and the road around the walls. Then take the sidewalk in front of the station. Cross the grassy area and go toward the walls. Continue on the path up onto the walls. Once you reach the top of the walls, turn right. Pass the Ristorante-Caffetteria San Colombano on your right. Continue along the wall for 5 to 8 minutes. Take the first left, a slanting path down into the city center. Turn right at the bottom of the slanting path. You will come up to the Botanical garden and see the street sign for Via Micheletto. Turn left on Via Micheletto. This street will curve around the garden to the right until it intersects with Via Elisa.

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- ◆ **VISAS:** participants are invited to [check](#) if they need a visa for Italy. Participants who do need a visa should request a support letter for their visa from the Secretariat of the Council of Europe. Please note that you will still need to follow the procedure indicated by the Italian Consulate in your country.
- ◆ **INSURANCE:** certain specific travel risks are covered by the Council of Europe's travel insurance policy CHARTIS (number 2.004.761), which offers cover to people until their 76th birthday. The telephone help line CHARTIS 24 hour assistance can be called if needed: +32 3 253 69 16. In order to obtain a visa it is not necessary to take out an additional insurance and the price paid for such insurance will not be reimbursed by the Council of Europe.