

# Meeting SMARTBAN #20 Florence, Italy

Florence, Italy 04/10/2019

Invitation to the SMARTBAN#20 meeting to be held on 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in Florence, Italy

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Dear delegate,  On behalf of Chairman of <a href="#">SmartBAN</a> , ETSI has the pleasure of informing you the arrangements for the above-mentioned meeting.	
<b>HOST CONTACT NAME AND DETAILS</b>	Prof. Lorenzo Mucchi lorenzo.mucchi@unifi.it
<b>MEETING VENUE ADDRESS</b>	Engineering School via di S. Marta 3, 50139 Firenze, Italy
<b>MEETING SCHEDULE</b>	The meeting will start on 04 October 2019 at 09:00. The meeting will end on 04 October 2019 at 17:30.
<b>REGISTRATION</b>	Please use this link to <a href="#">REGISTER</a> asap. Non ETSI member are usually not permitted to attend ETSI meetings unless authorized by the Chairman.
<b>VISA</b>	Delegates who require a personal invitation letter for their visa application should read the information available at: <a href="#">Visa formalities and residence permit</a>
<b>DOCUMENTS FOR THE MEETING</b>	Reserve contribution numbers <a href="#">HERE</a> Note that contributions assigned to this meeting can be retrieved from the meeting details page. If in doubt or if your company is not an ETSI member contact <a href="mailto:TBSupport@etsi.org">TBSupport@etsi.org</a>
<b>POWER AND PLUGS</b>	Voltage 220 V Italian style plug
<b>LOCAL INFORMATION</b>	
<b>TRAVEL AND ACCESS INFORMATION</b>	Florence is equipped of the <a href="#">Amerigo Vespucci international airport</a> , (zone of Peretola), situated 4km north from Historical Center. The airport covers many European drafts and often with low cost flights. Peretola is connected to the center of Florence with taxies, shuttle buses and regular buses (ATAF). The <a href="#">Shuttle Bus</a> connects the airport with the railway station of Santa Maria Novella with one rate of 5€ per person. At the airport, it is also possible to rent a car. You can arrive to Florence also using the international <a href="#">airport of Pisa</a> , it is approximately 70km west from Florence. The ticket for the <a href="#">bus</a> that connects the two cities is approximately 7€. The price for a taxi from the airport of Pisa to Florence costs approximately 100€, but you can also choose to use the <a href="#">train</a> (~1 hour) that connects the airport of Pisa with the main railway station of Florence.

	<p><b>By train</b> The main railway station is Firenze SMN (Santa Maria Novella), situated in the city centre and very close to the major tourist attractions. The main station is also the principal node for <a href="#">buses</a> serving the city and surrounding area. Italian railway services are made by <a href="#">Trenitalia</a> and by <a href="#">Italo</a>.</p> <p><b>By car</b> If you arrive in Florence by car, park it and use public transportation or special tourist transportation to reach the chief parts of the city. Pay attention to the notices marking the points of access to the Limited Traffic Zone (ZTL), which corresponds to the historic center (monitored by electronic gates with information in English), to enter which requires previous authorization. If you are looking for accommodation, the hotelier to whom you have applied or the garage where you intend to park can provide you with temporary access to the ZTL according to a specific procedure.</p>
<p><b>LOCAL TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION</b></p>	<p><b>From Florence Airport</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• by Taxi. Taxi are available at the airport. The fare to arrive at the Engineer Faculty (via di S. Marta 3, Firenze) is about € 10-20 (depending on traffic). Time to arrive is about 15-20 min.</li> <li>• by Bus/Surface metro. Tram line T2 is available at the airport (just outside the entrance). To arrive to Engineering Faculty takes about 40-50 min. <a href="https://goo.gl/maps/JadsneWaca22">https://goo.gl/maps/JadsneWaca22</a></li> </ul>

I look forward to seeing you in Florence, Italy.

Yours sincerely

Guillermo Vietti

Technical Officer