

The 9th Conference on Tourism and Hospitality between China and Spain (ICT2019)

Barcelona, September 30th to October 2nd

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Introduction

In its 9th edition, the International Conference on Tourism and Hospitality between China and Spain (ICTCHS 2019) will be held at Barcelona, Spain, from September 30th to October 2nd. The conference has both academic and industrial parts.

Regarding the academic part, all original contributions that help in understanding of Asian-Western tourism relationships, Chinese tourism, Spain tourism and current important world tourism issues are welcome to submit to the conference.

The industrial part of the conference is for the tourism and hospitality professionals. Are under call all the papers that can promote the cooperation between China and Spain.

Barcelona, the cosmopolitan capital Catalonia region (Spain), is best known for its art and architecture. The marvelous Sagrada Família church and other modernist landmarks designed by Antoni Gaudí garnish the city. The Museum of Picasso, las Ramblas street, Barcelona football team Stadium and the sea promenade are a few of its admired attractions. Social events include walking tours around Barcelona old town, gothic quarter, sea promenade, las Ramblas...

The conference will be held at the Autonomous University of Barcelona - School of Tourism and Hotel Management (EUTDH), located at Barcelona (1 hour from Barcelona City Airport and 40 minutes from Barcelona city centre *Plaça Catalunya*). Participants will have special rates at Hotel EXE Campus, located in the same building as the school.

1. Important dates

1.1. Abstract submission deadlines

- First Call for papers. Submit before May 1st
Notification of acceptance of abstracts May 15th
- Second Call for Papers. Submit before May 20th
Notification of acceptance of abstracts June 3rd

1.2. Registration deadlines

Full conference registration:

- Early registration May 15th to June 21st
- Regular registration June 22st to July 21st
- Late registration July 22nd to Sept. 29th

Student registration

- Early registration May 15th to June 21st
- Late registration: June 22st to Sept. 29th

1.3. For the industry and enterprises

- You are welcome to submit abstracts according to the conference themes. Please, use the abstract submission deadlines.
- Note that the subject should not be directly linked to your own company commercial activities.
- If you want to give a talk related directly to your own company, you should become a sponsor. Here is the information about how to be a sponsor: <<https://bit.ly/2vC4p2r>>

2. Submission

2.1. All the papers that address the following topics are under call

- Asian-Western tourism relationships (e.g. barriers to travel, development, workforce, new technologies, economy, etc.)
- Chinese tourism (e.g. destination development, outbound tourism, religious tourism, tourist behavior, governance, etc.).
- Tourism in Spain (e.g. overtourism, destination, education, tourism impacts, tourist experience, events tourism, etc.)
- Important world tourism issues (e.g. sustainability, safety, global economy, tourism impacts, tourism and indigenous populations, etc.)

2.2. Submission instructions

- You should submit a **one-page abstract** in PDF format in **English language**. Please, use the following template <https://bit.ly/2Ve8ngY>
- If you don't have an Easychair System account, you should go to www.easychair.org and sign up.
- When you have an Easychair account, you can login and submit your abstract. The submission page is: <https://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=ict20191>

2.3. Submission deadline

- Submit before **May 20th**
Notification of acceptance **June 3rd**

2.4. For the industry and enterprises

- Please, also follow the submission deadline and guidelines. Submit your abstract at the easychair submission page: <https://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=ict20191>

3. Conference Registration fees

3.1. Full conference registration

- Attendance and participation at all conference sessions and presentations, including plenary addresses and parallel sessions. Attendance & participation certificate.
- Conference lunch and coffee breaks on the days of the conference.
- Social events, including Barcelona guided tours and gala dinner.
- Summary of work and abstracts in printed and digital conference documents.

Early registration deadline	June 21 st	€250
Regular registration deadline	July 21 st	€350
Late registration deadline	September 29 th	€450

3.2. Student registration

- Attendance and participation at all conference sessions and presentations, including plenary addresses and parallel sessions. Attendance & participation certificate.
- Coffee breaks on the days of the conference.
- Summary of work and abstracts in printed and digital conference documents.

Early registration deadline	June 21 st	€90
Late registration deadline	September 29 th	€160

Note 1: Everyone, students included, are able to register for a full conference registration if preferred.

Note 2: Before the student registration payment, you must send a valid proof of studentship (ID Card, proof of enrollment, etc.) to ict2019@china-spain.org

Note 3: Student registration is only available if the student is the first author

Note 4: Please, take into consideration that the student registration does not include social events or conference meals. Special considerations: ict2019@china-spain.org

3.4. Industry and enterprise participants registration

- Everything included in the “full conference registration”.
- If you want to give a talk and an introduction to your company, you should become a sponsor. Please use the following link for further information.

Early registration deadline	June 21 st	€250
Late registration deadline	September 29 th	€300

3.5. Registration instructions

- This section will be updated soon. Please, use the following links, the updated information will be posted there soon.

www.china-spain.org

<http://tudistar.com/ict2019/>

4. Confirmed keynote speakers

Dr. Bartolomé Deyá Tortella

Vice dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business. University of Balearic Islands.



Dr. Gemma Cànoves

Full professor. Geography Department. Autonomous University of Barcelona



5. Prospective agenda

September 30th

Time	Agenda	Group	Venue
08:15 - 09:15	Registration		Hotel Exe Campus
09:20 - 09:50	Opening Ceremony		Hotel Exe Campus
10:00 - 10:20	Keynote Speech (1)		Hotel Exe Campus
10:20 - 10:40	Keynote Speech (2)		Hotel Exe Campus
10:40 - 11:00	Keynote Speech (3)		Hotel Exe Campus
11:00 - 11:05	Group Photo		Hotel Exe Campus
11:05 - 11:30	Coffee Break		
11:30 - 13:00	Parallel Sessions	G-1	EUTDH Classroom 1
11:30 - 13:00	Parallel Sessions	G-2	EUTDH Classroom 2
13:00 - 14:30	Conference Lunch	Buffet	Hotel Exe Campus
14:30 - 17:00	Parallel Sessions	G-3	EUTDH Classroom 1
14:30 - 17:00	Parallel Sessions	G-4	EUTDH Classroom 2
19:00 - 21:00	*Free-time evening for all participants **Dinner for Committee Members and Keynote Speakers		

October 1st

Time	Agenda	Venue
08:30 - 09:00	Registration	EUTDH Sala de Graus
09:00 - 09:20	Keynote Speech 4	EUTDH Sala de Graus
09:20 - 09:40	Keynote Speech 5	EUTDH Sala de Graus
09:45 - 11:00	Parallel Sessions Group 5	EUTDH Classroom 1
09:45 - 11:00	Parallel Sessions Group 6	EUTDH Classroom 2
11:00 - 11.30	Coffee Break	EUTDH Sala de Graus
11:30 - 11:50	Keynote Speech 6	EUTDH Sala de Graus
11:50 - 12:10	Keynote Speech 7	EUTDH Sala de Graus
12:10 - 13:30	Parallel Sessions Group 7	EUTDH Classroom 1
12:10 - 13:30	Parallel Sessions Group 8	EUTDH Classroom 2
13:30 - 15:00	Conference Lunch Buffet	Hotel Exe Campus
15:00 - 17:00	Parallel Sessions Group 9	EUTDH Classroom 1
15:00 - 17:00	Parallel Sessions Group 10	EUTDH Classroom 2
17:30	Social Agenda: Brief tour and Conference Gala Dinner in Barcelona 17:30 Meeting point 1: Hotel EXE - in Campus (Google Maps - Link) 19:45 Meeting Point 2: Restaurant (Google Maps – Link)	

October 2nd

Time	Agenda
10:00 - 13:00	<p>Social Agenda:</p> <p>Guided Tour in Barcelona: medieval Old town and Modernist city tour. (Either start at meeting point 1 or meeting point 3)</p> <p>09:00 Meeting point 1: Hotel EXE - in Campus (Google Maps - Link)</p> <p>09:50 Meeting point 3: Plaça Catalunya - in Barcelona city center (Google Maps - Link)</p>

Important locations

- **Hotel EXE Campus (Barcelona)**
Vila Universitària, Campus UAB, 贝拉特拉, 加泰罗尼亚, 08193, 西班牙.
[Baidu Maps](#), [Google Maps](#), [Apple Maps](#)
- **EUTDH - Escola Universitaria de Turisme i Direcció Hotelera (Barcelona)**
Edificio Blanco, Campus UAB, 08193 Cerdanyola del Vallès, Barcelona, 西班牙
[Baidu Maps](#), [Google Maps](#), [Apple Maps](#)
- **Meeting Point 1: Outside of the Hotel EXE Campus. Close to the main entrance**
[Baidu Maps](#), [Google Maps](#), [Apple Maps](#)
- **Meeting point 2: Restaurant – to be updated soon**
Baidu Maps, Google Maps, Apple Maps:
- **Meeting point 3: Monument a Francesc Macià, Barcelona, Plaça Catalunya**
Plaça de Catalunya, 08002 Barcelona, 西班牙
[Baidu Maps](#), [Google Maps](#), [Apple Maps](#)

* Note 1: We recommend to all the conference participants that use the App Google Maps (or as a second option, Apple Maps) while they are in Spain.

** Note 2: A Wechat (微信) Group will be made with all the registered participants to provide on-time information during the conference.

6. Conference committees

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