

Please Note the following:

For those who will go to TITANIA HOTEL

On arrival at Athens airport El.Venizelos, a taxi to the hotel Titania should cost about 45 euros. If you prefer to take public transport (unfortunately this METRO line is out of order this year), take the X95 of bus line that leaves every 20 minutes from just outside the airport exit door. Getting on the bus ask the driver a) for a ticket which costs 3, 20 euros b) to stop at the Syntagma Square bus stop(you will need 70 minutes to get to S. Sq). From Syntagma Square take the METRO line to AGIOS ANTONIOS (1 euro) and get off at Panepistemiou metro stop (it's just one stop after Syntagma Sq). From Panepistemiou metro stop it is just a two-minute walk to TITANIA hotel.

For those who will come to Messolonghi on their own.

a) On arrival at Athens airport, you will need about 65 minutes [depends on the traffic] to get to Kifissos bus station, where you can catch a bus to Messolonghi. If you prefer a taxi from El. Venizelos Airport to Kifissos Station, the cost will be about 50 euros, but you must be very careful of taxi drivers. Sometimes they attempt to charge tourists more.

b) The airport bus to Kifissos, X93, leaves every 35 minutes from just outside the airport exit door. The fare from the airport to Kifissos is 3, 20 euros. You buy the ticket from the bus driver and then cancel it yourself in a machine on the bus. For your information the website of the Urban Athens Transportation is: www.oasa.gr

c) At Kifissos Station you'll buy your ticket at the front big hall at the desk which has a label "to Aitolokarnania " [the name of the county]. Ask for the bus to Messolonghi. The bus from Kifissos Station runs to the town of Messolonghi at 6 am, 07:45 am, 9 am, 10:30 am, 14:00 pm, 14:30 pm, 17:00 pm, 19:00 pm, 20:00 pm, and 21:30 pm. The ticket at the bus station ticket office costs about 20 euros one-way. The three-hour bus trip from Athens follows a scenic route along the south coast of the Gulf of Corinth and Patras, through a mountainous Peloponnesian landscape of olive and lemon trees, crossing back to the north coast by the new suspension bridge "Harilaos Trikoypis" that connects Rio and Antirio. On arrival in Messolonghi, you'll have a 6-minute taxi ride to the Theoxenia Hotel and a two-minute ride to Liberty Hotel.

All road transportation is by air-conditioned coaches.

Participants should gather and board the coach at least 15 minutes before departure for any destination. Each coach will have a label.

a) Those staying at Theoxenia Hotel will get with their luggage on the coach "THEOXENIA HOTEL"

b) Those staying at Liberty Hotel will get on the Coach "LIBERTY HOTEL"
So, when participants arrive at Messolonghi they will go straight to their hotels.

Hotels

All hotels are air-conditioned with private bathroom and offer complimentary breakfast.

Meals

--In Athens the meals are on your own except for the reception at the British Ambassador's residence.

--In Messolonghi all lunches and dinners are included in the conference fee.

--In the excursion to Nafplio the lunch at the restaurant near the Mycenae village is included in the conference fee.

Dress code

For the events in Athens as well the receptions and the gala in Messolonghi participants are expected to wear formal dress. Dress throughout the rest of the conference is informal.

Swimming

In September the Greek weather is warm, so you can bring your swimsuit.

A lagoonside beach is adjacent to the Theoxenia Hotel, and Turlida beach on the Gulf of Patras is a ten-minute taxi ride from Liberty Hotel and a five-minute drive from Theoxenia Hotel.