



Information on the CPUE Workshop 21-22 October

And

15th Working Party on Tropical Tunas 23–28 October 2013 San Sebastian, Spain

1. MEETING DATES AND VENUE

The CPUE Workshop will meet from 9 am to 5 pm daily on 21-22 October, inclusive.

The WPTT15 will meet from 9 am to 5 pm daily (special sessions in the evenings may be scheduled) on 23–28 October 2013, inclusive.

The venue CPUE Workshop will be

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Address: Herrera Kaia, Portualde z/g, 20110 Pasaia (Gipuzkoa)
Tel: +34 94 657 40 00
Email: megonzalez@suk.azti.es
Web: www.azti.es; <http://www.azti.es/es/el-centro-tecnologico/localizacion-de-sedes/>

The venue of the Working Party on Tropical Tuna meeting (WPTT) will be

Name: HOTEL NH ARANZAZU
Address: Vitoria-Gasteiz, 1. 20018 San Sebastian (Spain)
Tel: +34.94.3219077 Reservations: +34 913 984 661
Email: nharanzazu@nh-hotels.com
Web: www.nh-hotels.com

2. CONTACTS

The contacts for these meetings at the Secretariat are:

Administrative: Claudia Marie: claudia.marie@iotc.org
Science-based: Dr. David Wilson: david.wilson@iotc.org

The contacts for these meetings in Spain are:

Dr. Hilario Murua: hmurua@azti.es
Meritxel Gonzalez: mgonzalez@azti.es

3. REGISTRATION

Please pre-register online at www.iotc.org/registration/ no later than 7th October, 2013.

4. TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS AND ACCOMMODATION

Participants are requested to make their own travel and accommodation arrangements and fund the expenses incurred.

Bilbao (Loiu) airport is very well connected with main European airports (London, Paris, Frankfurt, Munich, etc...) and there is a direct bus to San Sebastian (1 hour drive) every hour.

However, if you travel with Emirates San Sebastian is a good option since there are connections for Dubai-Madrid-San Sebastian. San Sebastian is a small airport only connected with Madrid (and Barcelona) and the airport is located 25 kms from the city connected with regular buses.

Information on possible accommodation in San Sebastian is provided below.

Hotel name	Room rate	Contact	Note
HOTEL NH ARANZAZU (also WPTT venue)	Special Rate 92.00 €+10% IVA (inclusive of breakfast)	Vitoria-Gasteiz, 1. 20018 San Sebastian (Spain) Tel. +34.94.3219077 Reservations: +34 913 984 661 Email: nharanzazu@nh-hotels.com Web: www.nh-hotels.es	30 rooms blocked. Deadline for reservations: 9 th September13 Price: 92 € + 10 % VAT (breakfast included) Reference Code: AZTI to be used on booking request
HOTEL SILKEN AMARA PLAZA****	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Plaza Pío XII, 7 20010 San Sebastián, España Tel.: +34 943 46 46 00 (Leire López) Email: reservas_hap@hoteles-silken.com / bookingamara@hoteles-silken.com	Price : aprox. Single and double room 99 € + 10 % VAT (breakfast included)
HOTEL NIZA	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	c/Zubieta 56 20007 San Sebastián Tel. 943 42 66 63 Fax. 943 44 12 51 http://www.hotelniza.com/	Price aprox.: Single room (small interior) 55 € + 10 % VAT Double room single use 90 € + 10 % VAT
HOTEL ECEIZA	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	C/ SATRUSTEGI, 13 20008 San Sebastián Tel: 943 214 311 Fax: 943 214768 Email: ezeiza@hotelezeiza.com	Price approx.: Single room 76 € + 10 % VAT – Low Season Single room 90 € + 10 % VAT – High Season
HUSA EUROPA ***	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Cl San Martín, 52 20007 San Sebastián Tel: 943 47 08 80 Fax: 943 47 17 30 Email: dmuller@husa.es	Price approx.: Double room 120 € + 10 % VAT
HOTEL Y SUITES ARRIZUL GROS	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Iparraguirre, 3 20001 San Sebastián, España Tel.: +34 943 32 28 04 (contact person: Danel Zulaica) Fax: +34 943 29 74 65 Email: info@hotelarrizulgros.com Web: www.hotelarrizulgros.com	Price approx.: Around 100 (including 10% of VAT)
APARTAMENTOS ARRIZUL	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Iparraguirre, 3 20001 San Sebastián, España Tel.: +34 943 32 28 04 (contact person: Danel Zulaica)Fax: Email: info@apartamentosarrizul.com Web: www.apartamentosarrizul.com	Price approx.: Around 100 (including 10% of VAT)
HOTEL ARRIZUL	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Peña y Goñi, 1 20002 San Sebastián, España Tel.: +34 943 32 28 04 (contact person: Danel Zulaica) Fax: +34 943 32 67 01 Email: info@arrizul.com Web: www.arrizul.com	Price approx.: Around 100 (including 10% of VAT)
HOTEL PARMA**	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Paseo Salamanca, 10 20003 San Sebastián, España Tel.: +34 943 42 88 93 (contact person: Pino Nuez) Fax: +34 943 42 40 82 Email: hotelparma@hotelparma.com Web: www.hotelparma.com	Price approx.: Exterior room (for two people) 138€ + 10 % VAT Exterior room (for one person) 122€ + 10 % VAT
HOTEL MONTE ULIA	Normal Rates for the Season. TBA by hotel upon booking.	Avda. Alcalde José Elósegui, 21 20013 San Sebastián, España Tel. : +34 943 32 67 67 Fax: +34 943 32 64 00 Email: contacto@hotelmonteulia.com Web: www.hotelmonteulia.com	Price approx.: Single room 61,20 € + 10 % VAT Double room single use 71,10 € + 10 % VAT Double room 86,40 € + 10 % VAT

In addition to the above list, you can find more accommodation options, with map on annex1 of this document.

5. HEALTH PRECAUTIONS

No special needs

6. ARRIVAL AND ENTRY FORMALITIES

Participants are required to make their own VISA arrangements. More information available on <http://www.interior.gob.es/extranjeria-28/control-de-fronteras-83/documentos-que-permiten-la-entrada-en-espana-194>.

Other information regarding Uniform Schengen Visa is available on <http://www.exteriores.gob.es/Portal/en/ServiciosAlCiudadano/InformacionParaExtranjeros/Paginas/VisadosUniformeSchengen.aspx>

7. TRANSPORTATION

Information about airport transfers and transfers to and from the CPUE Workshop and the WPTT15 is available on the last page of annex1 of this document. A bus service is being organized for the WPTT 15 meeting.

8. DRESS CODE

The dress code for the meeting is Smart Casual

9. DELEGATES KIT

Documents for the working parties (in pdf format) will be accessible through a local network during the meeting. However, it is advised for the participants to download all the documents available from the IOTC website prior to arriving.

10. GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT SAN SEBASTIAN, SPAIN

San Sebastian is a lively city of around 185,000 inhabitants, some 16,500 of whom are university students. As the cultural capital of the Basque country, it has a wide range of cultural offerings.

Few cities can offer so many alternatives in a single area: internationally renowned cuisine, major music and film festivals as well as countless other festivities - the "Semana Grande", Carnival, the "Caldereros" or Tinkers' Festival, San Sebastian Day and so on - folklore, remarkable customs and traditions, marvellous scenery, beaches, mountains, with skiing in the Pyrenees just two hours away.

San Sebastian has mild weather all year round, never too cold (winter average 8°C) or too hot (summer average 22°C)

11. ELECTRICITY

Electricity in Spain is 230 Volts, Hertz. Sockets and plugs are dual design type



12. TELEPHONE SERVICE

International dialling code

The International dialling code for Spain is +34

13. INTERNET

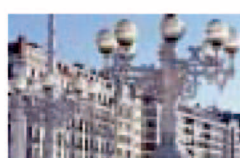
Wi-Fi and Internet facilities will be available in the meeting room during the meeting hours. Internet service outside the meeting will be at participant's own expense.

14. TOURISM

Information on tourism and other information available at <http://www.sansebastianturismo.com/en/>
More information available on the last page of annex1 of this document.

List of Hotels in San Sebastián

Recommended hotels are located in Donostia / San Sebastián old town (approximately 5 km from the meeting site).



H1 H. LONDRES ****

Zubieta, 2 / Tfno.: +34 943440770

(www.hlondres.com)

H2 H. NH-ARANZAZU ****

Vitoria-Gasteiz, 5 / Tfno.: +34 943219077

(www.nh-hotels.es)

Meeting location

H3 H. SAN SEBASTIÁN ****

Avda. Zumalakarregi, 20 / Tfno.: +34 943316660

(www.aranzazu-hoteles.com)

H4 H. SILKEN AMARA PLAZA ****

Pío XII Pz., 7 / Tfno.: +34 943464600

(www.amaraplaza.com)

H5 H. TRYP ORLY ****

Zaragoza Pz., 4 / Tfno.: +34 943463200

(www.trypnet.com)

H6 H. EUROPA ***

San Martín, 52 / Tfno.: +34 943470880

(www.hotel-europa.com)

H7 H. NIZA ***

Zubieta, 56 / Tfno.: +34 943426663

(www.hotelniza.com)

H8 H. CODINA **

Avda. Zumalakarregi, 21 / Tfno.: +34 943212200

(www.hotelcodina.es)

H9 H. EZEIZA **

Avda. Satrustegi, 13 / Tfno.: +34 943214311

(www.hotelezeiza.com)

H10 H. LA GALERÍA **

Infanta Cristina, 3 / Tfno.: +34 943216077

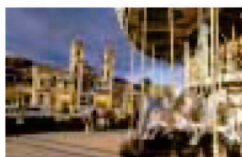
(www.hotellagaleria.com)

H11 H. PARMA **

General Jauregi, 11 / Tfno.: +34 943428893

(www.pensionparma.com)

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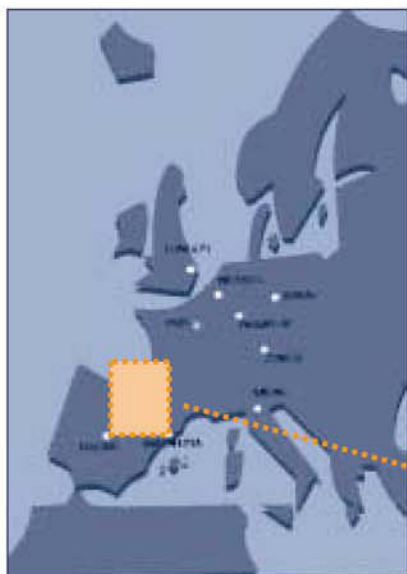


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- H12 PENSIÓN ALDAMAR ****
Aldamar, 2 / Tfno.: +34 943430143
- H13 HOSTAL BAHÍA ****
San Martín, 54 / Tfno.: +34 943469211
(www.hostalbahia.com)
- H14 PENSIÓN ALEMANA ****
San Martín, 53 / Tfno.: +34 943462544
- H15 MONTE ULÍA ***
Alcalde J. Elozegi, 21 / Tfno.: +34 943326767



How to arrive to Donostia / San Sebastián



Biarritz and Bilbao are the airports with more links to main European airports (London, Frankfurt, Paris, Munich, Milan,...).

If you like travel by train, remember that is very good connection through Paris to Irun by TGV (www.sncf.fr) and from Irun to San Sebastián (20 km) there are local trains (0.80 € and 1/2 hour time)

There are 5 airports in the surroundings (120 km radius) of San Sebastián (SS):

- San Sebastian airport (Hondarribia): 18 km to SS (taxi about 20 €)
- Bilbao airport (Loiu): 100 km to SS (taxi about 97 €)
- Biarritz: 45 km to SS (taxi about 60 €)
- Vitoria / Gasteiz 110 km to SS (taxi about 96 €)
- Pamplona: 80 km to SS (taxi about 80 €)



There is a shuttle bus from the airport to San Sebastián every hour (16 euros).

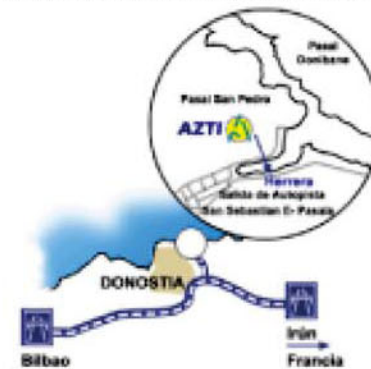
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Bilbao airport is very well connected with European main airports: Paris, London, Frankfurt, Munich, etc...

Travelling with Emirates, San Sebastián airport would be a good option: Dubai-Madrid-San Sebastián.



To arrive to **AZTI** (Pasaia) you can get the bus every quarter an hour in Okendo street (in the centre of San Sebastián) and will arrive to AZTI in about 15 minutes. The bus stop at Pasaia is in front of our Institute AZTI. The bus is painted in red and it has not any number in, but up in the front is written the words PASAJES SAN PEDRO or PASAJA SAN PEDRO.



If you want to look additional tourist information about San Sebastián or the Basque Country, you will get it on the following web sites:

- <http://www.sansebastianturismo.com/>
- <http://www.donostia.org/>
- <http://www3.gipuzkoa.net/turismo/ingles/index.asp>
- <http://www.euskadi.net/>
- <http://www.gipuzkoa.net/>
- <http://www.paisvasco.com/donostia/>
- <http://www.sansebastianfestival.com/>
- <http://www.eduardo-chillida.com/>
- <http://www.kursaal.org/>