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## Praticalities

Steri (or Palazzo Chiaramonte) is located in Piazza Marina, 61, at the core of the old city centre of Palermo. It is very close to hotels, restaurants, and to many of the main historical places of the city, such as Palazzo Abatellis, the art museum, the Cathedral and Palazzo Reale. It can be easily reached from the Central train station by taxi or on foot in 15 minutes. Built between the XIV and XV as the seat of the aristocratic family Chiaramonte, it later became the seat of the Inquisition Tribunal, and it is now the administrative seat of the University of Palermo.

The conference will take place in the Sala Magna, Sala delle Capriate and the Chapel of S. Antonio Abate.

## Where to sleep

We suggest some Hotels, B&b or little apartments, very close to the Steri (the location of the conference).

\*\*\*\*Hotel Sitano, corso Vittorio Emanuele, 114

\*\*\*\*Grand Hotel, Piazza borsa,

\*\*\*\* Centrale palace Hotel, corso Vittorio Emanuele, 327

\*\*\*\*NH Palermo, Foro Umberto I, n. 228

\*\*\*\*Grand Hotel & des Palmes, via Roma,

\*\*\*\*Hotel porta felice, via butera 35 (More Expensive)

## B&b

Palazzo Lungarini Via Lungarini, 60 www.bbpalazzolungarini.it/

Dimora del Genio Via Giuseppe Garibaldi, 58 http://www.ladimoradelgenio.it

Khalisa Via Scopari, 33 http://www.bandbpalermo.it/khalisah/

Ai tintori Via Tintori, 16-18 http://www.aitintori.it/

Harmony Hotel-B&B Via Lungarini, 49-50 http://www.harmonyhotel.it/it/bed-and-breakfast-palermo

Kalamarina Via Bottai, 9 http://www.kalamarina.it/

Ai Cartari Via Alessandro Paternostro, 62 http://www.aicartari.it/

Al giardino dell'alloro Vicolo San Carlo, 8 <u>http://www.giardinodellalloro.it/</u>

# Little apartments

Via Butera 28, www.Butera28.it

Short stay apartment violet's house, <u>www.booking.com</u>

Garaffo apartments, piazza marina 65, www.booking.com

# Airport-city connections.

The Airport of Palermo, "Falcone Borsellino", is about 35 Km far from the

city. The city can be reached by bus and taxi.

**Bus**: Prestia e Comandè (phone: +39 091 586351 or + 39 091 580457) is a transportation company connecting the Airport with Palermo Central Train Station (Stazione Centrale di Palermo, Piazza Giulio Cesare, about 1.2 Km far from Palazzo Steri) and their buses have multiple stops in the city.

There is a bus every half an hour, starting from 4:00 am until 22:30 from the Central Train Station and from 05:00 am until 24:00 from the Airport. The tickets cost  $\in$  6.30 (one way) or  $\in$  11,00 (roundtrip), and they can be bought on the bus.

The closest stop to Palazzo Steri is Palermo Central Train Station.

Taxi: A taxi service is available at the Airport, outside the arrival terminal.

The cost of the trip from the Airport to Palermo Central Train Station is € 45,00.

You can also share the taxi with other people, outside the arrival terminal there is the Taxishare Point. In this case the taxi driver can leave you near your hotel. The cost is  $\in 8,00$ 

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