



2022 AEC IRCs Meeting – Practical information

ARRIVING TO MONOPOLI

Monopoli is located on the Adriatic coast of Puglia, about 40 km south of Bari. Here are some information about how to reach it.

- **BY PLANE:**

- **Bari airport (most convenient):**

BARI: (BRI) Karol Wojtyła International airport (59 km from Monopoli)

It is located at 15 km distance from the city centre of Bari.

From the airport you can reach the city through a train-metro line that will take you to the Central Station of Bari (Bari Centrale) in 18/20 min. The price of the ticket is around 5€. Detailed information about time schedule and stops can be found on this [webpage](#).

The [Bus Line 16 of AMTAB](#) connects the airport to the Central Station in approximately 50 min. The cost of one ticket is 1€ or 1,60€ if you buy it directly on the bus. The bus departs every 60 minutes. First departure: 5:10, last departure: 21:10.

[Tempesta](#) shuttles offer a faster and more expensive service than AMTAB. A trip will take between 25 and 30 minutes and makes 2 stops along the way before reaching the Central Station.

Taxi to the Central Station, the fixed price is around 25€.

- **Brindisi airport:**

(BDS) Brindisi Papola Casale airport (70 km from Monopoli)

It is located at less than 5 km from the city centre of Brindisi. From the airport you can reach the railway station in two ways:

By a [bus service](#) (STP transport) that connects Brindisi airport to the railway station in around 15 minutes, every 30 minutes (price: 1€).

By taxi it will take around 15 minutes (no fixed prices).



- BY TRAIN

- From Bari

There are direct trains every hour that connect Bari to Monopoli in 27 minutes or 38 minutes (depending on the train category). Price: 3,40€. More information can be found on the [Trenitalia](#) webpage.

- From Brindisi

Direct train every hour from Brindisi to Monopoli, it takes 43 minutes and it costs around 6€. More information can be found on the [Trenitalia](#) webpage.

- From Rome

Direct train to Bari, and then change for Monopoli (see itineraries above).

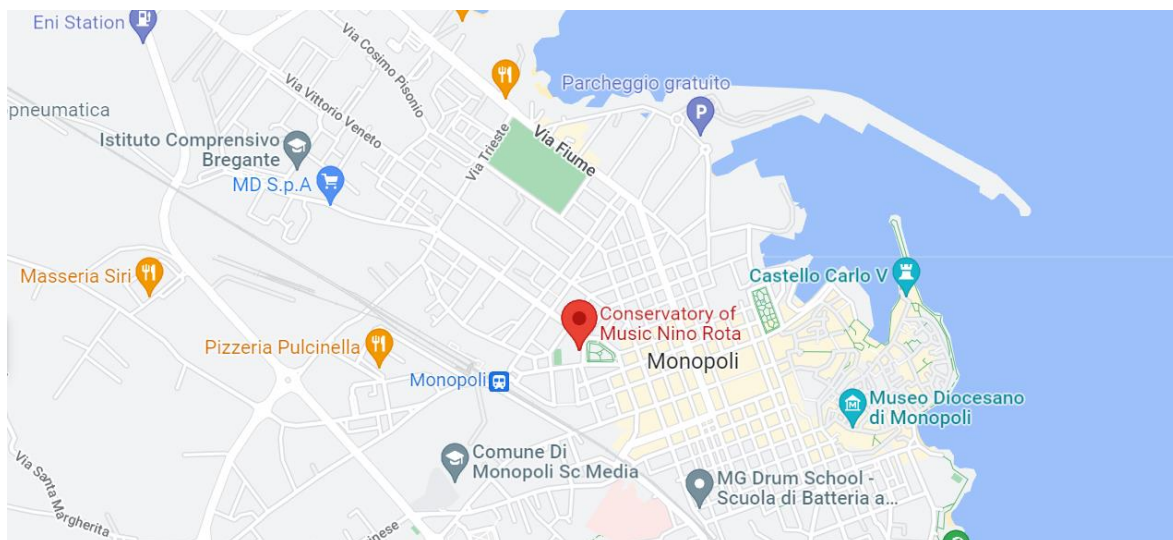
STAYING IN MONOPOLI

Accomodation in Monopoli

Most hotels are located outside the historical center of Monopoli, so we suggest the participants to keep into account bed and breakfast and apartment as solutions to stay close to the Conservatory.

How to reach the Conservatory

The [Conservatorio di Musica Nino Rota Monopoli](#) is located in Piazza S. Antonio 27, around 3 minutes walking from the train station.





Covid rules in Italy

Effective from May 2022, it is no longer mandatory to show a covid vaccination certificate to access services and businesses (last update 15/06/22).

Regarding the mask's use rules, we recommend to check further in September through this [official webpage](#) to be updated about any change.