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123rd MEMBER MEETING KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

The **Open Geospatial Consortium (OGC)** welcomes you to this year's **123rd OGC Member Meeting** in Madrid, Spain. To help you prepare, we've put together this quick reference guide so you're ready for a successful in-person attendee experience. For more details, the [OGC website](#) is where you'll find *everything* OGC, including Events, Education and so much more!

GENERAL INFORMATION

Accessibility - Accommodations

The hotel has accessible rooms if needed, ramps for wheelchairs (to access meeting rooms, restaurants....) with accessible bathrooms.

Attendee List

[See who](#) will be attending the **123rd OGC Member Meeting**. (Note this is only available to members via the OGC portal.)

Conference Registration

The registration desk is located in the [hotel lobby](#). Registration will open daily one hour before the start of the first session.

Conference Venue and Official Hotel

Meliá Baraja

Avenida de Logroño 305, 28042 Madrid, Spain

Hotel: +34 917 47 77 00/ Fax: +34 917 478 717

Email: melia.barajas@melia.com

[Hotel Website](#) / [Floorplan](#)

[3D virtual tour 360°](#)

Conference Wifi

Wi-Fi will be provided in all areas of our conference for no charge; you will be able to connect to the wifi via:

SSID: vipbarajas

Password: vip2022

Conference Meals and Dietary Concerns

[Complimentary breakfast](#) is included in your hotel rate. Lunch will be provided daily during the **123rd OGC Member Meeting** (Monday-Thursday). Breakfast and lunch will be served in the [hotel restaurant](#). Reception-style food will be provided during the Reception and Networking Session on the Patio. If you have any special dietary requirements or concerns, please email tcummings@ogc.org for assistance by no later than Wednesday, June 8.

LOCAL TRAVEL INFORMATION

Banking

Euros and all bank cards are accepted.

Nearest ATM - BBVA is located across the street.

COVID Testing or Proof of Vaccinated Status

Click [here](#) for requirements to enter Spain.

For those travelers who must test for COVID prior to departure from Spain, OGC is coordinating on-site testing on Thursday, June 16 and Friday, June 17. Pre registration is required. OGC has also identified a testing location very close to the hotel. [CLÍNICA MAYOR](#), if the on-site options do not work with your schedule.

Dining (Local)

[Click here](#) for a list of restaurants near the [Meliá Baraja](#) and [here](#) for a list of onsite dining options. We highly recommend verifying hours of operation.

Ground Transportation

- **Getting Around Madrid (Metro, Bus, Taxi, Car)**

Please visit for [relevant ground transportation options](#) for getting around Madrid.

- **Hotel Shuttle - Airport Ground Transportation**

There are airport stops at Terminals T2 and T4 with a “HOTEL BUS” sign. The minibusses are easily identifiable as they feature the names of their hotels: Meliá Barajas and Hotel Madrid Alameda Aeropuerto affiliated by Melia. Check the [schedules](#) with the hotel’s reception team by calling +34 917 477 700. The service is available from 4:30am to 1am.

Time Zone

Madrid is located in the Central European Summer Time Zone (GMT+2).

Weather

June average high temperature: 83 °F / 28 °C June average low: 64 °F / 18 °C.

What to Pack

Attire is business casual for the conference during the day. We do recommend you dress in layers as temperatures in meeting rooms can vary. Some events take place outside in the evening when the weather cools down, so be sure to bring appropriate clothing options.

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, June 13 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Reception and Networking Session (on the Patio)

[Meliá Baraja](#)

Wednesday, June 15 | 7:00 - 10:30 pm

Offsite Networking Dinner (separate fee required; complimentary ground transportation provided)

[Amicis Restaurant](#)

ONLINE ACCESS

Virtual Platform is Available to All Who Register

The **123rd OGC Member Meeting** is intended to be experienced as a truly hybrid event. All registered attendees for the **123rd OGC Member Meeting** will have access to the annual meeting virtual platform when it opens on Monday, June 13, at 9:30 a.m. Central European Summer Time Zone (GMT+2) via the Meeting Dashboard at <https://ogcmeet.org>. Bookmark it to ensure quick access.

STAY CONNECTED BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER THE MEETING

- Have questions about the **123rd OGC Member Meeting**, please contact [OGC Registration](#).
- Join the **#OGCMemberMeeting** conversation! Follow us on [Twitter](#), [YouTube](#), [LinkedIn](#) and engage in conversations on our pages!
- Register soon for the July 2022 Virtual: [OGC API Code Sprint](#) covering OGC API Moving Feature, OGC API Routes, OGC API GeoVolumes, OGC API Features and OGC API Joins. **Open to the public.**