

Information Notice No.2

I. DATE AND VENUE OF THE MEETING

1. The 2023 UNECE Expert Meeting on Dissemination and Communication of Statistics will be hosted by the Statistics Portugal from 11-13 October 2023. The meeting will start at 9.00 local time on Wednesday and is planned to finish on Friday at 13.00.

2. The Expert Meeting will take place at:

Instituto Nacional de Estatística – INE
Statistics Portugal

Head Office

Address:

Av. António José de Almeida
1000-043 Lisboa – Portugal
Telephone: + 351 218 426 100



3. The meeting will be held in Salão Nobre (Great Hall) on the first floor.

II. WEBSITE AND DOCUMENTATION

4. The working language of the meeting is English. All documents will be provided in English only. Presentations and papers for the meeting will be made available on the meeting web site at: <https://unece.org/statistics/events/DissComm2023>

5. Documents posted on the website will not be distributed in the conference room. You are encouraged to save paper by reading documents on your electronic device where feasible. A wireless Internet connection will be available in the meeting room.

III. ACCOMODATION AND TRANSPORT

6. Participants are requested to make their own travel arrangements and hotel reservations, and are reminded that they are responsible for covering all related costs.

7. Information about the directions to the meeting venue from the airport and general information about transport in Lisbon can be found in the Annex 1.

8. It is possible to stay at hotels located close to the meeting venue. In the Annex 2 to this note, you will find a list of recommended hotels.

IV. SOCIAL EVENT

9. Subscription dinner will be organised for all participants on the first evening of the meeting (11 October). Please indicate your interest in the social dinner as soon as possible and by **15 September** at the latest: <https://forms.office.com/e/HBvbf93kkW>

10. Information about the venue of the dinner and its cost will be provided to the registered participants by the end of September.

V. USEFUL INFORMATION ABOUT LISBON

11. General information:

- Local time: GMT
- Temperatures in October: average: 20°C - 68°F
- For weather information: <https://www.ipma.pt/en/index.html>
- Electricity: 220/230 volts
- Suggested websites to find out more about Portugal and Lisboa:
 - (i) Turismo de Lisboa: http://www.visitlisboa.com/Home_UK.aspx?lang=en-GB
 - (ii) Portugal Confidential: <http://portugalconfidential.com>

12. Useful telephone numbers:

- INE - Statistics Portugal: +351 218426100 | Communication Unit: +351 218426110
- National Emergency Number: 112
- Police: Tourism Station at Praça dos Restauradores: +351 213 421 634/623
- Fire Service: +351 213 422 222
- Trains (CP): +351 808 208 208
- Buses (Carris): +351 213 613 000
- Metro: +351 217 980 600
- Lisbon Airport (Flight information): +351 218 413 700
- “Ask me” Tourism Office – Airport: +351 218 450 660.

VI. LUNCH

13. For lunch participants will be able to eat at the premises of Statistics Portugal (limited options) or go outside to the nearby restaurants.

14. To avoid long waiting times and to socialise with other participants it was proposed to have group lunch in the Holiday Inn Hotel, which is 5 minutes walk from Statistics Portugal. Please indicate in the form below if you will be interested to join group lunch (price 23 euro per person) in Holiday Inn Hotel: <https://forms.office.com/e/x2j6merAVw> Menu proposed by the hotel could be viewed in the lunch registration form. Deadline for lunch registration is **15 September**.

15. Here is a list of alternative restaurants near Statistics Portugal:

Mexicana: Café and Restaurant – 5 minutes walking distance
Address: Av. Guerra Junqueiro, 30-C 1000-167 Lisboa

Average price: € 20,00

O Rei da Pescada:

Fish Restaurant – 8/10 minutes walking distance

Address: Av. Duque de Ávila 19, 1000-138 Lisboa

Average price: € 20,00

Gula's for kitchen lovers:

Including vegetarian dishes – 8/10 minutes walking distance

Address: R. Dona Filipa de Vilhena, 18 A 1000-136 Lisboa

Average price: € 20,00

VII. CONTACTS

16. For further information you may contact the following organisers:

Statistics Portugal

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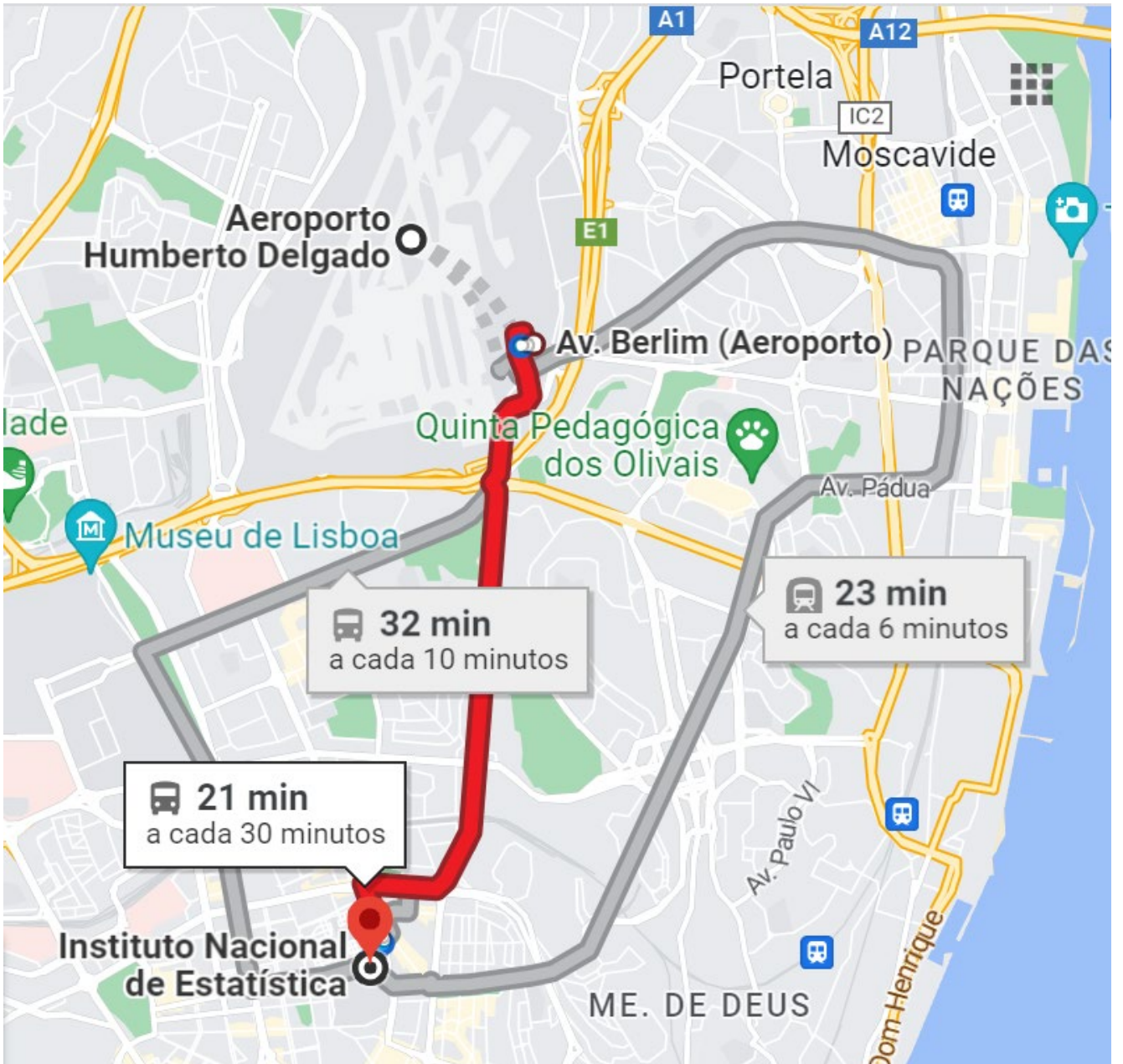
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DEADLINES

12 May 2023	Abstract or proposal for intended contribution submission
28 July 2023	Paper submission
15 September 2023	Social event and lunch registrations
27 September 2023	Presentation or other material to be presented submission
27 September 2023	Registration
11-13 October 2023	Expert Meeting

Annex 1. Transport

Directions from the **airport** to the **meeting venue** at Statistics Portugal Head Office:



By Taxi

A drive of around 15 minutes; approximately €15,00

By Underground (Metro)

To Statistics Portugal Head Office

- Red line, direction S. Sebastião: stop at Alameda station (Guerra Junqueiro exit) or Saldanha station (Duque de Ávila exit) - 8/10 minutes walking distance

To Nearby Hotels

- Red line, direction S. Sebastião; stop at Saldanha station
- Red line, direction S. Sebastião; stop at Saldanha station and change to Yellow line, direction Odivelas; stop at Campo Pequeno station – for hotels at Campo Pequeno area
- Red line, direction S. Sebastião; stop at Alameda station and change to Green line, direction Telheiras; stop at Roma station – only for Roma Hotel

For further information:

metro.transporteslisboa.pt/eng/customer-info/diagrams-and-maps/network-diagram

General information about transport in Lisbon

Carris (Buses&trams) / **Metro** (Subway)

1 ticket - 1,65 €

Valid for unlimited travels on Carris or Metro networks, for 60 minutes following the first validation.

For further information: <https://www.metrolisboa.pt/en/buy/>

Carris and Metro combined fares also available, valid for Metro, buses, trams and elevators:

1 Day ticket (24h)

Carris/Metro - 6,60 €

Valid for unlimited travels on Carris and Metro networks, for 24 hours following the first validation.

Carris/Metro/Transtejo (Cacilhas) - 9,70 €

Valid for unlimited travels on Carris, Metro and Transtejo (boat to Cacilhas), for 24 hours following the first validation.

Carris/Metro/CP - 10,70 €

Valid for unlimited travels on Carris, Metro and CP (trains Sintra, Cascais, Azambuja and Sado lines), for 24 hours following the first validation

Taxis

In the urban service:

Minimum charges: €3,25 (daytime); €3,90 (at night, weekends and holidays).

Calling a radio taxi has an additional cost of €0,80 and luggage transport pays an extra €1,60.

Radio Taxis in Lisbon:

+ 351 218119000; +351 969 53 1660 or +351 919 78 1000 (RádioTáxis)

+ 351 218111100 (Teletáxis)

Passenger transport, available at the following platforms (TVDE vehicles):

Uber - [Link Uber Now](#)

Free Now - <https://www.free-now.com/pt/>

Bolt - [Private Taxi Service Near Me](#)

Annex 2. Accommodation

Some of the Hotels surrounding meeting venue (Statistics Portugal Head Office)

	Hotel (link)	Address	E-mail	Phone	Distance to Conf. Venue
*****	VIP Grand Lisboa Hotel & Spa	Av. 5 de Outubro, 19	hotelviplisboa@viphotels.com	+351 21 043 5000	1,4 km
	Holiday Inn Lisboa	Av. Ant. José de Almeida, 28	csilva@grupo-continental.com	+351 21 004 4000	230 m
	Turim Alameda Hotel	Av. Rovisco Pais, 34	turimalamedahotel@turimhoteis.com	+351 21 841 1550	450 m
****	Júpiter Lisboa Hotel	Av. da República, 46	reservas.lisboa@jupiterhoteis.com	+351 21 073 0100	900 m
	Olissippo Saldanha Hotel	Av. Praia da Vitoria, 30	info.os@olissippohotels.com	+351 21 000 6690	950 m
	Evolution Lisboa Hotel	Pç. Duque de Saldanha, 4	hello.lisboa@evolution-hotels.com	+351 21 159 0200	1,1 km
***	Hotel Alif Campo Pequeno	Av. João XXI, 80	alif@hotelalif.pt	+351 21 782 6210	800 m
	Hotel Roma	Av. de Roma, 33	info@hotelroma.pt	+351 21 793 2244	1,0 km