


Practical information for participants

School and Workshop on Special Metrics and Gauge Theory - ICMAT, Madrid, 10-14 December 2018

The School and Workshop on Special Metrics and Gauge Theory will take place at ICMAT (Instituto de Ciencias Matemáticas), which is in **Cantoblanco Universidad**. This is the main campus of Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (UAM) and is outside the city.

Address: ICMAT, Calle Nicolás Cabrera, number 13-15, Madrid 28049; telephone +34 912999700, web <http://www.icmat.es/>.

All Lectures will take place at **AULA NARANJA** (Orange Lecture Room) of ICMAT (ground floor). This lecture room is equipped with blackboards and beamer projector.

The easiest way to go to ICMAT by public transportation is using Madrid commuter rail network, called *Cercanías*. The *Cercanías* logo is 

Accommodation

Participants are kindly asked to make their own accommodation arrangements. Speakers and several participants will be accommodated at **Residencia de Estudiantes**.

Residencia de Estudiantes

Address: Calle del Pinar, 21–23 (*21–23 Pinar Street*), 28006 Madrid
Telephone: +34 915636411
Web: <http://www.residencia.csic.es/>

The closest metro stations are *Gregorio Marañón*, *República Argentina* and *Nuevos Ministerios*.

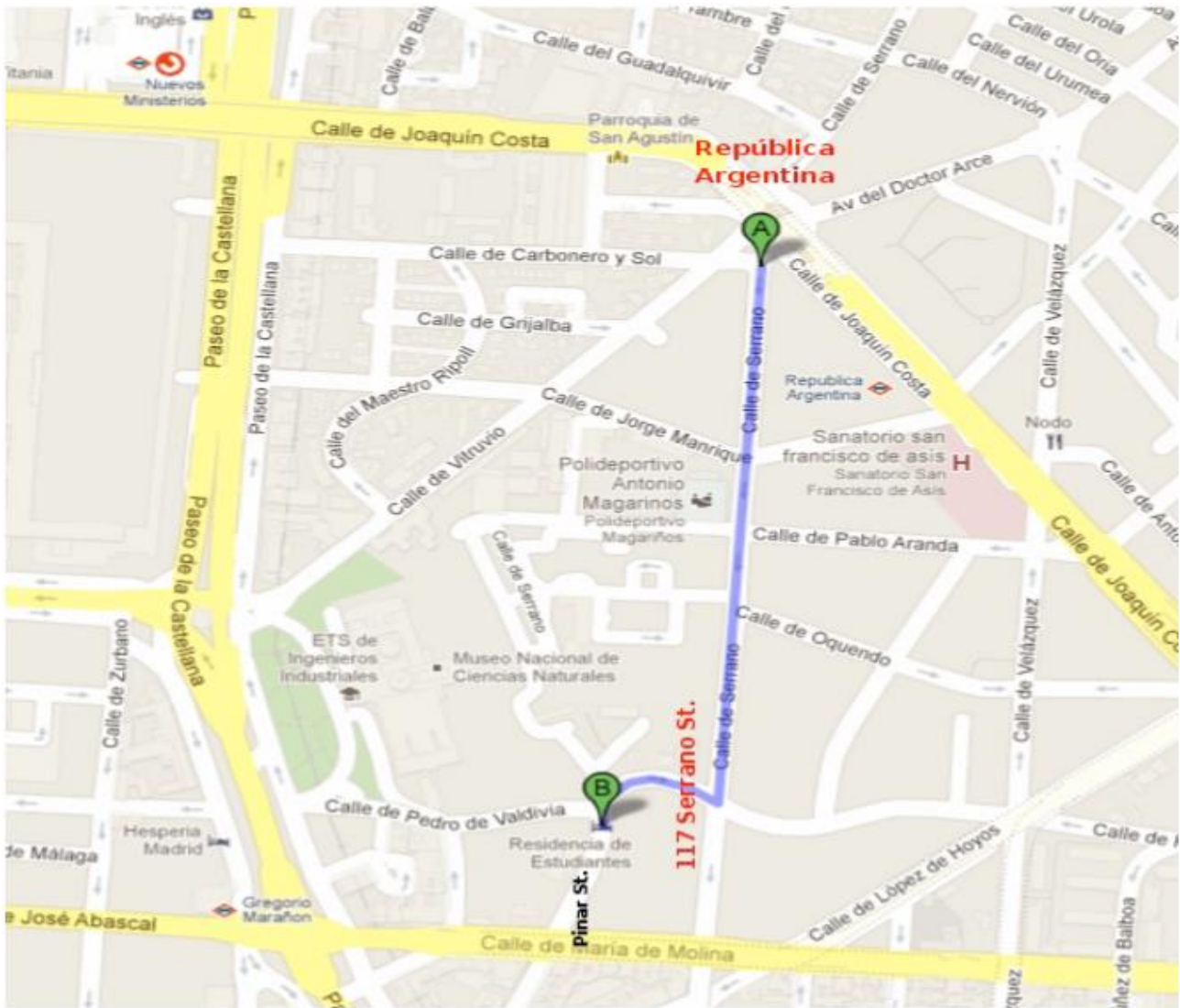
How to get from the airport to Residencia de Estudiantes :

- Using **public transportation**, from Barajas Airport **Terminal T4**, use the local train *Cercanías* to go to train station *Nuevos Ministerios*, and walk to *Nuevos Ministerios* metro station. From Barajas Airport **Terminals T1, T2, T3**, take the metro line 8, and get off at metro station *Nuevos Ministerios*. At *Nuevos Ministerios* metro station, go to metro line 6, and go to *República Argentina*. From there you can go to the main entrance of CSIC (a complex of research centres), in street Serrano, number 117, and ask the security guard. Residencia de Estudiantes is in the same complex, at the back of the main building. The complex has another entrance to the south, in street Pinar, but there is no security guard in this entrance and it is only open until 22:00, so we advise you to go to the main entrance of CSIC in street Serrano.

- You can also go by **taxi from the airport to the Residencia de Estudiantes**. Its address is Calle del Pinar, 21, Madrid (i.e., *21 Pinar Street, Madrid*). The Calle Pinar is a small street, which has no security guard in its entrance and this entrance is only open until 22:00, so we advise you to tell the taxi driver to go to Calle Serrano, 117 (*117 Serrano Street*). This is the main entrance of the main campus of CSIC (a complex of research centres). The Residence is inside this complex, at the back of the main

building. At the entrance you can ask the security guard. If you are claiming for travel expenses, please ask for a receipt (“recibo” in Spanish) to the taxi driver when you arrive at the Residencia).

1. From *República Argentina* to Residencia de Estudiantes through 117 Serrano Street.



Note: As shown in the map, the metro stations *Nuevos Ministerios* (lines 6, 8 and 10) and *Gregorio Marañón* (line 10) are also good options to go to Residencia.

How to get from Residencia de Estudiantes to ICMAT by public transportation: We recommend to walk to *Nuevos Ministerios*. First head south on *Pinar Street*, turn right onto *Pedro de Valdivia Street*, turn right onto *Paseo de la Castellana* and walk 750m until *Nuevos Ministerios*. *Nuevos Ministerios* is an underground multimodal rail station on the metro and the commuter rail network. Walk downstairs, look for the local train station *Cercanías*, purchase a 1 return *cercanías* train ticket with destination *Cantoblanco Universidad* (alternatively, you may prefer to buy a 10-journey ticket to *Cantoblanco Universidad*), take the local train *Cercanías C4* line with destinations *Colmenar Viejo* or *Alcobendas / San Sebastian de los Reyes* (both destinations work), and get off at train station *Cantoblanco Universidad*. ICMAT is about 15-minute walking distance from the train station, walking straight ahead

Francisco Tomás y Valiente Street. Follow the arrows from the train station to ICMAT in the map in Fig. 2 – ICMAT is at the end of this street just on the intersection with 13-15 Nicolás Cabrera Street.

Fig 2. From the train station Cantoblanco Universidad to ICMAT.

