# **Travel Information**



#### Venue

Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse - IAST Toulouse School of Economics - TSE Manufacture des Tabacs - S Building 1 rue des Amidonniers 31000 Toulouse - FRANCE



#### **COMING TO TOULOUSE**

#### By plane



Toulouse-Blagnac International Airport is located 8 km from Toulouse's city center. The tramway directly connects the airport to the city center (around 35 minutes - 1€50). Alternatively, there is a shuttle bus (navette) between the airport and the center (around 20 minutes - 8€00).

More information: http://www.toulouse.aeroport.fr/en

Car rentals are directly available at the airport: <u>http://www.toulouse.aeroport.fr/en/passengers/relax/</u> <u>shops-and-services/all</u>

## By train

A number of train connections are offered to passengers: 11 daily connections to Paris-Austerlitz station and 4 daily connections to Paris Montparnasse station by TGV (high speed train, 5h30 trip). Toulouse-Matabiau SNCF train station is located right in the City Center. It is served by the underground metro, Line A.

French National railway to book your train ticket, please connect to: www.voyages-sncf.com

The Institute is located in the heart of the city center, parking is particularly constraintful in the centers and hotels have private car parks, however we suggest travelling on foot or by bike.

# From the Airport

#### Airport shuttles:

The "Flybus" shuttle bus service is available from the airport to the City Center, even during weekends. The bus stop near to the Institute is "Compans-Caffarelli" bus station. Departures are every 20 minutes from / to the airport / Toulouse, with 4 stops in the City Center: Compans-Caffarelli Center - Place Jeanne d'Arc - Allées Jean-Jaurès - and the coach station terminus (close to the rail station).

#### Timetable and frequency:

Journey time: around 20 minutes depending on the traffic.

First departure from the coach station: 5.00 am, last departure from the coach station: 8.20 pm. First departure from the airport: 7.35 am, last departure from the airport: 0.15 am.

The shuttle service operates every day of the year (including holiday periods and public holidays). *Further information:* 

http://www.toulouse.aeroport.fr/en/passengers/go/access-airport/airport-shuttle

## Tramway T2 'Aéroport-Palais de Justice':

Journey time: around 35 minutes.

First departure from Palais de Justice: 5.50 am, last departure from the coach station: 11.30 pm. First departure from the airport: 7.35 am, last departure from the airport: 0.20 am.

The tramway operates every day of the year (including holiday periods and public holidays). To come to the Institute from the final station, take the Metro B from Palais de Justice to Compans-Cafarelli.

Further information: http://www.toulouse.aeroport.fr/en/passengers/go/access-airport tram

## By Taxis from the airport

Taxis are available on ground floor of the airport. Journey time: approximately 20 minutes. *Taxi companies:* 

- CAPITOLE TAXI Tel. + 33 (0)5 34 250 250
- TAXIS RADIO TOULOUSAINS Tel. + 33 (0)5 61 42 38 38
- ALLO TAXI 31 Tel. + 33 (0)5 62 21 20 00
- LA TOULOUSAINE DE TAXIS Tel. + 33 (0)5 61 20 90 00

Average cost of a single trip: 20€ to 25€ to the city center.

#### From the rail station " Gare Matabiau"

From the rail station called 'Gare Matabiau' at "Marengo SNCF" station on line A, the Institute can be accessed by Metro (underground system).



Underground itinerary: Rail station "Marengo SNCF" Station > Compans-Caffarelli > IAST/TSE

**Take Line A** (underground named 'Marengo - SNCF') to **Jean-Jaurès station** (to Basso-Cambo), then take the second underground Line B until '**Compans Caffarelli**' station (to Borderouge). Get out of the underground, and follow Rue de Lascrosses (Lascrosses Street), then Rue Maréchal Leclerc (Maréchal Leclerc street). At the end of the street, cross the bridge, turn left. The Institute (S Building) will be at the end of the first street on your right (Abreuvoir St Pierre Street). Walk 5 minutes straight ahead.

#### From the metro (underground system)

Take the underground Line B until 'Compans Caffarelli' station (direction Borderouge). Get out of the underground, and follow Rue de Lascrosses (Lascrosses Street), then Maréchal Leclerc (Maréchal Leclerc street). At the end of the street, cross the bridge, turn left. The Institute (S Building) will be at the end of the first street on your right (Abreuvoir St Pierre Street). Walk 5 minutes straight ahead.

Further information: www.tisseo.fr/en/home

#### **Bike rentals:**

There are 253 bike stations all around the city. If you are interested, there are two ways to subscribe:

- going on the website https://abo-toulouse.cyclocity.fr and following instructions. A subscriber's number will be given to you, you then simply need to go to any bike station and dial your number on the terminal.
- registering directly from a bike station: be careful, a deposit of 150€ will be kept from your bank account for 10 days. With the help of your credit card, the terminal will print out a subscription number which you can use throughout your stay.

Rental costs	Day pass	Week pass
First half an hour	Free	Free
Between 30 mins - 1 hour	0.50 cts	0.50 cts
1 hour + to 2 hours	1.50 €	1 €
2 hours + following hour is	2€	1 €

#### Subscription charge is 1.20€ for a day and 5€ for a week.



Way from 'Compans-Caffarelli' to the IAST/TSE. Take Lascrosses Street, then Maréchal Leclerc street. At the end of the street, cross the bridge on the canal de Brienne. Turn left. The institute will be on the first street on your right.

Palais de Justice Final station of the tramway T2 to/from the airport & Metro station line B