



Past Antarctic Ice Sheet Dynamics (PAIS) Conference

FIELD TRIP PROGRAMME

September 9th – 10th 2017

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Saturday September 9th

8.00 departure by bus from Trieste, in front of Stazione Marittima (the conference venue) [Stazione marittima - Google Maps](#)

On the way to Lake Fedaia, stop to look at the Last Glacial Maximum frontal moraine system of the “Piave glacier”, near the first world war historical area of Vittorio Veneto

13.30 arrival at Lake Fedaia and chairlift trip (15 minutes) up to “Pian dei Fiacconi” hut located at 2,626 meters

<http://www.piandefiacconi.com/>

14.00 lunch inside the hut.

15.00 short walk to watch the Marmolada glacier front. Here we will briefly discuss about the present recession of the glacier. Insights about the recent surveys here performed will be given together with a brief discussion on the glaciation of the eastern Alps and how the cryosphere is reacting under climate forcing.

Downhill by chairlift or on foot (45-60 minutes)

Travel by bus to Campitello di Fassa

20:00 dinner and overnight stay at hotel Stella Montis in
Campitello di Fassa

Sunday September 10th

8.30 departure by bus toward Bolzano (Bozen)

10:00 visit of the Archaeological Museum of Alto Adige (mummy Ötzi)
<http://www.bolzano.net/en/iceman-archaeology-museum.html>

12:00 free lunch in Bolzano

13.30 departure by bus toward Trieste

18.30 arrival in Trieste in time for the PAIS conference ice breaker in
town

Costs

The quota (200 euro) includes accommodation (1 night), dinner on Saturday night (drinks are not included), breakfast, light lunch on Sunday (2 sandwiches, 1 fruit, 1 bottle of water) and bus transportation.

Extra costs for participants are:

- chairlift trip up to “Pian dei Fiacconi”: 8 euro (12 euro round trip). *It is free for those who are kindly available to share double rooms at hotel Stella Montis in Campitello di Fassa. Please write to congressi@quickline.it if you agree to share your room.*
- lunch on Saturday inside the hut where you can buy sandwiches or a full meal (main course, dessert, coffee, water and wine) for 20 euros.
- visit of the Archaeological Museum of Alto Adige (mummy Ötzi): 9 euro (it includes the guided tour)



Marmolada glacier seen from the Pass of Falzarego in July 2014. The highest peak of Marmolada is Punta Penà, 3343 m asl (Photo: Renato R. Colucci)



The western front of Marmolada glacier as seen in late summer 2013 (Photo Renato R. Colucci)