How to get to the Hellenic Centre for Marine Research –
HCMR/ELKETHE

Heraklion Airport “Nikos Kazantzakis” (HER): Heraklion International airport “Nikos Kazantzakis”, which it took its name from the famous author Nikos Kazantzakis, is located 4km from the center of city at Alikarnassos/Heraklion. For further information about the air travel:

Flight Information Phone Number: +30 2810 397129 / 397136 / 397800

Airport Information Phone Number: +30 2810 245598

Web site: http://www.heraklionairport.net

The bus stop is outside the terminal building Heraklion Airport. It is the most economical bus transportation from / to the airport. Local shuttle buses leave from the airport every few minutes from early morning until late in the evening from Monday to Saturday and less frequently on Sundays. City bus number 78 goes to the bus station in Heraklion / Iraklion. Their color is blue. Journey time to central Heraklion is around 20 minutes.

Local Bus Phone Number: +30 2810 283270

Web site: http://astiko-irakleiou.gr/en/#main

Taxis offer a fast and flexible way to and from Heraklion International Airport (HEL). Arriving passengers can pick up a taxi at the Taxi Station, which can be reached at the Arrival level of the Terminal, available 24 hours a day, all year round. Heraklion Taxis are grey and have a sigh on the top of the car with the word "TAXI". It costs around 20€-25€ for the city center. The prices is doubled between 12h00 midnight and 06h00. This is applied for the person and also the luggage. Pre-booked private taxis are also available upon request at extra charge, you may call them in advance from the reception of your hotel, or directly to their central, they will come and pick you up from almost everywhere.

Heraklion Airport Taxi Phone Number: +30 2810 210102

The Hellenic Centre for Marine Research – HCMR/ELKETHE can be reached from the airport (HER) as follows:

- By urban bus:
The bus station is outside the terminal building from the part of the departures. Their color is green. You will choose the route: Departures from the station at the port to Chersonisos, Malia, Agios Nikolaos, Ierapetra, Sitia. The frequency of the buses is every 30-45 minutes. It takes a five-minute-plus to arrive to that station from the
timetable. The bus station in which you will get off is called “Gouves” and then it is a ten-minute walk, around 700m in order to arrive to Hellenic Centre for Marine Research – ELKETHE.

A’ bus station NumberPhone Number: +30 2810245020
Web site: https://www.ktelherlas.gr

- **By taxi:**

There are always many taxis at the airport. Alternatively, you can book a taxi online at http://www.heraklioncrete.taxi/ (contact tel.: +30 6937 333 730). After filling in the online form, you should receive a confirmation e-mail within 2-10 hours, with all required information. All taxi-cars are Mercedes with English-speaking drivers. It takes around 15-20 minutes to get to the conference venue.

**Conference Venue**

The ICDSST2018 & Promethee Days will take place in the Hellenic Centre for Marine Research – ELKETHE (Heraklion 710 03), which is located 200m from the sea, and 15km away from Heraklion’s “Kazantakis” International Airport, right next to the CretAquarium. Find your way to the HCMR-ELKETHE by clicking on the map.
In case you are stranded somewhere, here some emergency numbers:
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Giota Digkoglou: +30 6986849339
Police: +30 100