



## 2020 General Assembly meeting

Thursday 16 – Friday 17 January 2019  
(and associated Steering Committee meeting)

hosted and co-organised by

**NIB**

*National Institute of Biology*

Marine Biology Station Piran, Slovenia

<http://www.euromarinenetwork.eu/GA2020/>

## Practical Information

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### VENUE

The meeting will take place at **Marine Biology Station Piran** of the **National Institute of Biology** (<http://www.nib.si/mbp/en/>).



**Marine Biology Station Piran**

**Fornače 41**

**6330 Piran**

**Slovenia**

<http://www.nib.si/mbp/en/>

**GPS coordinates: 45.51795, 13.56887**

Link to Google map showing main  
locations for the meeting:

<http://bit.ly/338hA9S> (in progress)

**Wi-Fi** is widely available at Marine Biology Station Piran.

## OVERALL SCHEDULE

- 16 Jan., 08:30-09:00: registration for the **GA meeting**
- 16 Jan.: **GA meeting** (talks, discussion, poster session), on-site lunch, social dinner
- 17 Jan. AM: **GA meeting** (formal business and decision making), on-site lunch

The meeting will be preceded on 14-15 Jan. by a closed workshop of the EuroMarine Young Scientists Network, more specifically of its working group "Orienting Young Scientists of EuroMarine (OYSTER).

The Steering Committee will meet on 15 Jan. PM and/or on 17 Jan. PM.

## MEETING REGISTRATION - MEALS

Please register online at your earliest convenience, and no later than **30 Nov. 2019**.

EuroMarine will cover **onsite lunches on 16 and 17 Jan.**, as well as a **social dinner on 16 Jan.** For organisational purposes, you are kindly invited to specify upon registering whether you intend to attend these meals (*please save the link provided upon submitting your registration form in order to be able to modify these or other pieces of information closer to the meeting*).

**GA meeting online registration form:** <https://forms.gle/Mmi3j12wp1tfoowB8>  
(also referenced under <http://www.euromarinenetwork.eu/GA2020>).

## SUGGESTED ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS FOR PARTICIPANTS

A list of recommended hotels within walking distance of the meeting venue will be added shortly (as soon as negotiated rates will have been obtained).

## REACHING PIRAN

### FLYING

The nearest airports are:

- **Trieste Airport** (Friuli Venezia Giulia Airport (**TRS**))  
<https://triesteairport.it/en/airport/>  
80 km / 1h 5 min drive to Piran
- **Ljubljana International Airport** (Ljubljana Jože Pučnik Airport (**LJU**))  
<http://www.fraport-slovenija.si/en/>  
142 km or approx. 1h 40 min drive to Piran
- **Venice Marco Polo Airport (VCE)**  
<http://www.veniceairport.it/en/>  
192 km or approx. 2h 15 min drive to Piran
- **Treviso Airport** (Antonio Canova Airport (**TSF**))  
<https://www.trevisoairport.it/en/>  
187 km or approx. 2h 17 min drive to Piran

### BY TRAIN

You can reach Piran from the train stations of **Venice, Trieste or Ljubljana**.

## REACHING PIRAN FROM AN AIRPORT OR A TRAIN STATION

**GoOpti Airport Transfer** offer shuttle service between:

- Trieste-Piran
- Ljubljana-Piran
- Venice-Piran
- Treviso-Piran

The shuttle can be picked up at corresponding airports or trains stations.

Reservations must be made on <https://www.goopti.com/en/>

When can you book a transfer?

- If you want to book a SHARED transfer, you must at the latest do so two days before the actual transfer date by following the booking process on the website. Example: If you want to travel on Wednesday, you need to book your transfer by 11:59 pm on Monday. In general, prices are lower if you book early. You can also buy a last-minute-ticket up to 2 hours before the transfer (but only if seats are still available).
- If you want to book a PRIVATE transfer, you can book it up to 2 hours before the transfer.

Help center: <https://www.goopti.com/en/help/faq>

## MAP

The online meeting map (<http://bit.ly/338hA9S> ) will be updated with hotels and restaurant place markers shortly.

## LINKS LIST

- EuroMarine 2020 GA meeting: <http://www.euromarinetwork.eu/GA2020>
- Registration form: <https://forms.gle/Mmi3j12wp1tfoowB8>
- NIB: <http://www.nib.si/eng/>
- Marine Biology Station Piran: <http://www.nib.si/mbp/en/>
- Online meeting map: <http://bit.ly/338hA9S>
- Weather: <https://www.bbc.com/weather/3193341>
- Touristic link(s):
  - <https://www.portoroz.si/en/discover/piran>

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## ABOUT PIRAN

Please visit the website of Portorož and Piran tourist board to find out more about Piran:

<https://www.portoroz.si/en/discover/piran>

Piran, with its sub-Mediterranean climate, is one of the warmest areas in Slovenia. There are many sunny days, with a yearly average of sun amounting to 2346 hours.

Rainfall is scarce and ranges between 1000 and 1100 mm per year. The mild winters, with temperatures very rarely below zero, are characteristic.

*Temperatures in January – February:*

Air temperature - average	Air temperature - lowest	Air temperature - highest	Sea temperature
6,6 °C	4,6 °C	13,2 °C	7,9 °C