

19th WORLD CONFERENCE OF THE ASSOCIATED RESEARCH CENTRES FOR THE URBAN UNDERGROUND SPACE

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Underground mobility and elevated thinking. New opportunities and challenges in the use of underground urban space.

TOPICS

Underground and climate change: Resilience, sustainability and urban transformation

Challenges of urban underground adaptation and repurposing due to climate change; energy solutions utilizing underground space to respond to climate change

Overcoming challenges in tunneling and underground design and construction

Subsurface (geotechnical, geological/hydrogeological, obstructions) issues; construction and constructability; design issues; related risks and mitigations/solutions

Advanced technologies and innovative solutions

Global metropolises as a catalyst for innovative underground solutions; breakthrough and cutting-edge case studies related to underground space use and development, and related technologies

Architecture and planning - underground

Spatial solutions for underground facilities and underground infrastructure (laboratories, thematic parks, storage, utility tunnels, etc.); systemic approaches on integrated planning of underground urban space in the context of future cities (tools, strategies, valuations, analysis, benchmarking, multidimensional cadastral); utilization of BIM and related tools, Cultural and historical heritage

Safety, security and human factors

Issues related to safe use, maintenance, and operation of underground space; security challenges and solutions; impacts of underground space on human behaviors and decision-making, and related solutions

Legal, entrepreneurial, and real estate aspects of underground space

Property, legal issues, and implementation of 3D cadastral toward underground space definition and use; management, optimized utilization and protection of underground space

Digitalization and AI toward underground space solutions

Artificial intelligence and machine learning toward "smart" solutions in underground space use and development; utilizing large amounts of data toward recognition of patterns, making decisions, and more efficient judging toward making underground pace better for human use; related digital solutions

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IMPORTANT DATES

Opening call

October 4, 2024

Abstract submission deadline

February 01, 2025

Information of abstract's acceptance

March 15, 2025

Full paper submission

June, 15, 2025

Notification of acceptance (paper review)

August 1, 2025

Submission of final manuscripts

September 15, 2025



REGISTRATION FEES

Categories (EUR)	Early-bird until Sep 20, 2025	Regular after Sep 21, 2025	On site Nov 4, 2025
Regular	720,00	840,00	920,00
ACUUS individual members / co-authors	600,00	720,00	790,00
ACUUS institutional members group discount (3+ participants)	550,00	600,00	660,00
Author (2 authors per paper)	480,00	528,00	580,00
Students	360,00	396,00	430,00
Author student	300,00	336,00	370,00
Workshop/Tutorial Fee	120,00	120,00	120,00

All figures are inclusive of 20% VAT and given in EUR

All conference participants must register for the conference.

ABOUT ACUUS

ACUUS is an international, non-governmental organization dedicated to partnerships amongst experts in the field of research, planning, development, utilization and management of urban underground space. Its main aim is to provide a focal point regarding urban underground space that will gather experts from multidisciplinary scientific fields and will allow them to form coherent initiatives regarding the promotion of subsurface development and use of underground infrastructure that will eventually benefit city life.

ABOUT BELGRADE

Belgrade, the "white city", is the administrative, political and cultural center of Serbia, and its largest city, with around 1,6 million residents. It is situated on the confluence of two great european rivers, Danube and Sava, and where the Pannonain Plain meets the Balkans. Thanks to its strategic location, Belgrade has been fought over in 115 wars and razed to the ground 44 times, including by Attila the Hun, who had his way with the area in A.D. 442. Regardless of its rich cultural and historic content, Belgrade is most famous for its vibrant lifestyle. Here you can find your own place of joy no matter what you prefer, or how much money you have, there is something for everybody – exceptional food at numerous restaurants, or at famous "kafanas" (traditional Serbian taverns), "splays" (floating river clubs) and many more night clubs, great coffee houses (the first coffee house in Europe was opened in Belgrade in 1522), and numerous cultural events

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