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XIII Unite! Dialogue

*From short-term E+
project to long-term
alliance*

Welcome Guide

Politecnico di Torino
Torino, Italy
9-12 February, 2026



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make the most of your
week with the PoliTO Unite!
community.

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01 | The Venue

Politecnico di Torino
Torino, Italy



Politecnico di Torino at a glance

First Italian School for Engineers, from 1859 Politecnico di Torino has been training engineers, architects, designers and urban planners involved in all societal changes and innovations.

In nowadays ever-changing global scenario, given disruptive phenomena such as globalization, climate change, cutting-edge and increasingly pervasive technologies, Universities evolve in order to produce their tangible impact. PoliTO thus evolved into an inclusive University, permeable to the labour and industrial realities, playing a key role in innovation and lifelong learning, to become a growing driving force for the sustainable development of society.

Politecnico di Torino was among the first Universities believing in internationalization, which, thanks to huge investments, assumed a leading role in its strategic policies.

A truly international and multicultural environment, with more than 8,000 foreign students (21% of the total number), from more than 120 Countries. The main steps were the enhancement of English-taught study offer and international mobility, together with the creation of an internationalization area focused on attracting international students and researchers, the participation to joint research projects and programmes, and the institution of international centers.

Politecnico di Torino aims today at improving its impact on European and international policy making, contributing as a leading actor to the research environment in the most relevant technological fields, thanks to a close collaboration with worldwide companies and institutions.

Locations overview

Registration and Info Desk

The Registration and Info Desk will be located on

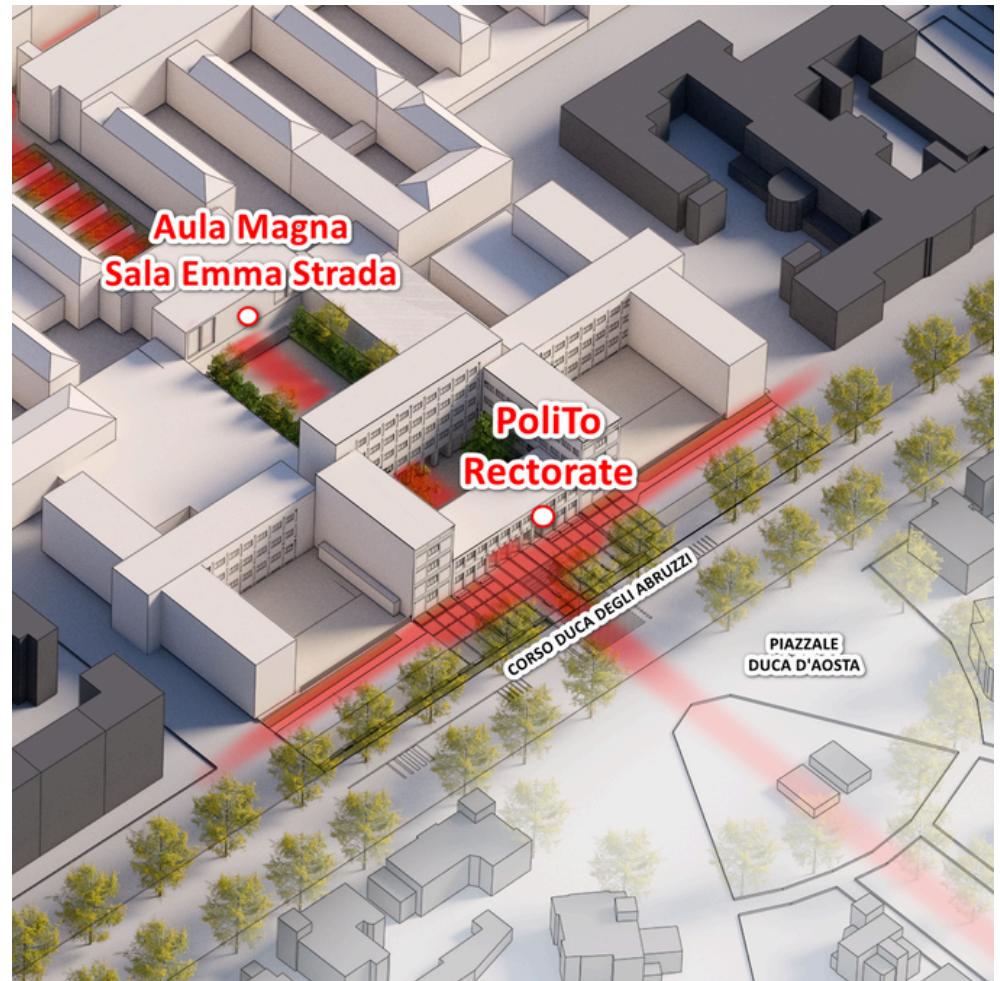
- February 9 (8.30-18.00) and 10 (8.00-18.00): **Sala Emma Strada**, easily accessible from PoliTO main entrance (Corso Duca degli Abruzzi, 24)
- February 11 (8.00-18.00) and 12 (8.30-14.00): **R Classrooms** building, which you can reach from Corso Castelfidardo

Opening and closing ceremonies

The opening and closing plenary sessions of February 10 and 12 will be held in **Aula Magna**, easily accessible from PoliTO main entrance (Corso Duca degli Abruzzi, 24).

Governing Bodies meetings

The Governing Bodies meetings will be held at **PoliTO Rectorate** (Sala Giunta, Sala CDA, Salette A-B), easily accessible from Corso Duca degli Abruzzi, 24.



Locations overview

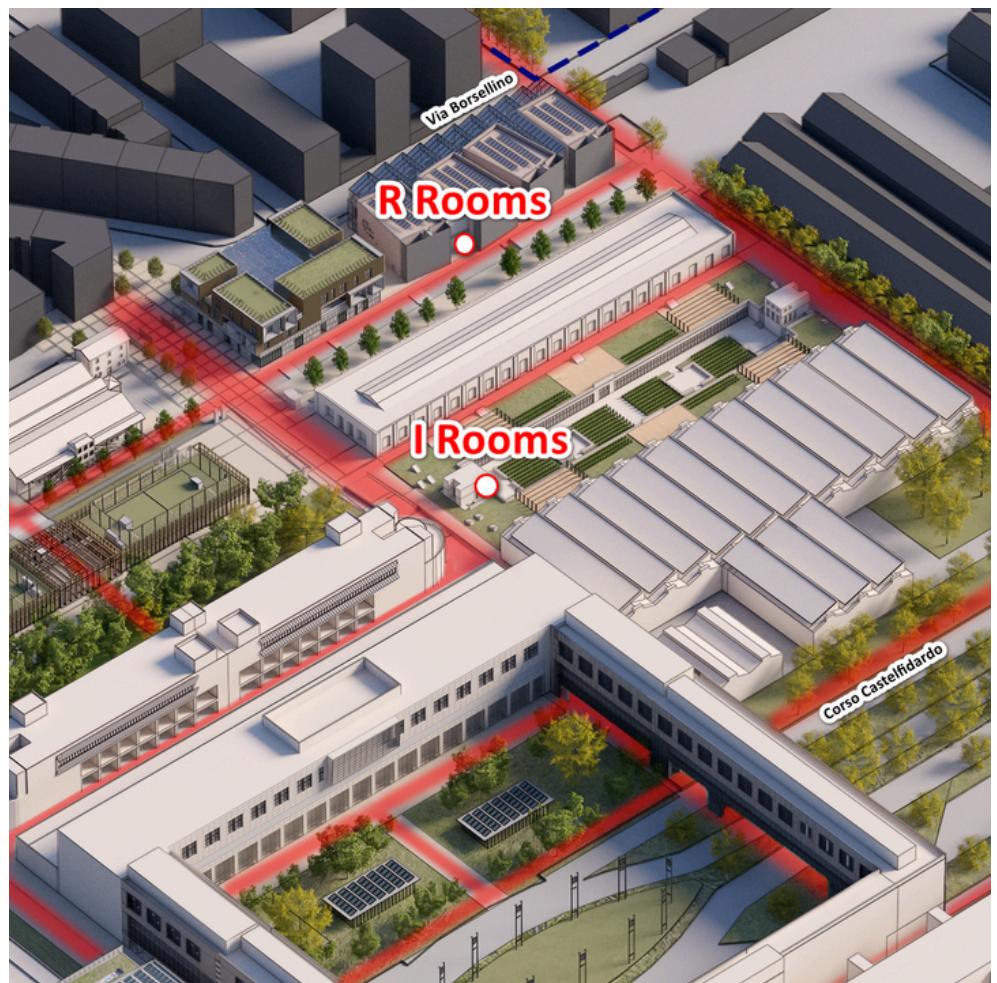
Community Meetings and Future Sessions

The main meetings' venues (included the Future Vision plenary sessions) will be the **R and I Classrooms Pavilions**, at PoliTO Main Campus. You can find them on Google Maps or browsing our web maps. You can reach them by entering from Corso Castelfidardo.

Direct links:

- All Politecnico's maps are available at this link: <https://www.polito.it/en/maps>
- R Classrooms maps are available at [this link](#).
- I Classrooms maps are available at [this link](#).

When browsing one of our maps, click on the link "directions" to open up a Google Maps itinerary.



Additional info

How to reach the XIII Unite! Dialogue venues

By metro: From the city center (and from both Porta Nuova and Porta Susa train stations), you can easily reach Politecnico by taking Torino's M1 metro line (towards Fermi) and getting off at Vinzaglio. The station is within a 6–7 minute walking distance from the Main campus.

By bus/tram: Politecnico Main campus can also be easily reached by bus or tram. The main lines serving the campus are bus lines 12, 33, 58, and tram lines 10, 15, 16. All stops are located directly in front of the campus or within a short walking distance.



Locations in pictures



R Classrooms Pavilion



I Classrooms Pavilion



Main Campus entrance and Rectorate

02 | The Programme



XIII Dialogue Agenda

The XIII Dialogue will focus on Unite! future and prospects, featuring strategic meetings for its governing bodies, SURE! students and working groups.

The programme includes plenary meetings and parallel discussions specifically dedicated to Unite! future, where participants will discuss and collaborate on long-term strategies and upcoming funding opportunities.

Community engagement will be emphasised through social activities, and dedicated dinners—most notably the traditional Unite! Dinner Party. Parallel Unite! Widening and aUPaEU meetings will also be included.

For more details, visit the [Agenda section on the website](#) and browse the detailed programmes below.

The future vision plenary sessions

The Future Vision plenary sessions are forward-looking strategic discussions aimed at sharing the ideas and views of the whole Unite! community on the medium- to long-term role of our Alliance in the evolving landscape of European and global higher education. The SURE! Student Association will lead an ambitious future session open to any interested participant. It is hoped that these discussions may help us put the currently in preparation bridge funding short-term/two-year proposal in the proper perspective.

All members of the Unite! community are strongly encouraged to participate in and contribute to all Future Vision plenary sessions, given the broad scope and relevance of the topics addressed, as well as the opportunity they provide to hear and contribute discuss diverse perspectives, and to collectively reflect on Unite!'s long-term strategy.

Overall Programme at a Glance

Monday 09/02	Tuesday 10/02	Wednesday 11/02	Thursday 12/02
SURE! Student association (9:00-10:30) Student Liaison Officers (9:00-10:30)	CM meetings (9.00-10.30) UAF Committee meetings (Edu, Research) (9:00-10:30) Widening meetings (09:00-10:30) Coffee break (10:30-11:00) Opening session (11:00-12:45) Group Picture (12:45) Lunch (13:00-14:00) Future vision session 1 (led by SURE!) (14.00-16.00) Coffee break (16:00-16:30) CM meetings (16:30-17:30) UNITE! Academic Forum General Meeting (16.30-18.30) Widening GA (16:30-17:30) Community dinners (20:00)	CM meetings (9.00-10.30) VP meetings (Edu, Research) (8.30-10.30) Widening WPLB (8.30-13.00) Coffee break - Language Cafè (10:30-11:00) Parallel sessions (11:00-13:00) Lunch (13:00-14:00) Future vision session 2 (part I) (14.00-15.00) Future vision session 2 (part II) (15.00-16.00) Coffee break (16:00-16:30) Future vision session 2 (part III) (16.30-17.30)	CM meetings (9.00-10.30) Widening meetings (9.00-10:30) Coffee break (10:30-11:30) Plenary conclusion session (11:30-13:00) Social activities UNITE! Dinner Party (20:00)
SLO + SURE! (11:00-13:00) Widening meetings (11:00-13:00)			
Steering Committee (closed session) (14:00-16:00) Widening meetings (14:00-16:00)			
Community coordinators' meeting (16:00-18:00) Social activities			
Dinner for KLO/DKLO, VPs, Secretariat (20:00)			

Monday, 9 February

9:00 - 10:30	<p>SURE! SLO Widening - WP5</p>	<p>Classroom 11 I Classroom 2 I Classroom 6 I</p>
11:00 - 13:00	<p>SURE! + SLO Widening - WP4 Widening - QAB</p>	<p>Classroom 11 I Classroom 9 I Classroom 7 I</p>
14:00 - 16:00	<p>USC (closed session) Widening - WP2</p>	<p>SALA CDA Classroom 9 I</p>
16:00 - 18:00	<p>Community coordinators SLO</p>	<p>SALA GIUNTA Classroom 2 I</p>

Tuesday, 10 February - morning & afternoon

9:00 - 10:30

QM Team

Cm2

Cm3 - General

Cm4/5 - Student catalogue

Cm6

Cm7

Cm8

Cm9 - Impact

Cm9 - SCT

UAF (Education Committee)

UAF (Research Committee)

Widening - WP3

SURE!

Classroom R1B

Classroom R2B

Classroom 3 I

Classroom 12 I

Classroom 1 I

Classroom R4B

Classroom R3B

Classroom 6 I

Classroom 5 I

SALETTA B

SALETTA A

Classroom 9 I

Classroom 11 I

11:00 - 12:45

Opening session

AULA MAGNA

14:00 - 16:00

Future Vision Session I - Led by SURE!

Classrooms R1 and R3

Tuesday, 10 February - afternoon

16:30 - 17:30

Widening - GA

SURE!

QM Team

Cm2

Cm3 - Wellbeing Expert team

Cm3 - VIO (Expert team meeting with SURE!)

Cm4 - Faculty offerings

Cm5 - Virtual fair

Cm5.4

Cm6.6

Cm7

Cm8

Cm8.4

Cm9 - SCT

Cm9 - Outreach

Classroom 9 I

Classroom 11 I

Classroom R1B

Classroom R2B

Classroom 8 I

Classroom 7 I

Classroom 4 I

Classroom 3 I

Classroom 12 I

Classroom 1 I

Classroom R4B

Classroom R3B

Classroom 6 I

Classroom 5 I

Classroom 2 I

16:30 - 18:30

UAF - General Meeting

SALA CDA

Wednesday, 11 February - morning

8:30 - 10:30

Vice Presidents - Research

SALA CDA

Vice Presidents - Education

SALETTE A-B

Widening - WPLB (8:30-13:00)

Classroom 9 I

9:00 - 10:30

QM Team

Classroom R1B

Cm2

Classroom R2B

Cm3 - Welcome Expert team

Classroom 3 I

Cm3 - Wellbeing

Classroom 8 I

Cm3 - VIO

Classroom 7 I

Cm4.2a - JP

Classroom 4 I

Cm4/5/2

Classroom 12 I

Cm6.5

Classroom 10 I

Cm6.4

Classroom 1 I

Cm7

Classroom R4B

Cm8

Classroom R3B

Cm9 - SCT

Classroom 5 I

Cm9 - Outreach

Classroom 2 I

Cm9 - Impact

Classroom 6 I

SURE!

Classroom 11 I

Wednesday, 11 February - morning & afternoon

10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break - Language Cafè	R Classroom building, ground floor
11:00 - 12:00	Parallel Session: QM Team- PDCA in Practice: a Hands-On Training	Classroom R1B
11:00 - 13:00	Parallel Session: Road to Institutional Politeness Workshop	Classroom 3 I
	Parallel Session: Building collaborative Unite! course: a teachers' workshop	Classroom 11 I
	Parallel Session: Sustainability at POLITO: The Campus as a Living Laboratory	Classroom R3B
	Parallel Session: Creating impact within Unite!: From ripples to waves	Classroom 5 I
	Parallel Session: Agora and Institutional Transformation	Classroom R4
Cm6.2		Classroom 4 I
Cm6.3		Classroom 6 I
14:00 - 15:00	Future Vision Session 2 (part I)	Classrooms R1 and R3
15:00 - 16:00	Future Vision Session 2 (part II)	Classrooms R1 and R3
16:30 - 17:30	Future Vision Session 2 (part III)	Classrooms R1 and R3

Thursday, 12 February

9:00 - 10:30

QM Team

Cm2

Cm3 - General

Cm4.2a - EDL workshop

Collaborative courses WG

Cm5.5

Cm7

Cm8

Cm9 - SCT

Widening - WP5

SURE!

SLO

Classroom R1B

Classroom R2B

Classroom 3 I

Classroom 6 I

Classroom 12 I

Classroom 10 I

Classroom R4B

Classroom R3B

Classroom 5 I

Classroom 9 I

Classroom 11 I

Classroom 2 I

11:30 - 13:00

Plenary Conclusion Session

AULA MAGNA

Parallel sessions

Wednesday 11/02 11:00-13:00

Agora and Institutional Transformation – AUPaEU Focus Group

Room R4 - aUPaEU

The focus group, organized by the aUPaEU project, will examine how the Unite! Agora digital platform can support institutional transformation within the Unite! Alliance in alignment with the European Research Area (ERA) priorities. The session will present Agora services and engage participants in a guided discussion to collect feedback on improving access to and sharing of infrastructures and resources, as well as research career attractiveness and talent circulation.

Building collaborative Unite! courses: a teachers' workshop

Room 11I – Collaborative Courses support WG

Interactive training on designing collaborative international courses (blended/online). Covers key benefits and challenges of cross-institution teaching, with real Unite! case studies. Gives practical tools and support info to help create new courses aligned with Unite! strategy and EU job-market needs.

Please register by Monday 09/02 at

<https://forms.office.com/e/m1bZVpv2fv>

PDCA in Practice – A Hands-On Training

*Room R1B - QM Team *from 11:00 to 12:00*

This interactive training explores the practical use of the PDCA (Plan-Do-Check-Act) cycle to improve everyday work. Participants apply PDCA to their own challenges and leave with a simple, ready-to-use improvement approach.

Creating impact within Unite! From ripples to waves

Room 5I – Cm9

This interactive workshop is open to all Uniters! to help them understand how they can transform the outputs of their activities into impactful results. Through reflection and the sharing of results, participants will work in groups to go through the process of converting immediate outputs ("dropping stones into water") and identifying the first ripples, to achieve longer-term transformative results ("waves"). Together, we'll work on connecting these effects to the goals and mission of Unite!, to create impactful stories using the Impact Toolkit as a guide.

Road to Institutional Politeness Workshop

Room 3I – Cm3

The workshop builds on previous activities and the Road to Institutional Kindness podcast, focusing on non-violent communication, politeness and kindness. It examines how politeness and kindness are understood across cultural contexts and shaped by patriarchal culture and pretty privilege. The workshop combines a theoretical section with reflective exercises and a participatory discussion aimed at collective, action-oriented thinking.

Please register at

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/1b8dcrYA5A>

Sustainability at POLITO: The Campus as a Living Laboratory

Room R3B + campus tour (only offsite) – Cm8

An overview of the sustainability initiatives at Politecnico di Torino, presented as a living laboratory, by Prof. Patrizia Lombardi, Vice Rector for Sustainable Campus and Living Lab. From the Green Team governance structure to on-campus actions, highlighting the key role of students and staff.

Additional details

Lunch and coffee break

All lunches and coffee breaks, beginning Tuesday, February 10th, will be provided on the ground floor of the R Classrooms Pavilion.

The coffee break of Wednesday, 11 February, will be enriched by our now traditional Language Cafè! Everyone in the Unite! community is warmly encouraged to participate.



Water Refill Points

Water refill points are conveniently located throughout the campus, allowing you to easily refill your bottle at any time. You can find these refill stations in several areas, including the R Rooms and I Rooms, ensuring you have access during the entire event. Follow the map for directions!

Unite! Dinner Party

The plenary dinner on Wednesday, February 11th, at 8 p.m. will take place at the Foyer del Toro in the renowned Teatro Regio, Torino's celebrated opera house, located at Piazza Castello 215. **Do not forget to bring your badge!**



Social Activities

All the registered participants have received detailed information via e-mail. In case you need, contact the organisers via e-mail at unite-dialogue@polito.it. Reach out our KLO Professor Roberto Zanino to join him skiing in Monginevro! Contact him with an e-mail to: roberto.zanino@polito.it.

Not sure how to sort it? Ask NANDO!

Our **smart bins** are here to help you sort your waste correctly during the event

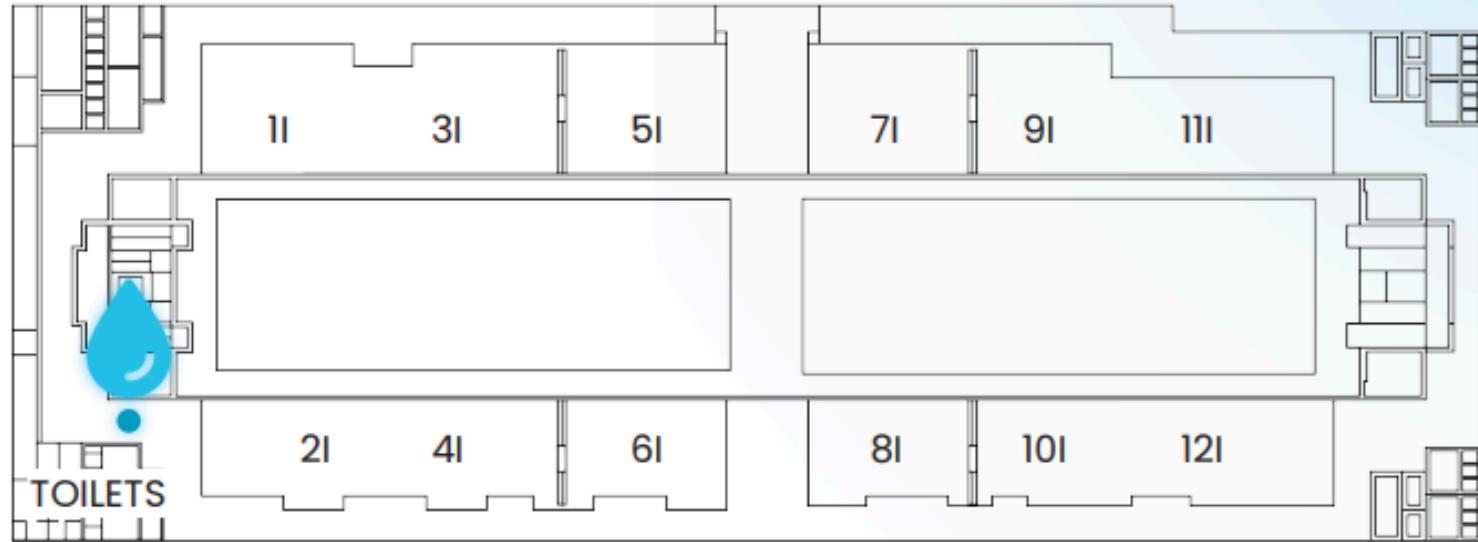
Not sure where to fill your water bottle?

Look out for our free **water dispensers** near the vending machines on Campus

Attiva Windows

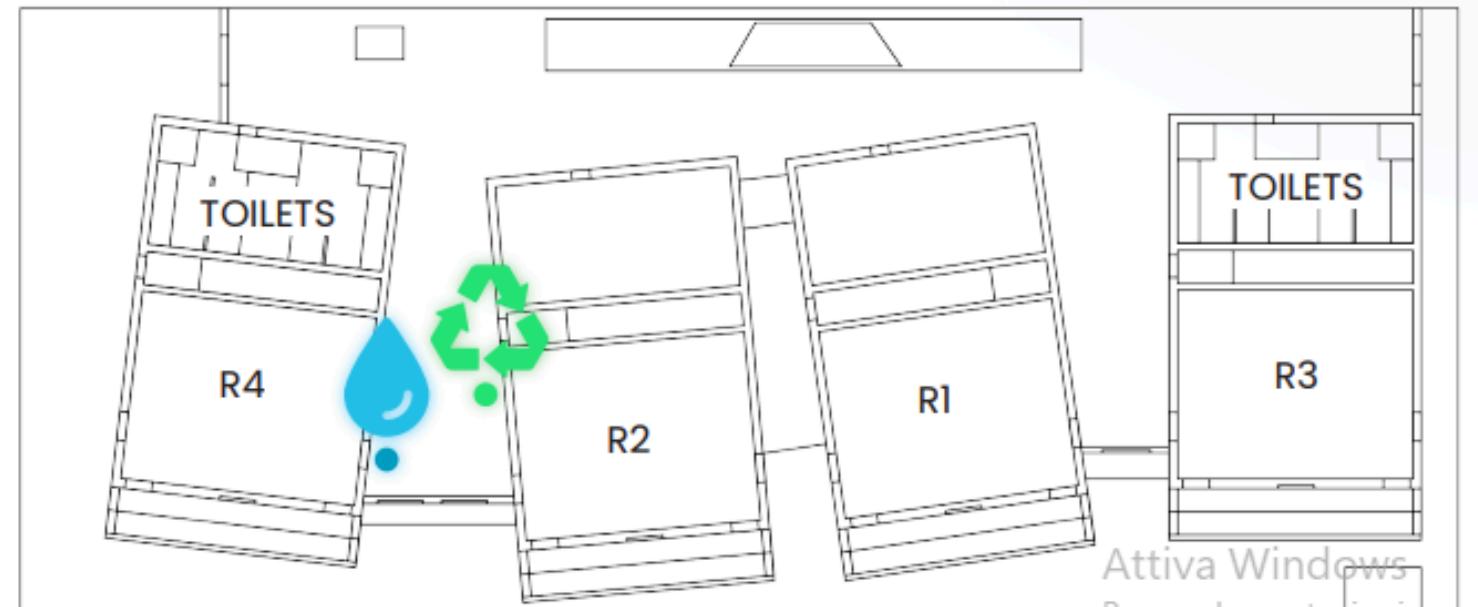
I Classrooms building

FIRST BASEMENT FLOOR



R Classrooms building

GROUND FLOOR



03 | Practical info



Information and contacts

Contacts

This Welcome Guide will be constantly updated. Do you have any further questions?

You can contact the organisers via e-mail at unite-dialogue@polito.it.

**In case of emergency, please contact the numbers:
+390110907777 or +393357507354.**

In case of extreme urgency or inability to contact the above-mentioned numbers, please call the European Emergency Number: 112.

Accessibility

All locations have been carefully chosen to ensure maximum accessibility for every participant. Our team is available to assist you with any additional needs. If you require support, please contact our local CM3 representatives at life.equality@polito.it.

Sustainability

In line with Politecnico commitment to sustainability and inclusive practices, the XIII Unite! Dialogue has integrated specific sustainability criteria into its event planning. For the first time, the event adopted the PoliTO checklist, developed to support organisers in embedding environmental sustainability and social inclusion throughout the entire event lifecycle. We invite all participants to avoid resources waste, e.g. returning your lanyards at the end of the event. For further information, please contact sostenibilita@polito.it.

Technicalities

All event rooms will be well-equipped to facilitate interactive meetings. IT people will be available for technical support. We suggest bringing your personal laptops and, if you work with a Mac, your adaptors.

Stay tuned

Wi-Fi

Wi-Fi is available to anyone via eduroam (encrypted network). In case of connection issues, feel free to contact our Unite!-PoliTO staff.



Web and Social media

Browse the [XIII Dialogue's website](#), and follow Unite! on social media to keep up with the latest updates, news, and highlights.



LinkedIn: Unite! - University Network for Innovation, Technology and Engineering



Instagram:
@uniteuniversity

If you post anything related to the dialogue, please use the hashtags:
#Letsunite
#UniteDialogue
#PoliTODialogue

05 | Welcome to Torino!



Cultural insights

Torino is the **capital of the Piedmont region** and an important industrial and cultural center in northern Italy. Its ultimate foundation occurred around 28 BC, when Octavian Augustus made a second colony with the name of Augusta Taurinorum. The castrum (the current "Quadrilatero") developed with an urban layout typical of Roman cities that can still be seen. From 1563, it was the capital of the Duchy of Savoy, then of the Kingdom of Sardinia ruled by the Royal House of Savoy and finally the first capital of the unified Italy.

In the early 20th century, in addition to being one of the world's **industrial** centers, Torino was also a **pioneer of cinema**; in fact, the Turin-based companies Ambrosio Film and Itala Film, along with Rome-based Cines, led the Italian film industry between 1903 and 1908. Through the beginning of the 20th century, Torino was known as the "Capital of Cinema": 1400 films were produced in the city, and the 1911 Universal Exhibition in Torino could almost be considered the first international film festival ever.

Torino is well known for its **architecture**: Renaissance, Baroque, Rococo, Neo-classical, and Art Nouveau are some of the architectural styles you can see around the city. In 1997, part of Torino's historic center was inscribed on the World Heritage List.

The city is home of the world-famous **Egyptian Museum** and of the **National Museum of Cinema**, housed in the Mole Antonelliana, the city's symbol. Other important Museums not to be missed are the **National Museum of the Italian Risorgimento**, **GAM-Gallery of Modern and Contemporary Art**, the **Sandretto Re Rebaudengo Foundation**, **MAUTO - The National Automobile Museum**, and **Camera – Italian Centre for Photography**.

Torino is known for its **cultural heritage**, from museums to Royal Palaces and castles. The city offers a rich variety of **cultural events** like the Festival of Chocolate, the International Book Fair, the Salone del Gusto (Slow Food festival), and the Art Week (contemporary art festival, held in November). In Torino you can taste delicious dishes from the best of Piedmont tradition, like Grissini (breadsticks), Agnolotti (local dumplings), Bagna Caoda (hot sauce made from garlic, anchovies and olive oil), Bicerin (hot drink made with coffee, cream and chocolate), Gianduotto (hazelnut chocolate) and gelato (ice-cream). You can experience the excellent Piedmont red and white wines made from the exquisite grapes grown in the hills of the region. And don't miss the beloved ritual of Aperitivo, a moment when people meet for a drink accompanied by appetizers before dinner (often, it evolves into a dinner in itself!).

Traveling to Torino

By train

Torino has two main railway stations (Porta Nuova and Porta Susa), both located downtown and well connected with high-speed trains operated by Trenitalia and Italo.

Main domestic high-speed train routes:

Milan – Turin (Frecciarossa, Italo), ~1 hour

Connections from Milano Centrale and Milano Porta Garibaldi to Torino Porta Susa and Torino Porta Nuova.

Rome – Turin (Frecciarossa, Italo), ~4 hours, 30 min
Direct connection with intermediate stops at Florence Santa Maria Novella and Bologna Centrale.

By air

Torino Caselle International Airport (TRN) is located about 20 km from downtown Torino and is very well connected.

Regular flights operated by major and low-cost airlines connect Torino with major Italian and European cities.

Milano Malpensa International Airport (MXP) is about 130 km from Torino and offers a large variety of national and international flights.

To reach the centre of Torino from Milano Malpensa or Torino Caselle airports, passengers may take advantage of convenient connections provided by dedicated shuttle services or rail links.

Airport Connections

Torino Caselle Airport-City center shuttle buses

The city center of Torino is linked with the Torino Caselle International Airport with shuttle buses running every 15'/30' minutes.

Arriva bus company

The ride starts in Piazza Carlo Felice (between Corso Vittorio Emanuele II and Piazza Lagrange, in front of Porta Nuova railway station). The intermediate stops are Porta Susa railway station (bus stop 13 Corso Bolzano), Corso Umbria corner via Livorno, Via Borgaro 103, Airport road (stop Veronese), Borgaro Torinese and Caselle town.

Journey time: 45/50 minutes.

Torino Airport – Torino city center shuttle ticket: € 7.50 from ticket office/machine, € 8.50 on-board (€ 7.50 only with contactless credit card).

For further information, visit the [Arriva website](#).

Fibco bus company

The trip starts from Corso Vittorio Emanuele II 131/H, Stallo 5 (near to the Porta Susa railway station), without any intermediate stops.

Journey time: 25 minutes.

Torino Airport – Torino city center shuttle tickets: from € 2,99 (online); the price can be higher on site.

For further information, visit the [Fibco website](#).

Train between Torino Caselle Airport and the city center

The city center of Torino is linked with Torino Caselle International Airport also by train (Trenitalia company).

Train stops in Torino are Torino Corso Grosseto, Torino Rebaudengo Fossata, Torino Porta Susa, and Torino Lingotto.

Journey time to Porta Susa: about 30 minutes.

Torino Airport – Torino city center tickets: € 3,70

For further information, visit the [Trenitalia website](#).

Airport Connections

Milano Malpensa Airport-Torino city center shuttle buses

Milano Malpensa International Airport has a shuttle bus service to Torino.

Arriva bus company

The shuttle stops near Torino Porta Susa train station (Autostazione C.so Bolzano bus stop).

Journey time: about 2 hours

Milano Malpensa Airport – Torino city center shuttle ticket: € 22,00

For further information, visit the [Arriva website](#).

Flibco bus company

The ride starts/arrives in Torino Lingotto, with intermediate stops: Torino Porta Susa, Torino Stura (Corso Giulio Cesare).

Journey time: about 2 hours

Milano Malpensa Airport – Torino city center shuttle ticket: € 22,00

For further information, visit the [Flibco website](#).

Train between Milano Malpensa Airport and Torino city center

The city center of Torino is linked with the Milano Malpensa International Airport also by train.

Taking the Malpensa Express (Trenord Company), the ride starts at Malpensa Airport and the train arrives at Milano Centrale station, without any intermediate stops.

Here you have to change the train and take the one that goes to Torino Porta Nuova (Trenitalia company).

Journey time: about 2 hours (in total)

Tickets: Malpensa Express: € 15,00 / Trenitalia: € 25,00 – € 30,00

For further information, visit the [Trenitalia](#) website and the [Malpensa Express](#) website.

Mobility and more info

Public transport

The public transport system in Torino, managed by GTT, includes buses, trams and one underground line (Metro).

Tickets can be purchased at the Metro ticket machines or from GTT retailers (tobacconists, newsagents, cafés):

The standard ticket costs € 2.00 (€ 1.90 online) and is valid for 100 minutes after validation.

Multiple tickets and daily/weekly tickets are also available.

For additional information, visit the [GTT website](#).

Taxi

Politecnico di Torino is committed to sustainable values and advises its guests to prefer public transport whenever possible. However, taxis can be booked by phone at the number (+39) 0115737 or (+39) 0115730. Taxis are available in the city and outside the Torino Caselle Airport arrival hall.

The ride from Torino Airport to Torino city center is about 30 minutes and costs approximately € 40.

[See more on our website!](#)

Additional info

Telephone

Essential telephone contacts:

- European number for emergencies: 112
- Tourist Information Center: +39 011 535181
- Torino Caselle Airport: +39 011 5676361-2
- Milano Malpensa Airport: +39 02 232323

Telephone access code: Italy +39, Torino 011

Opening hours

City centre shops: Mon. to Sat. from 10.00 am until 8.00 pm

Shopping Centers: Every day from 9 am until 10 pm

Restaurants: Lunch from 12.00 am until 3.00 pm. Dinner from 7.00 pm until 12.00 pm

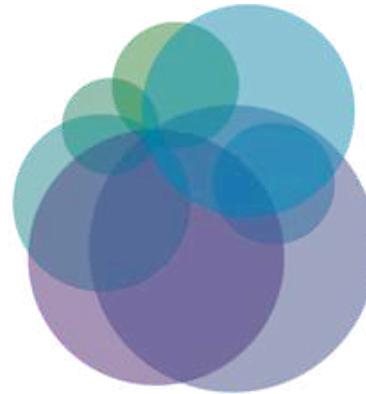
Pharmacies: Mon. to Sat. from 8.30/9.00 am to 12/12.30 pm and from 3.30 pm to 7:00 pm. Information on 24-hour pharmacy service is displayed outside all pharmacies.

Electricity

Voltage in Italy is **220 volts** with a frequency of 50 hertz and plugs are of the three-pin (**type-L**) and two-pin (**type-C**) continental type.



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