

# How to get to Alcalá

## From Madrid

#### By train:

There are three Renfe train lines (Cercanías) that make the Madrid-Alcalá de Henares route: line C2 (Chamartín-Guadalajara), line C7 (Príncipe Pío-Alcalá de Henares) and line C8 (Cercedilla-Guadalajara). **All three lines will take you to the Historic Campus of Alcalá de Henares** and all of them stop at the main stations in Madrid.

The main stations where you can take these three lines are the following: Chamartín, Príncipe Pío, Nuevos Ministerios, Recoletos, and Atocha.

You will find the official line map of Renfe Cercanías in this link. Depending on which line you take and from which station, the travel time usually varies between 45 minutes and 1 hour and a half. Please note that trains pass quite frequently – approximately every 10 minutes.

Please keep in mind that the conference venue is in the Historic Campus whose train stop is Alcalá de Henares. The University of Alcalá has 3 campuses, two of them in Alcalá and another in Guadalajara. The two campuses in Alcalá are the Scientific-Technological Campus, located in the expansion area of the city on the outskirts (Stop La Garena or Universidad de Alcalá).

#### By bus:

Madrid is well connected to Alcalá de Henares through the Intercambiador Avenida de América (Subway station Avenida de América). Once there, take the bus N° 223 (Alsa), which departs to Alcalá de Henares every 10-15 minutes. The ride takes 40-45 minutes.

#### By car:

Take the highway A-2, direction Zaragoza, exit 23 to Alcalá de Henares (West). The ride takes around 30 minutes.

# From Madrid Airport - Barajas

# By Taxi:

From the Airport, take a taxi to Alcalá de Henares. The ride takes about 20 minutes and costs approximately 45€ (<u>Please check it here</u>)

## By Bus:

The easiest way to get Alcalá de Henares is taking bus number 824 at terminals T1 and T2 at the Airport. You must get off at the stop located in Brihuega Street in Alcalá de Henares, which is ubicated in the downtown; in addition, it 's the closest stop to the venue. The ride takes about 40 minutes.

This bus departs from the Airport every 30 minutes from Monday to Friday between 6:30 and 22:00 and every hour on Saturdays, Sundays, and holiday days from 7:30 to 22:30.

More information: https://www.turismoalcala.es/como-llegar-a-alcala-de-henares/