



1st INTERNATIONAL CANCER SCIENCE CONGRESS 2023

“Personalized cancer care: from omics technologies to complementary medicine”

EXCURSIONS

Please, book the excursions by writing an email to the following contacts:

To: lilianacorsale@gmail.com (Liliana will reply to you with details for payment)

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In the email: **indicate** Name-Surname, Number of visitors, type of excursion (e.g., Mazara del Vallo, Favignana, Erice-Segesta, Palermo city tour); also specify the transfers you require (Airport to Trapani; Erice-Segesta to Addaura Village; Addaura village to/return from Palermo); number of nights in Trapani. NOTE: **transfer by bus** from Erice-Segesta to Addaura Village: **30.00 EUR/person**

Excursions at the below prices are confirmed for a minimum of participants 20/30 people.

Transfer by bus from Palermo Airport to Trapani hotel (55 minutes): **30.00 EUR/person**

Hotel 4* in Trapani (including breakfast): **95.00 EUR/night single; 100.00 EUR/night double**

- Excursion 1)
October 2nd, 2023

MAZARA DEL VALLO

Full-day Mazara excursion by bus (1h 10 minutes).

Cost: **30.00 EUR/person**

Note: Guide and lunch to be added on request

Mazara del Vallo is a town in the southwestern Sicily. Mazara was founded by the Phoenicians in the 9th century BC with the name of Mazar who made it an important mercantile emporium. The discovery of Phoenician vases demonstrate the existence of a Phoenician port built between the 6th and 5th centuries BC. Today Mazara is widely considered to be one of the most important fishing centers of Italy.



- Excursion 2)
October 3rd, 2023

FAVIGNANA

Full-day boat excursion to Favignana (1h 20 minutes).

Cost: **75.00 EUR/person** (cost of getting to the port to be added)

Note: Lunch not included

Favignana is the largest of the three principal Egadi Islands. The island is often described as having a "butterfly" shape. Favignana town is located on a narrow isthmus connecting the two "wings", which have quite different characteristics. The eastern half of the island is largely flat, while the western half is dominated by a chain of hills of which Monte Santa Caterina is the tallest. It is topped by a fort, originally established by the Saracens. It was used by the Italian military and closed to the public. It has now been abandoned. A number of small islands are situated off the south coast of Favignana. The island is famous for its caves of calcarenite rock (locally known as "tufo") and the ancient fishing technique of tonnara, with the trapping and mattanza (slaughter) of bluefin tuna. It hosts the historical Tonnara di Favignana. As the island consists mainly of calcareous rocks, there are few beaches on the island; however, it is a popular site for snorkeling and for day trips from nearby Trapani.



- Excursion 3)
October 4th, 2023

ERICE and SEGESTA

Full-day Erice and Segesta excursion by bus (25 minutes).

Cost: **60.00 EUR/person** (included transfer from Erice-Segesta to Addaura Village)

Note: Guide and lunch to be added on request

Erice medieval village overlooking Trapani is one of the most touristy places in Sicily. At sunset, the view on the salt flats of Trapani, the Egadi islands gives its best. The medieval atmosphere, the fresh air and the beautiful pine forests that surround it makes of Erice one of the destinations favored by tourists.

Segesta was one of the main cities of the Elymi, a people of peninsular culture and tradition that according to ancient tradition, came from Troy. The city, strongly Hellenized in appearance and culture, achieved a leading role among the Sicilian centers and in the Mediterranean basin, to the point of involving Athens and Carthage in its secular hostility with Selinunte. Segesta was abandoned after the vandal raids, but recent investigations have detected a late-ancient phase, a large village of Muslim age, followed by a Norman-Swabian settlement, dominated by a castle at the top of Mount Barbaro. Already famous for its two main monuments, the Doric temple and the theater, Segesta now has a new season of discoveries, due to scientific excavations aimed at restoring an overall image of the city.



- Excursion 4)
October 8th, 2023

PALERMO

Hop on – Hop off

Transfer from Addaura Village e Congressi to Palermo (30 minutes): **20.00 EUR/person**

Cost:

- HOP ON HOP OFF in Palermo **19.00 EUR/person**

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Note: Lunch not included.

