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# 8th Foundations of Systems Biology in Engineering

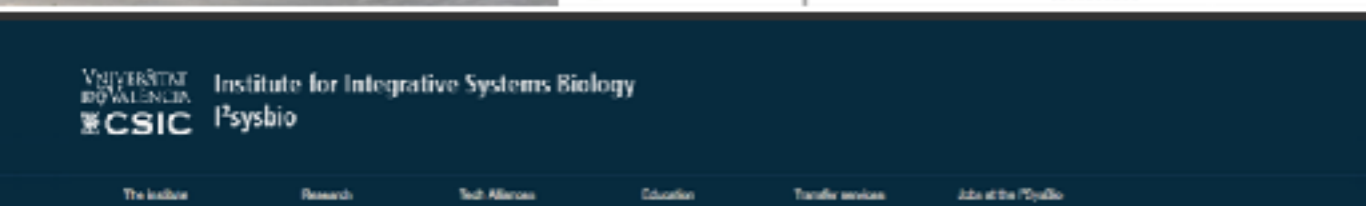


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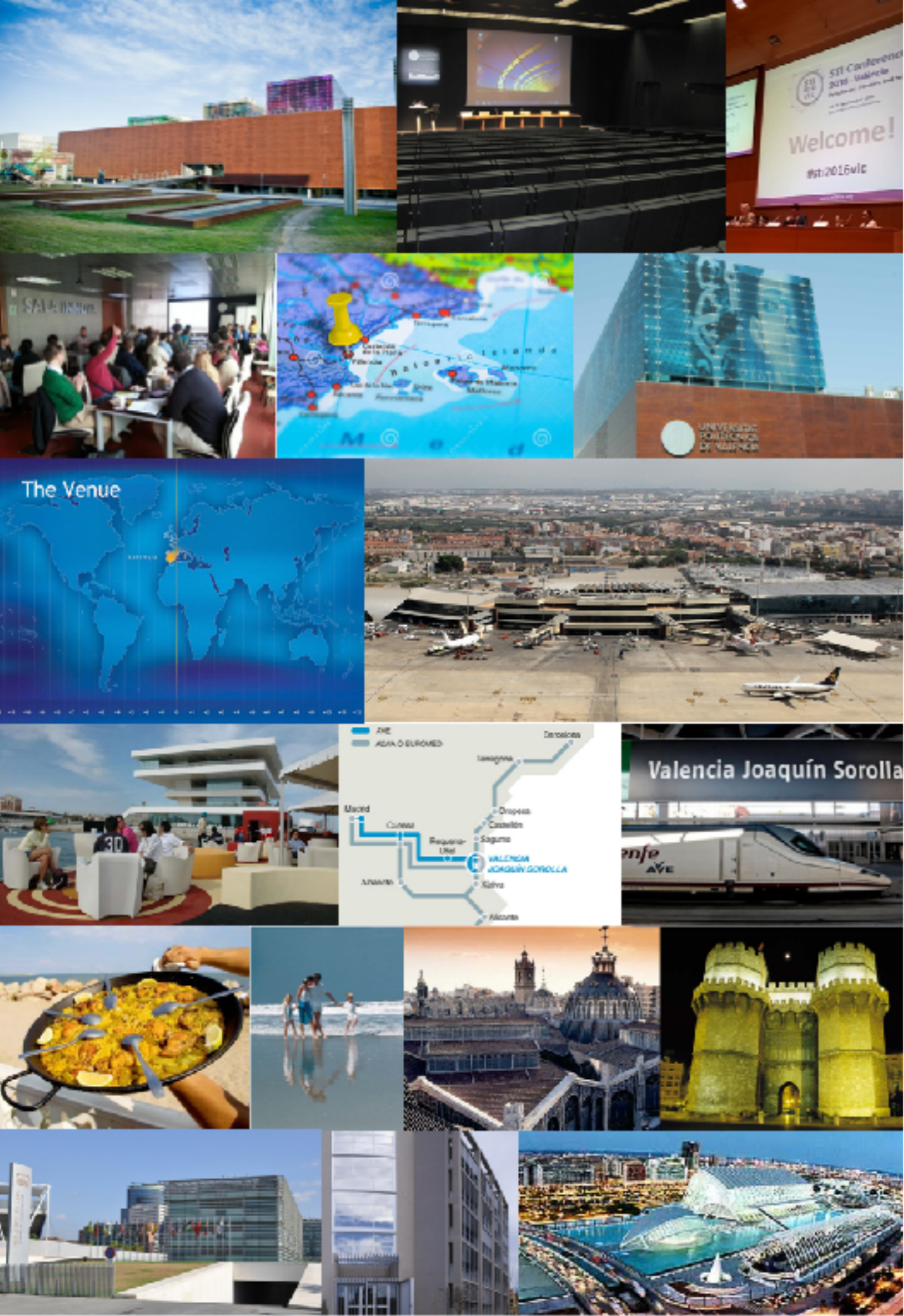
# VALÈNCIA

- ▶ Third largest city in Spain (1,5 million people), with a Mediterranean lifestyle, mild climate and 322 days of sunshine per year.
- ▶ More than 2000 years of history (founded by the Romans).
- ▶ One of the largest old quarters in Europe.
- ▶ Cultural and economic capital of the Mediterranean during the 14th and 15th centuries.
- ▶ 42 Museums and collections (including second largest Fine Arts Museum in Spain), 12 Theatres, 2 Music Halls, largest Marine Park in Europe.
- ▶ Mediterranean food
- ▶ Top quality beaches
- ▶ Guided walking tours
  - ▶ Dramatised night tours
  - ▶ Valencia Tourist Bus
  - ▶ Segway and bike tours
  - ▶ Boat trips
  - ▶ Farmland tours...



# SYSTEMS AND SYN BIO IN VALÈNCIA

- National Research Council-UPV Institute for Plant Molecular and Cell Biology
- National Research Council-Universitat de València Estudi General (UVEG) Institute for Integrative Systems Biology
- National Research Council Institute of Biomedicine
- Principe Felipe Research Centre for Biomedical Research
- Spain's only city with regular iGEM teams since 2006
- Close to:
  - Centre for Genomic Regulation (Barcelona)
  - National Centre for Biotechnology (Madrid)
  - Systems and Syn Bio groups in Barcelona, Madrid, Vigo and others in Spain



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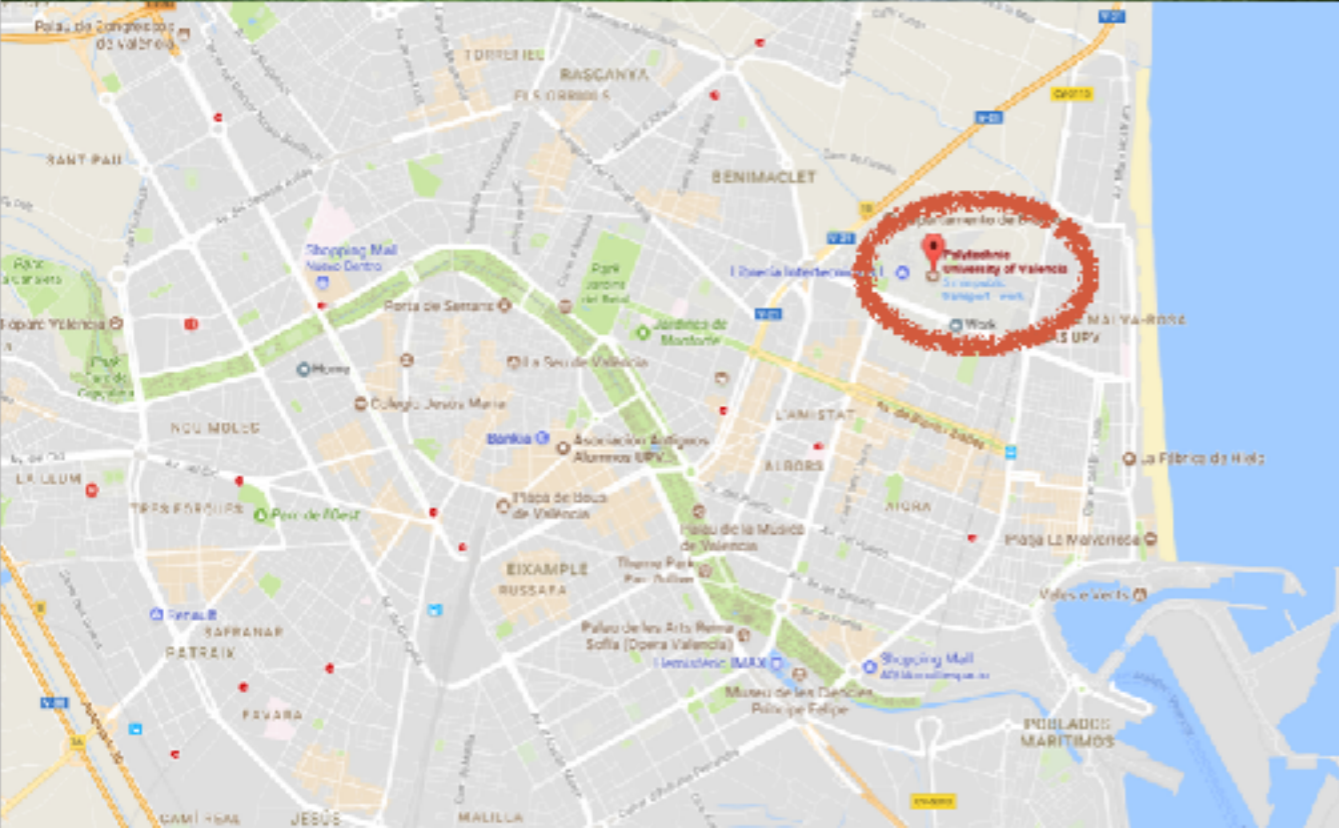
## ► MARK THE DATES:

Draft paper submission deadline: March 29th 2019

Conference dates: October 14th-19th 2019

## ► CHECK FOR UPDATES AT

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# VENUE

- Universitat Politècnica de València (UPV), ([www.upv.es/index-en.html](http://www.upv.es/index-en.html)): Spain's top technological university according to the major global rankings assessing higher education quality.
- Over 42,000 members: about 37,800 students, 2,600 lecturers and 1,700 management and service personnel.
- 15 schools and faculties
- UPV's Vera Campus:
  - 25 minutes walk from the historic center and 15 minutes from the Malvarrosa Beach.
  - Simple access by urban bus, metro + tram or bicycle.
  - Designed to move on foot, with a size of 700,000 m<sup>2</sup>, and 100,000 m<sup>2</sup> of green areas.
  - Suited to host conferences and workshops.



# HOW TO REACH VALÈNCIA

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- **By plane: Valencia International Airport**
  - **Direct flights to main European cities:** Amsterdam, Barcelona, Brussels, Dublin, Dusseldorf, Eindhoven, Frankfurt, Geneva, Glasgow, Hamburg, Lisbon, London, Madrid, Milan, Moscow, Munich, Paris, Prague, Rome, Stuttgart, Zurich,....
  - **Easy transit connections from/to America and Asia through main European hubs:** Madrid, London, Frankfurt, Zurich,...
  - **Distance to City:** Centre 8 km. Metro station connects directly with the city centre
- **Train connexions:**
  - **from Madrid:** ALARIS/ AVE (AVE – High Speed Train: connects Madrid with Valencia in just 95 minutes)
  - **from Barcelona:** EUROMED/ALARIS





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*Looking forward to seeing you in València!*