

# sSPT2023 4-10 June 2023, Otranto

## Newsletter #2

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Dear All,

you are receiving this message because either you formally subscribed to our mailing list, or at some point mentioned you would like to receive information about SSPT23. You can of course unsubscribe at any moment.

Preliminary information was circulated earlier on (newsletter #0), as well as infos about hotel reservation, talks and financial help, and the overall schedule (newsletter #1); the previous newsletter are available on the workshop web page <http://www.sptspt.it/SPT2023.html>

This newsletter is about some further “practical” detail and, above all, about pre.registration and proposal of contributed talks.

1. The sSPT23 workshop is organized by G. Gaeta and S. Walcher, with the precious help of R. Vitolo and G. Gubbiotti; in particular, R. Vitolo – who is based in Lecce - provided contact with the hotel and will be able to help participants with “local” matters.
2. A **reservation form** will be posted soon (possibly this week, anyway as soon as the Hotel provides us with it) on our web page. Let me remind that rooms will be reserved for SSPT23 until January 31 and that, should your plans change, cancelation will be possible with no penalty until April 30.
3. Contact with the Hotel, in particular for reservation but also to enquire about any matter, can be made by e-mail at the address [info@hoteldeglihaethey.com](mailto:info@hoteldeglihaethey.com) (the contact person is Mrs Silvia; you may find convenient to quote SSPT2023, also in the subject). Please note that answers will not come in the weekend and that in this season they are working at very reduced rhythm, so a typical delay for answers will be 24/48 hrs.
4. Beside the Hotel rooms, the property also offers a very limited number (5) of small apartments; those interested in these should contact directly the Hotel.
5. As mentioned in earlier communications, the Hotel has 50 rooms, which will be given on a “first come, first served” basis; they may help late comers to find accommodation in nearby hotels, but of course there is no guarantee in this sense.
6. Pre-registration is now open. A **pre-registration form** is available on our web page in PDF and in WORD formats. Please note that the list of pre-registered participants may be made public at some point (if for some reason you want your name not to appear, please state this clearly in the form).

7. Through the same form, you may also propose a **contributed talk**; this requires to give a title and a very brief abstract (a more substantial abstract, for the workshop abstracts booklet, will be required later on for accepted talks). You may also give reference to some (max 3) open access documents (e.g. arXiv papers) related to your proposed talk. Let me remind that the deadline for proposing a talk is January 10 (later proposals will be considered only if there are slots available; we will not extend the overall time devoted to talks, nor compress too much the time allotted to each talk).
8. It will also be possible to present **posters** (most probably in electronic format); these may also be proposed through the pre-registration form.
9. Invited speakers might use the form to provide a tentative title; these may be changed at any time, but a title list may help other people, in particular young ones, to decide if taking part in the conference.
10. Again through the same form (or privately if you prefer) you might also enlist for financial help towards local expenses (we will only be able to cover HB accommodation in the workshop hotel; funded participants will have to take care of their reservation and will be responsible for any cancelation fee); in this case please add a few words about the matter.

You may expect no other newsletter for some time, but will be warned once reservation at “Hotel degli Haethey” is open.

Giuseppe Gaeta

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