

Programme ERIH Annual Conference 2021 – Hybrid Format

6 to 8 October 2021, Gent, Belgium and Online

TOPIC: RESILIENCE

How industrial heritage sites accepted the pandemic challenge and survived the crisis

Wednesday 6th October – General Assembly and Welcome

Individual arrival of delegates

ERIH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Venue: **Museum of Industry, Industriemuseum, Minnemeers 10, 9000 Gent, Belgium**

<https://www.erih.net/i-want-to-go-there/site/museum-of-industry>

- 13.30** **Afternoon: Guided tour (2h)**
 “Traces of Industrial Ghent”
- 15.15** **Check-in Online Participants via Zoom**
 (Login data will be sent two days before the meeting)
- 15.30-16.00** **Arrival and refreshments**
- 16.00** **ERIH General Assembly**
 (ERIH members only)
- 18.00** Guided tours in the Museum
- 18.30** **Welcome and Get-together**
 Dinner at Museum of Industry, Ghent
 guided tour



ONLINE Conference via ZOOM

- 15.15** Check-in Online Participants
- 16.00-18.00** General Assembly Online (Login Details will follow)

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Thursday 7th October – Conference Day

CONFERENCE DAY

Museum of Industry, Industriemuseum, Minnemeers 10, 9000 Gent, Belgium

	On site / Offline		Online
9.30-10.00	Arrival and Registration	9.40-10.00	Check-in Online Participants
10.00	WELCOME Ann Van Nieuwenhuyse, Director of the Museum of Industry Prof. Dr. Meinrad Maria Grewenig ERIH President Short presentation of the Museum of Industry Ann Van Nieuwenhuyse, Museum of Industry, Gent (BE)		
	News from ERIH10 minutes – projects planned, topics envisaged		
	KEY Note Impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on museums in Europe and long-term implications Julia Pagel, NEMO Network of European Museum Organisations (DE)		
	Restarting Industrial Tourism in England: the Impact of COVID-19 Dr Michael Nevell, Industrial Heritage Support Officer for England, The IRONBRIDGE GORGE MUSEUM TRUST (UK)		
	Coffee Break		
	Portuguese National Railway Museum Visitors - Far away but never so close New times, new audiences, new strategies. Maria José Teixeira, Portuguese Railway Museum Foundation (PT)		
	Former Walloon coalmine faced to the Covid-19 Christelle Dethy, Le Bois du Cazier (BE)		
	From 2 million tourists to zero and what's next? Monika Dziobek-Motyka, Cracow Saltworks Museum Wieliczka (PL)		
	The new digital underground (podcasts, radio, guided tours) Aranka Haneke, Eva Westphal, Sascha Keil Berlin Underground Association, Berliner Unterwelten (DE)		
13.45	Lunch Break		
14.30	Introduction to the Workshops – How does TICCIH deal with these issues? Miles Oglethorpe (tbc), President TICCIH		
	WORKSHOP 1 Recovery from Covid, new initiatives?	Online Workshops in small groups <i>(depending on the number of participants)</i> ZOOM Break Out Rooms	
	WORKSHOP 2 European Green Deal – what are the challenges? How can we answer them? What could ERIH do?		
	WORKSHOP 3 How sites change their approaches to multiple audiences (different origin, mentalities, cultural background ...)		
15.30	Break and return to plenum		
16.00-16.30	SUMMARY-CONCLUSION		

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- 16.30** **Farewell to Online Participants**
- 16.30-18.00** Free time for participants in Gent
- 19.00** **Dinner & guided tour at
Restaurant decentrale
(former power station)
Kraankindersstraat 2 - 9000 Gent**



Friday 8th October – EXCURSION (by bus to Brussels)

Start time (tbc) **Museum of Industry**

Tour and Taxis, Brussels

guided tour

www.erih.net/i-want-to-go-there/site/show/Sites/tour-et-taxis
theculturetrip.com/europe/belgium/articles/the-history-of-tourtaxis-in-1-minute

Tour & Taxis was originally Europe's first multimodal freight station, depot and customs hub. While the immense and stunning industrial buildings, built from 1902 to 1907, have outlived their original purpose, a major redevelopment project

has given them a second life as a cultural hotspot in Brussels. During the guided tour we will explore the industrial heritage of this iconic site in the capital.



bus transfer to

TrainWorld, Brussels-Schaerbeek

guided tour, lunch

Schaerbeek station is situated in the middle of the Belgian railway network. Based in the heart of Europe, it lies on the route of Belgium's very first railway track, between Brussels and Mechelen. It is a true gem in Belgian railway architecture. The railway garden connects it with a new industrial hangar. Together with this new museum complex in the form of a sawtooth shape, the Schaerbeek station represents a wonderful symbiosis of old and new in the Art Nouveau heart of Schaerbeek. <https://www.erih.net/i-want-to-go-there/site/train-world>



Airport Brussels (arrival 3pm) - *Transfer back to Gent on demand*

Please note the programme is subject to Covid-19 development and might change due to legal necessities. We will keep you updated on the developments.

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Conference Fees and Payment Details

The conference days can be booked individually; we will send you an invoice for your chosen programme.

The full conference fees include welcome reception, lunch, coffee breaks, and dinner on the conference day. The excursion includes bus transfers, entrance fee, light lunch.

The fees are as follows:

Programme part and date	Members of ERIH, and TICCIH	Non-Members
PHYSICAL CONFERENCE in Gent:		
Full package 6 to 7 October 2021 Pre-Conference Tour, General Assembly (members only), Get-together (6th) Conference incl. evening programme (7th)	90 Euros	140 Euros
Excursion (8 October 2021)	30 Euros	50 Euros
For delegates who only want to attend the Conference Day Thursday, 8th October 2021 in Gent and none of the evening events, please book:		
Conference only Gent 7 October 2021 Conference only rate, no dinner Conference only rate incl. dinner	20 Euros 50 Euros	50 Euros 80 Euros
ONLINE CONFERENCE		
6 October 2021 General Assembly	free	not allowed
Conference 7 October 2021 Conference only rate	free	Donation

Payment of the conference fee must be made in advance to the ERIH bank account (details below) in Euros. Registrations will only be valid when payment is received, you will receive an e-mail invoice upon receipt of your registration. Please note that the conference fee cannot be refunded but you are entitled to nominate a substitute participant (Exception: if participation is not possible due to Covid-19 changes or lock down in your country or in Belgium, we will refund the fees).

Please transfer the correct amount of money to our bank account:

Banking Instructions for International Payments:

Recipient: ERIH European Route of Industrial Heritage e.V.
 Bank address: Sparkasse Duisburg, Koenigstrasse 23-25, 47051 Duisburg
 IBAN: DE46 3505 0000 0200 1277 85
 BIC/Swift Code: DUISDE33XXX
 Reference: **ERIH Conference 2021 + Organisation, Name and Surname**

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Registration:

Please register online by 30th September 2021 at the latest:

Registration for ONLINE Conference via ZOOM: <https://forms.gle/ymFcUJANyAUGgXJM8>

Registration for PHYSICAL Conference in Gent: <https://forms.gle/RGUJLwsdK9xgP9We8>

Hotels:

Provisional bookings have been made in the following hotels:. Bookings expire on 22nd September 2021 (after this date rates cannot be guaranteed, but you can still contact the hotels)

Please book individually and directly with the hotel.

Hotel	Booking	Prices Single Room incl. Breakfast	Walking distance to Museum of Industry
Ibis Budget Gent Dampoort IBIS Kleindokkaai 27 9000 Gent www.accor.com Contact Email: HA243@accor.com	code: ERIH21	91 €	15 minutes
Ghent River Hotel Waaistraat 5 9000 Gent www.gent-river-hotel.de	code: ERIH 2021	139 / 159 € standard/exclusive	5 minutes
Ibis Gent Centrum St Baafs Kathedraal Limburgstraat 2 9000 GENT www.accor.com Contact Email: H0961@accor.com	Code: ERIH 2021	107 €	12 minutes

Individual bookings in other hotels can be made through usual booking websites. Please clarify and observe cancellation rules with hotels individually. We have confirmed a cancellation up-to 2 days before arrival with the hotels.

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How to get to the conference venue Museum of Industry, Gent

<https://www.industriemuseum.be/en/how-to-get-here>

By train: All the information on Belgian train system: <https://www.belgiantrain.be/en>

By plane: Main airport: Brussels Airport <https://www.brusselsairport.be/en/passengers>
Brussels South in Charleroi <https://www.brussels-charleroi-airport.com/en>

Covid Regulations

Due to the Covid-19 regulations valid in Belgium, we cannot accept registrations from people coming from Corona risk areas/countries.

For up-to-date Covid regulations, please check:

<https://www.info-coronavirus.be/en/>

On site you need to observe Covid rules, you are obliged:

- Please **provide EU digital Covid certificate (vaccination, recovery, test)**
- **Not to attend** if you show or feel any symptoms of illness or disease
- You have to wear a mask wherever a minimum distance of 1.5 meters is not possible. In public transport masks are mandatory
- Masks are still mandatory in the museum, and rules of social distancing should be respected
- Please observe the rules on site

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