

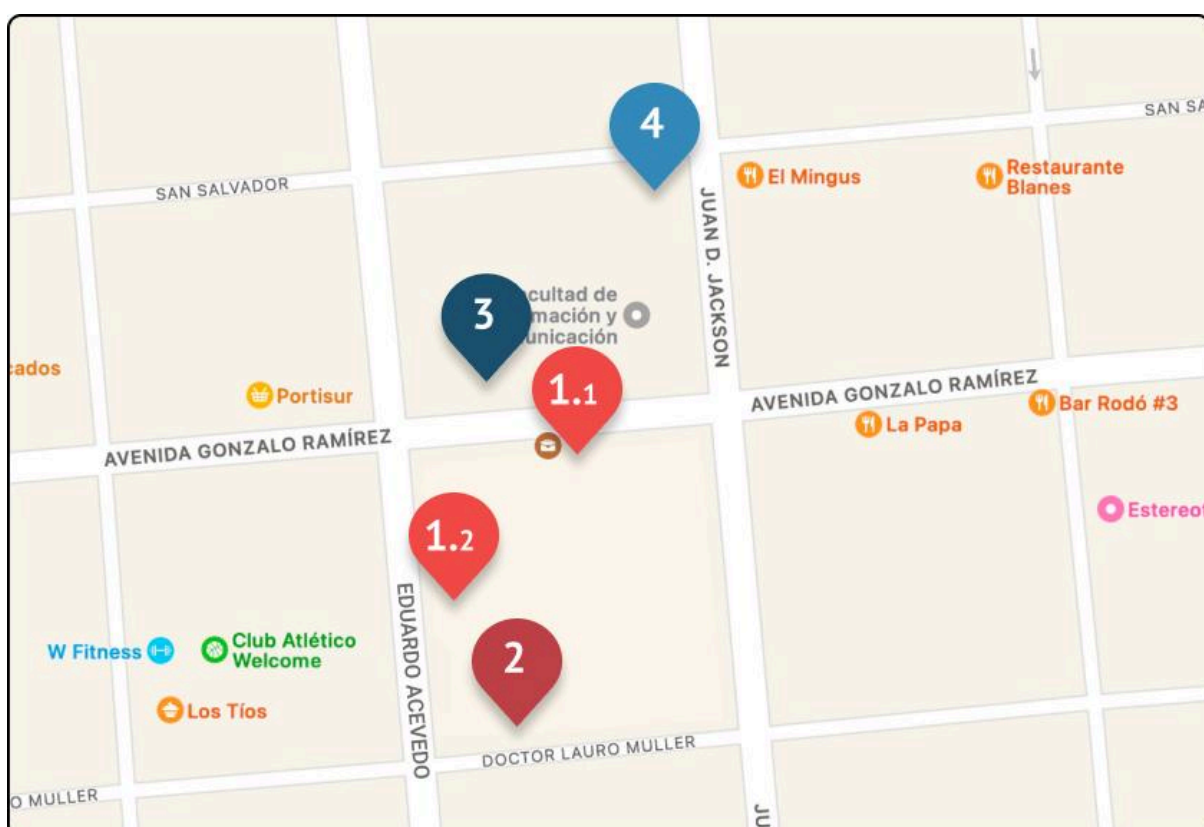
Frequently Asked Questions

1. General Information

Where and when will the conference take place?

The LACEA-LAMES annual meeting will be held on November 14, 15, and 16, 2024, in Montevideo. It will be hosted at the School of Economics and Administration (FCEA) of the University of the Republic (Udelar). The talks will take place in the following buildings:

- **1. FCEA Main Building**
 - 1.1 Main entrance: Gonzalo Ramírez 1926
 - 1.2 Secondary entrance through Eduardo Acevedo street
- **2. Research and Graduate Studies Building (EIP)**
 - Main entrance: Lauro Müller 1921
 - Access from FCEA Main Building
- **3. Social and Artistic Area Classroom Building, Mártires Estudiantiles (ASA)**
 - Main entrance: Gonzalo Ramírez 1915
 - Access from FIC
- **4. School of Information and Communication (FIC)**
 - San Salvador 1944
 - Access from Classroom Building (ASA)





Is it an in-person, virtual, or hybrid event?

It is an in-person event.

What are the official languages of the congress?

The presentations will be in English.

Where is lunch served?

Lunch is served in the courtyard of the Mártires Estudiantiles Classroom Building (ASA) between 13:00 and 14:00. You can eat in the courtyard, on the terrace accessible from the 1st floor, or in room 001, where you'll find tables to sit. You can always ask the organizing team to help you find a place.

What if I have dietary requirements (allergies, vegetarian, vegan, or gluten-free)?

There will be menus for celiacs, vegans, vegetarians, lactose-free and gluten-free, which will be properly identified both at the coffee break, lunch and social events. If you have other dietary requirements or allergies, you can report them at the information point located in the hall of the Aulario Mártires Estudiantiles (ASA).

I didn't bring my badge, what should I do?

You should request one at the information desk located in the hall of the Mártires Estudiantiles Classroom Building (ASA).

2. Programming and Activities

How can I access the congress program?

On the website lacealames2024.org, you can find both summary and detailed versions of the program.

Will there be workshops, panels, mentoring, or parallel events?

The congress will have 4 types of sessions: Keynote sessions, Invited sessions, Institutional sessions, and contributed sessions.

During November 14, 15, and 16, the following activities will also take place:

- The RIDGE summer school. [See program.](#)
- LACEA orientation workshops aimed at providing feedback and comments to doctoral students from Latin American universities
- WELAC (Women in Economics in LAC): The session will include two panels: one on publication strategies and another on obtaining research grants/funding.



What social or cultural activities are scheduled?

Thursday, November 14: A reception will be held in the Blue Hall of the Montevideo City Hall.

Friday, November 15: A dinner will be held at the Hotel del Prado.

Saturday, November 16: There will be a closing reception in the Classroom Building courtyard (ASA).

Can I register a guest for dinner? How is payment made?

Yes, it's possible to register a guest. The person should access www.lacealames2024.org and select Purchase Gala Dinner ticket in the Registration section and answer the questions in the form. At the end, they must enter credit card details. The ticket cost is US \$85.

3. Technology Resources and Support

Is there internet access during the congress?

You can connect to the LACEA-LAMES WiFi network.

Where can I hold a Zoom meeting?

For Zoom meetings, room 9 in the FCEA main building is available, or you can use the workstations located on the 2nd floor of the EIP.

Will technical assistance be available during the congress?

You can request support for any technical difficulties at the information desk located in the hall of the Mártires Estudiantiles Classroom Building (ASA) or from any properly identified team member.

How can I download participation or attendance certificates?

Certificates will be sent through Oxford Abstracts once the conference is over.

Will presentations be uploaded to the website?

Presentations will not be uploaded to the website.

Will proceedings be published?

They will not be published.



4. Transportation

Where do the buses depart for the reception at Montevideo City Hall (Nov 14) or dinner at Hotel del Prado (Nov 15)?

Buses for transportation to the reception and dinner will be located on Eduardo Acevedo street.

- Thursday 11/14: Buses will be available at 17:30
- Friday 11/15: Buses will be available at 18:30

Can I return by Uber or Taxi from the dinner at Hotel del Prado?

Everyone can choose to leave the dinner by Uber or Taxi at any time. Buses will also be available departing every half hour from 22:00 to 23:45.

Can I walk to Montevideo City Hall from FCEA instead of taking the bus?

The distance between FCEA and Montevideo City Hall is 1.6 km. It can be reached by walking in approximately 25 minutes. Keep in mind that Raquel Fernández's talk in the Blue Hall begins at 18:30.

How do I return from Montevideo City Hall to my hotel?

At 21:00, buses will depart from Montevideo City Hall to FCEA. Each person can choose to return to their hotel from either Montevideo City Hall or FCEA by Uber, taxi, public bus, or walking.

What time do return buses leave from the dinner?

Buses returning from Hotel del Prado to FCEA will depart from 22:00 to 23:45.

Where can I leave my luggage if I've already checked out of my hotel?

You should go to the information desk where they will direct you to the room where luggage can be stored.

How long does it take to get to the airport from the conference venue?

Travel time from Carrasco International Airport to the School of Economics and Administration is 45 minutes by car/Uber/Taxi and 1:15 by bus. Duration may vary depending on traffic volume.

Are there shuttle buses from the hotels listed on the conference website?

There will not be shuttle buses from hotels to the conference venues.



Contacts, Emergencies, and Additional Support

Who should I contact if I have additional questions?

You can make inquiries at the information desk located in the hall of the Mártires Estudiantiles Classroom Building (ASA), or to any properly identified team member.

What should I do in case of a health emergency?

For health emergencies, immediately contact any member of the event organizing team or any department of the institution. The Security Section will contact the Emergency Medical Service on duty. General information about the person and their condition must be provided so the security staff can transmit this to the emergency service.

Security Phone Numbers

Main Building - [Extension 690](#)

EIP - [Extension 692](#)

Eduardo Acevedo - [Extension 693](#)

ASA Ground floor - [Extension 200](#)

ASA 3rd floor - [Extension 213](#)