

ASMES'2019

LOCATION

Predeal, an important mountain resort is a town located on the Prahova Valley and is surrounded by five massifs: Postăvarul, Piatra Mare, Bucegi, Baiului and Fițifoi. The name is derived from the Romanian archaic form "pre deal" which means "on the hill" or from the Slavic word "predel", which means "bound", "limit". Predeal is the highest-altitude town in Romania at 1033m-1110m. Predeal is a well-known tourist destination in Romania, especially in winter time.



ACCOMMODATION

The conference will take place at Carpati 3 * Hotel, located on Nicolae Bălcescu Street no. 1 in Predeal.

Currently being negotiated discounted rates for conference participants.

TRAVEL

The nearest major airport is the Bucharest Henri Coanda International Airport (also known as Otopeni). Reaching Predeal from the Bucharest airport:

- Take the bus 780 - an express connection between Henri Coanda Airport and North Railway Station in Bucharest ("Gara de Nord"). Tickets should be bought before boarding the bus, from the designated vending machine or from the ticket booth. The bus leaves every 30-40 min. and the journey takes about 45-50 min. (except rush hour). For a shuttle bus and train connection to the North Railway Station in Bucharest please see this link (http://stbsa.ro/v_bus_expres.php?tlin1=780). Alternatively, you can take a taxi to North Railway Station, but please be careful to take an official one (those waiting in line at the Arrival Terminal, not drivers trying to pick you up inside the airport).
- Take a train to Predeal. Trains leave almost every hour from 7 am to 10 pm and the journey takes about 1h30min. (<https://mytrain.ro/en>).
- The train station in Predeal is within walking distance (10-15 minutes) to Carpati hotel.