



TOWARDS THE NEXT GENERATION OF STANDARDS FOR SERVICE
LIFE OF CEMENT-BASED MATERIALS AND STRUCTURES

1ST WORKSHOP OF COST ACTION TU 1404

FOCUS ON EXPERIMENTAL TESTING
OF CEMENT BASED MATERIALS

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[PRACTICAL INFORMATION BOOKLET]

DATE OF WORKSHOP

April 16-17, 2015

Place of workshop
University of Ljubljana,
Faculty of Civil and Geodetic Engineering
Ljubljana, Slovenia

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LOCATION AND DATE OF THE WORKSHOP

The 1st workshop of COST TU1404 Action will take place at University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Civil and Geodetic Engineering (in the following [UL, FGG](#)). UL, FGG is located in a heart of Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia. The workshop will be organized between 16th -17th April, 2015 (please refer to <http://www.tu1404.eu/activity-record>).

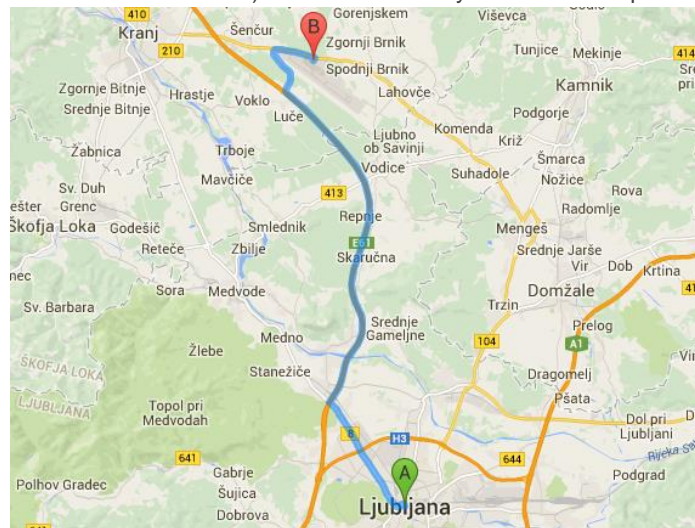
The Workshop will take place in the 2nd floor of the building where also all the posters, coffee breaks, and lunch will be organized.



HOW TO GET TO UL,FGG

From Slovenian National Airport Jože Pučnik

FGG is located in a heart of Ljubljana, which is approximately 30 km away from [Slovenian national Airport Jože Pučnik](#). If possible, the participants are encouraged to use public transport due to the COST [reimbursement rules](#). Numerous public transportation connections are available from the airport to the heart of Ljubljana. [Bus](#) (approx. 4 EUR/person for one direction) or [shuttle](#) (approx. 9 EUR/person for one direction) are preferable options which can be easily reimbursed but the passengers can also use [taxi](#) (approx. 25 EUR for one direction) in the case of early/late arrivals/departures.



From Other nearby Airports

1) From [Graz Airport](#)

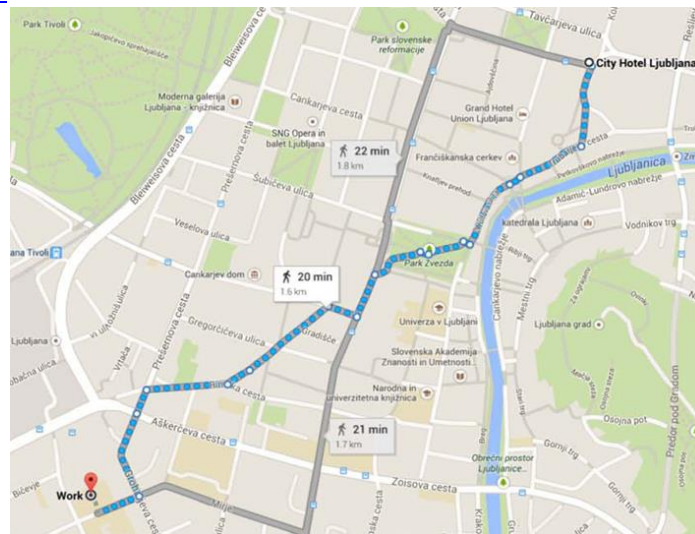
[Graz AirPort](#) is a minor international airport in [Graz](#), the second-largest city in Austria. It is located in the municipalities of [Feldkirchen](#) and [Kalsdorf](#), 5 [NM](#) (9.3 km; 5.8 mi) south of Graz city center and mainly serves flights to European leisure and some metropolitan destinations. Graz is approximately 200 km away from Ljubljana (around 2 – 2.5 hours by car or bus). It is also possible to travel by train to Ljubljana, which costs approximately 20 EUR/person.

2) From [Venice Airport](#)

Venice Marco Polo Airport is an international airport located on the Italian mainland 8 km north of [Venice](#), in Tessera, a [Frazione](#) of the [Comune of Venice](#) nearest to [Mestre](#). Venice is approximately 180 km away from Ljubljana (around 2-2.5 hours by car or bus). It is also possible to travel by [train](#) to Ljubljana, which costs approximately 22 EUR/person.

ACCOMODATION

The majority of the participants will be accommodated in [City Hotel](#) as suggested by local organizers. The hotel is located in downtown and is only 20 minutes walking distance to the workshop location (UL, FGG) as shown in the figure below. Please check the route using appropriate online applications also (Google Earth, Via Michelin, etc.). Some of the participants will be accommodated in [Best Western Premier Slon Hotel](#).



REGISTRATION AND ADVERTISING MATERIAL

Registration desk will be located in the second floor of the FGG building. The participants will receive their badges and a short form needed to vote for the best poster (please refer to the text below). All the participants are encouraged to bring some advertising material (company profile, their newly developed products related to the Action, etc) in order to give it to the other participants. There will be special tables available for such material.

POSTERS AND BEST POSTER COMPETITION

All the participants are expected to print their posters and bring their printed posters in Ljubljana. The posters of non-visiting participants will be shown as well on LCD screen during poster session and will be also included in the e-book of the workshop.

There will be a special competition for best posters of type 2 (!) (research related posters) organized at the Workshop. The participants are kindly asked to fill the form that they will receive at their registration and vote for the poster that fascinates them the most. Voting will take place on the first day of the Workshop (i.e. Thursday, 16th) and will be possible until 18:00. The results will be presented during the dinner at City Hotel at 21:00.

GUIDED TOUR AROUND LJUBLJANA

A guided tour around Ljubljana will be organized at the end of the first day of the WorkShop. It will begin at 18:30 in front of FGG and finish approximately at 19:45 at City Hotel where the dinner will take place.



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