

CONFERENCE VENUE


The congress will be held in **Dokuz Eylül University's Continuing Education Center (DESEM)** in Izmir, Türkiye.

Address: [Kültür Mah. Vasıf Çınar Blv No:2 D:1, 35220 Konak/Izmir](#)




FORMAT OF THE CONFERENCE


The scientific program of **IHTEC-2025** will feature plenary sessions with distinguished keynote speakers, parallel **oral presentation sessions** by participants and invited speakers, as well as **special sessions**, a **workshop**, and **panel discussions**. In the foyer area, there will be **poster presentations** and an **exhibition** showcasing related technologies and projects. Additionally, a **hydrogen-powered bus** will be exhibited in front of the Rectorate Building. The social program will include a welcoming reception, a gala dinner, and an optional tour to some of Izmir's major attractions. The official language of the conference is English, and no simultaneous translation will be provided.

 We kindly invite all participants to a family photo session on May 26, 2025, at 12:10 PM in front of the Rectorate Building.

PRESENTATIONS


Conference papers will be presented in either Oral or Poster sessions.

 For oral presentations, the recommended file formats are PowerPoint or PDF, and presentation files should be brought on a USB flash drive. As a precaution, presenters are also encouraged to save a copy of their presentation in their email or cloud storage for easy access if needed. Speakers are requested to upload their presentations to the session computer and report to the session chair 5–10 minutes before the session begins. Each oral presentation is allocated 12–13 minutes, followed by 2–3 minutes for Q&A.


 Poster presentations will take place in the Foyer Area, and authors are expected to mount their posters at the designated locations at least 30 minutes before the

session starts and remove them after it ends. Please note that poster printing services will not be available on-site; authors must bring their printed posters to the congress. Basic materials such as pins and adhesive tapes will be provided at the poster area to assist with mounting.


PUBLICATIONS


 The **IHTEC-2025** Conference Proceedings, including all accepted and presented short papers, will be published shortly after the conclusion of the conference. Authors of selected contributions will be invited to submit extended versions of their papers to special issues in prestigious international journals. These include the **International Journal of Hydrogen Energy (Elsevier)**, **Fuel Cells (Wiley)**, **International Journal of Exergy (Inderscience)**, **International Journal of Global Warming (Inderscience)**, and **Energy Storage (Wiley)**. The selection and invitation process for these special issues will commence after the conference, and eligible authors will be contacted via e-mail with further instructions.

CERTIFICATES


 Session chairs will provide each presenter with a Certificate of Presentation immediately after their presentation. If you require a Certificate of Attendance, please visit the registration desk during the conference, and it will be printed for you upon request.


MEALS, RECEPTIONS & BREAKS

 Lunches will be offered at the DEU Lokal Çatı (Roof) Restaurant on May 26th and 27th. A light lunch will be available at the Foyer on May 28th. The Welcoming Reception will take place at the Foyer on May 25th. The Banquet will be held at the DEU Lokal Çatı (Roof) Restaurant on May 27th. If you have any **vegetarian menu** requests, please email info@ihtec2025.org by May 17th at the latest.

 Coffee breaks will be offered in the Foyer Area.

WI-FI & MOBILE ACCESS

 In the congress area, internet access is available only through the Eduroam network. There is no alternative Wi-Fi network provided. Therefore, only participants affiliated with institutions that are members of the Eduroam network and who can log in using their institutional credentials will be able to use the Wi-Fi service. Eduroam (education roaming) is a secure, worldwide Wi-Fi roaming service developed for the international research and education community. You can check whether your institution is part of Eduroam and find configuration instructions at <https://www.eduroam.org>.


 International participants who require mobile internet and communication services during their stay in Türkiye may consider purchasing the “Tourist Welcome Pack” offered by Turkcell, one of the major mobile operators in the country. The package includes a local SIM card, data allowance, and call/text benefits suitable for short-term visitors. You can find detailed information about the package:

<https://www.turkcell.com.tr/kampanyalar/yeni-turkcell-musterisi/tourist-welcome-pack>


Turkcell Communication Center Address: [Kıbrıs Şehitleri Cd. No:17/A, 35220 Konak/İzmir](#) (800 meters)

TRANSPORTATION to the CITY CENTRE


There are several convenient options for traveling from İzmir Adnan Menderes Airport (ADB) to the city centre and the conference venue in Alsancak:


 **Taxi** -Taxis are readily available at the airport exits. The journey to the city centre takes approximately 30-45 minutes, depending on traffic conditions.

 **HAVAŞ Airport Shuttle** - HAVAŞ operates shuttle buses from the airport to Alsancak. The drop-off point is in front of Swissôtel Büyük Efes, which is within walking distance (approximately 500 meters) of the conference venue. Departure point is the outside the arrivals area of the domestic and international terminals. It takes 30–45 minutes, depending on traffic. Tickets can be purchased directly from the driver upon boarding. For schedule: <https://havas.net/en/bus-services>

 **İZBAN Commuter Train** - İZBAN provides a direct train service from Adnan Menderes Airport to Alsancak Station. Follow the "Subway-İZBAN" signs from the arrivals area to reach the station via a moving walkway. İZBAN does not accept credit card payments. You must use a transportation card at the station (**İzmirim Kart**: A rechargeable electronic card valid on buses, metro, İZBAN, trams, and ferries. **Bilet35**: A disposable paper ticket available in 2, 3, 5, or 10 ride options. Valid for 35 days from the first use. Note that Bilet35 does not allow transfers between different modes of transport.) After getting off at Alsancak station, depending on your hotel, you can walk, or take a tram, or take a taxi.

NEARBY PARKING FACILITIES


 Please note that there is **no designated parking available** for conference delegates within the congress area. Here is a list of parking garages located near the conference venue in Alsancak, İzmir:

P Alsancak Fully Automated Parking Garage -
Operated by İzmir Metropolitan Municipality – İZELMAN
A.Ş.
 [Mimar Sinan Mahallesi, 1408. Sokak No:8, 35220
Konak/İzmir](#)

P Kültürpark Underground Parking Garage -
Operated by İzmir Metropolitan Municipality – İZELMAN
A.S.

📍 [Kültürpark İzmir, Mimar Sinan Mahallesi, İzmir](#)
Fairgrounds, 35220 Konak/İzmir

P **ipark Multi-Level Parking Garage (iPARK Katli Otopark)**

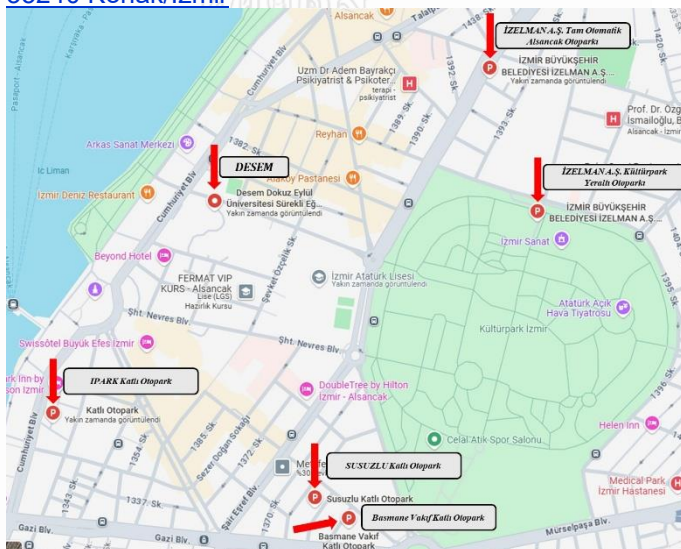
 [Akdeniz Mahallesi, 1347. Sokak No:2/A, 35210 Konak/İzmir](#)

P **Susuzlu Multi-Level Parking Garage** (*Susuzlu Katlı Otopark*)


İsmet Kaptan Mahallesi, 1365. Sokak No:5, 35110
Konak/İzmir

P Basmane Vakıf Multi-Level Parking Garage
(*Basmane Vakıf Katlı Otoparkı*)

📍 1364 Sokak No:18, Basmane Train Station Area,
35240 Konak/İzmir



AFTER-CONFERENCE EXPLORATION

 After the conference sessions, we encourage you to explore the vibrant city of İzmir, rich in culture, history, and coastal charm. You can take a scenic ferry ride from Alsancak Ferry Port to Karşıyaka or Bostanlı, where you'll find lively waterfront promenades, cafés, and local markets. For those interested in historical and cultural experiences, a short tram ride from Montro Tram Station to Konak will bring you to the famous Clock Tower, Kemeraltı Bazaar, and Agora Open Air Museum.

Within walking distance of the conference venue, Kıbrıs Şehitleri Street in Alsancak offers a vibrant mix of shops, restaurants, and street performances, making it a perfect spot for an evening stroll.

For more detailed recommendations, guided tour options, and cultural events, we invite you to consult the official Visit İzmir guidebook, available at:

 <https://www.visitizmir.org/en/Home/>