

## Invitation to ETCR Former Trainees Day 2020

As an ETCR Alumni, you are invited to participate The ETCR Former Trainees Weekend 2020 in Barcelona, Spain from October 2–4, 2020. It will be a special year because of COVID 19. Despite social distance and current restrictions, we will try to have a “normal” weekend.

Please find enclosed the registration form.

### Program:

#### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October

16h30 – 17h00	Registration at Hotel Barcelo Sants
17h00	ADIF's Presentation
18h30	Suburban train to Estació de França (20 minutes)
19h00	Visit to Barcelona's control traffic center
20h30	Transfer (on foot) to Restaurant
21h00	Dinner at Senyor Parellada
23h30	Suburban train to the Hotel (Sants station)

#### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

09h00	Meeting at Hotel Barcelo Sants
09h15	Suburban train to La Sagrera-Meridiana. On foot to old Sagrera Station:
10h00	Presentation and visit to new Commnuter and high-speed trains Sagrera station, under construction
11h00	Transfer on foot to Clot station
11h20	Scenic Suburban train to Vilanova I La Geltrú (change at Sants, one hour)
12h30	Guided Visit to Catalanian Railway Museum
14h00	Catering lunch at the museum
16h30-18h30	If the weather is nice, transfer on foot to Vilanova's Beach. If not, sub-urban train to Barcelona-Sants (4 trains/hour, 45 minutes)
20h30	Meeting at Hotel Barcelo Sants
20h45	Suburban train to Plaça de Catalunya (5 minutes)
21h00	Official ETCR Dinner at Moritz Brewery
23h30	Suburban train to the Hotel (Sants station)

#### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October

09h30	Meeting at Hotel Barcelo Sants
09h45	Suburban train to Plaça de Catalunya (5 minutes)
10h00	City center guided visit
13h00	Lunch
14h00	End of Program

### Registration

Please complete the enclosed registration form as quickly as possible and send it by e-mail to Carlos Sarabia, no later than 30/07/2020

**E-Mail:** csarabiavives@gmail.com

### Participation fee and payment

The fee to participate is € 150 and includes lunches, dinners, transportation.

Payment should be made no later than July 30, 2020 to the following bank account:

**Bank:** Banco Santander  
**Account Name:** Carlos Sarabia Vives  
**SWIFT/BIC:** BSCHEM33  
**IBAN:** ES5000490124742011255843

Note for account payee: ETCR + your name

### Important:

**The fee will NOT be returned in the case of no show!!!**

**The fee will be returned in case of official lockdown in Barcelona.**

### Accommodation

A limited number of rooms have been preliminary booked at following hotel:

**Name of hotel: Barceló Sants Station**

Single room, including breakfast: € 130,-

Double room including breakfast: € 150,-

Participants shall make payment for the accommodation directly to the hotel. Rooms can be booked, and reservations secured with a valid credit card, when booking please quote **“evento ferroviarios”** to obtain this special rate.

If you have any questions regarding the rooms, please contact the hotel directly:

**E-mail:** ventas1.bcn@barcelo.com

**Phone:** +34 93 503 53 12

To benefit from these hotel prices, you **MUST** make your booking directly with the hotel before 31/07/2020.

In case of official lockdown, hotel fees will be reimbursed

### Train to Barcelona

AVE/ TGV trains link Barcelona-Sants with Paris, Lyon and Marseille. Alternatively, the regional connection to/from France via Portbou is quite scenic. Contact, Carlos Sarabia if you need details or advice for your train tickets.

### **Disclaimer**

Although we will do our best to organise the program as outlined below, we would like to make the following disclaimer:

Each participant must acknowledge and accept the following in relation to his/her participation:

- This is a non-profitable organisation made up of private individuals acting on behalf of private individuals and as such they are doing so in a voluntary capacity for friends
- Any program entry may be subject to alteration by ourselves
- Your participation is at your own risk. None of the organisers will be held liable for any damage to persons or property.
- Your personal data will be saved and used for additional information about this event and further information about the ETCR Former Trainees Day.

### **Contacts**

If you have any questions, please contact Carlos Sarabia Vives, “csarabiavives@gmail.com”, +34618701704